



Long Term Curriculum Plan for Year 2



Half Term	Autumn 1		Autumn 2		Spring 1		Spring 2		Summer 1		Summer 2	
Value	Belonging 		Peace 		Aspiration 		Compassion 		Resilience 		Challenge 	
Literacy Tree text	Me and You	Dear Earth	Great Fire of London	The Polar Express	The Dragon Machine		Bear and the Piano	Tadpole's Promise	Ocean Meets Sky	We are Water Protectors	The Minpins	Rosie Revere
Reading-Phonics and Literacy Leaves	Phonics Fluency	Phonics Fluency	Phonics Fluency	Phonics Fluency	Phonics Fluency	Phonics Fluency	Too Small Tola		Fanatical About Frogs		Hotel Flamingo	
Science	Living things and their habitats Identify that most living things live in habitats to which they are suited and describe how different habitats provide for the basic needs of different kinds of animals and plants, and how they depend on each other. Identify different animals and their		Use of everyday materials Identify and explore how the shape of materials can be changed through scientific experiments.		Plants Observe and describe how plants grow over time. Understand the basic needs of a plant in order to grow.		Animals including humans Understanding the life cycle of different animals. Identifying and comparing the basic needs of both animals and humans for survival.		Living things and their habitats Explore and compare the differences between things that are living, dead, and things that have never been alive. Use of everyday materials Scientist John Dunlop Select suitable materials for a specific purpose.		Animals inc Humans Human body. The body- Exploring the importance of hygiene and exercise. Keeping our bodies healthy. Scientist Marie Curie x-rays	

	habitats, including microhabitats. Food chains Scientist Kelsey- Archer Burchill.					
	Throughout the year, we will plant bulbs and observe them germinating and growing.					
History		Significant events Comparing London then and now. Exploring The Great Fire of London Who was Guy Fawkes?		Learning about Windsor Castle and comparing it to other castles through the ages. Exploring links to Windsor Castle and King Charles.		Learning about Important women in history: Florence Nightingale Emily Davison Rosa Parks Princess Sophia Duleep Singh Medicine Suffragette movement Civil Rights movement
Geography	Locational Knowledge Recapping the continents / the 5 oceans. Locating the seas surrounding the UK. How the continents are affected by the weather patterns due to the equator and		Place Knowledge Locating landmarks in the UK and then comparing of an English city and a non-European city: London and Lagos. Using aerial photography to recognise landmarks of the UK.	Link with History Simple fieldwork: Aerial maps of Windsor Castle understanding location.	Coastlines and Simple fieldwork: Understanding and identifying the human and physical features of beaches. Devise a map of the beach with a key. Compass points. Understand and use locational language.	Link with History Use world maps to locate individuals and know their journeys.

	the North and South poles.		Exploring and identifying countries on world maps.			
Art and Design	Collaging Artist – Alyssa Irizarry Exploring a variety of materials and textures, and developing an understanding of the foreground, background, and, the horizon line, create a collage inspired by the artist.		Drawing Van Gogh Painting sunflowers Street Art Around the world Artist: Keith Haring Using drawing and painting techniques to create our own piece of street art inspired by artists that we have studied.		Sculpting and painting. Explore printing techniques, such as rubbings, carbon and relief printing, and use them to create a background for a clay model of a living thing that lives in that habitat.	
Design and Technology		Stable structures – Tudor houses Research, design and create a Tudor House considering the structure and materials used, and why this was not effective.		Levers and sliders Design, make and evaluate a drawbridge that includes a mechanism levels or sliders		Cooking and nutrition Design, make and evaluate a healthy, nutritious meal while learning about the importance of a healthy, balanced diet and understanding that all food has to be farmed, grown or caught

Computing	Computing systems and networks – IT around us	Creating media – Digital photography	Programming A – Robot algorithms	Data and information – Pictograms	Creating media - Digital music	Programming B - programming quizzes
Religious Education	Key Question: Is it possible to be kind to everyone all of the time? Religion: Christianity	Key Question: Why do Christians believe God gave Jesus to the world? Religion: Christianity	Key Question: How important is it for Jewish people to do what God asks them to do? Religion: Judaism	Key Question: How important is it to Christians that Jesus came back to life after His crucifixion? Religion: Christianity	Key Question: How special is the relationship Jews have with God? Religion: Judaism	Key Question: What is the best way for a Jew to show commitment to God? Religion: Judaism
Physical Education	Invasion Games	Ball Skills	Gymnastics	Dance	Target Games	Athletics
Personal, Social, Health and Emotional	Being Me in My World	Celebrating difference	Dreams and goals	Healthy Me	Relationships	Changing Me
Music	Enchanted Forest - Recorder	Carnival of the Animals Composing music inspired by birdsong	Enchanted Forest – Recorders	Grandma Rap	Enchanted Forest – Recorders	Swing-a-long with Shostakovich Tanczymy Labada
Safety	E-Safety Learning about Internet filters and how to stay safe while searching online.	E-Safety Monitoring our use of technology and setting sensible limits on screen time.	E-Safety Understanding what to do if we come across something upsetting or inappropriate.	E-Safety Considering what is appropriate to share online and learning about their rights regarding what is private	E-Safety Considering the importance of keeping personal information private.	E-Safety Understanding that when an image is posted online, it is impossible to control what happens to it and ensuring we obtain consent when taking and sharing images
Visits and visitors	London Aquarium	The Great Fire of London Theatre Visit (In school)	Wisely Gardens	Windsor Castle Trip Salvation Army –	Beach Trip	Dress up as nurses and soldiers for

				The importance of the resurrection		Significant Women in History topic
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