

Year 2 Yearly Overview

	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4	Term 5	Term 6
English	A twist in the tale	Bravery vs. Fear	Creation & conservation	Relationships & acceptance	Urban metropolis	Fantasy & fiction
	<p>Goldilocks & the Three Bears, You & Me, Goldilocks & Just the One Bear <i>Wanted posters, letters, retellings from another point of view, lists of rules, character descriptions</i> <i>Sequel story</i></p> <p>Jim and the Beanstalk <i>Narrative re-telling (including dialogue), thought bubbles, informal letters</i> <i>Sequel story</i></p>	<p>The Bear Under the Stairs <i>Letters, retellings, own version narratives</i> <i>Information text</i></p> <p>The Bear and the Piano <i>Letters of advice, short news-reports, writing in role, retellings, information poster</i> <i>Own version narrative about bravery</i></p>	<p>The Journey Home <i>Posters, lists, postcards, wanted posters, information report, short stories</i> <i>Persuasive letter</i></p> <p>House Held Up By Trees <i>Descriptive non-fiction, life-cycles, instructions for seed packets</i> <i>News report</i></p>	<p>The Owl and the Pussy-cat <i>Letters, interviews, lists, instructions</i> <i>Rhyming poem</i></p> <p>Tadpole's Promise <i>Setting descriptions, oral retellings, own version narrative</i> <i>Explanation - frog life cycle</i></p> <p>If All the World Were <i>Writing in role, optional diary, letter of advice, short explanation</i> <i>Non-narrative read aloud poem</i></p>	<p>The Great Fire of London <i>Non-fiction text incorporating different text-types, including a guide to London buildings (non-chronological report), warning posters, writing in role</i> <i>Diary entry in role as the cat</i></p> <p>Rosie Revere, Engineer <i>Short explanations, writing in role, reports, adverts</i> <i>Leaflet for a local landmark</i></p>	<p>Wolves <i>Captions, information writing, character descriptions and comparisons</i> <i>Non-chronological leaflet</i></p> <p>The Dragon Machine <i>Dragon guide and encyclopaedia, letters of advice, dragon machine explanation, shopping list, description, letters in role</i> <i>Own version dragon story</i></p>
Maths	Place value; addition and subtraction; 2D shapes; ordinal numbers	Place value; ordinal numbers; addition and subtraction; position and direction; length; addition and subtraction; using money in calculations.	Place value; number facts; addition and subtraction; 3D shapes; time.	Fractions; multiplication and division; time; data; money and money calculations.	Place value; addition and subtraction; measures; statistics and data.	Addition and subtraction; money; multiplication and division; length; time; place value.
Science	What are the uses of everyday materials?	What changes occur when animals and humans grow?	What changes occur when animals and humans grow? (life cycles)	What happens to plants as they grow?	How do habitats provide for living things?	How do habitats provide for living things? (Around the world)

RE	Why are they having a party? (Judaism)	Who is the Saint of our school? How does the symbol of light help us to understand the meaning of Christmas for Christians?	How do the 5 Pillars of Islam help Muslims show commitment to God (Allah)?	What is the story of Noah about? How do Easter symbols help us understand the meaning of Easter for Christians?	Why did Jesus teach the Lord's Prayer as a way to pray?	Why do Christians make and keep promises before God? (baptism and marriage)
History		How did the Great Fire of London bring about change? Power (monarchy) Technology (architecture, settlement)	How should we remember Florence Nightingale and Mary Seacole? Power (inequality) Technology (medicine)		What were the achievements of Rosa Parks and Paul Stephenson? Power (government, inequality, law)	
Geography	Can you compare contrasting localities?			Where in the World am I? <i>Continents and Oceans</i>		How does climate affect a place? <i>Hot and cold places.</i>
Music	Move in Time Singing in a Round	Playground Songs Puzzle Pieces: Haunted House Christmas Production	Graphic Scores – vocal (Cathy Barbarian) Welcome to the Orchestra	Graphic Score cont Folk Songs – Percussive accompaniment Fire of London: Classical Roadshow	Songs from Around the World Creating Drones & Ostinatos	Beside the Seaside: Music Hall songs / seaside soundscapes Structuring composition
Computing	Information technology around us	Digital photography	Robot algorithms	Pictograms	Making music	Programming quizzes
Art	Drawing - portraits • Using different media		Printing • Cardboard / string printing tiles • Creating a Printing tile		Famous Beach Paintings (various artists) • Horizon line	

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Observing facial features and practising detail. Shading Famous Portraits: Kahlo, Rembrandt, Van Gogh, Freud, Gauguin, Raphael, Picasso 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> techniques for creating relief on card Experiment with different backgrounds 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Paint/ Mix Media own Beach picture. Perspective (foreground/ background/ layering) 	
DT		Textiles – Joining & Templates <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Use a template to make two identical pieces Joining fabric: running stitch, over stitch, glue, stapling Finishing techniques: fabric paint, crayons, stitching, buttons, sequins, ribbon 		Food Preparing Vegetables/ Balanced Dish <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Know about seasonal veg and where/how it is grown Plan and prepare a balanced savoury wrap/sandwich Use tools to: cut, chop, grate, spread 	Mechanisms – Freestanding structures <ul style="list-style-type: none"> How to make a structure stronger, stiffer, more stable Select new and reclaimed materials to create model Consider the user/purpose Gustave Eiffel, Norman Foster 	
PE	Attack, defend, shoot	Hit catch run	Run, Jump and Throw	Gymnastics	Send and return	Athletics
Dance		Ballet		Tap		Lindy/Rock and roll
PSHE	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Healthy people All about my feelings Money, shopping and saving 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Keeping safe Making and breaking friendships Coping with conflict Special days 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> About my body Exploring our families Global food 	