

Year 2 Curriculum Overview 2023-24

	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4	Term 5	Term 6
Curriculum Driver	Curiosity	Empathy	Adventure	Curiosity	Empathy	Adventure
Immersion	Construction challenge afternoon	Workshop: Signifiant women	Around the world virtual trip	Forest school afternoon	Secret agent day	Trip: Day trip to the seaside
Enrichment	Local Trip: Building development Visitor: Reverend Alec	Oxford Playhouse Pantomime		Visitor: Wantage fire brigade	Food tasting: Indian foods Residential: Sleepover	
Learning showcase	Performance: Puppet show to Year 1	Key Stage 1 Nativity	School Science Fair	Fire safety posters (sent home)	Detective audiobooks shared via Dojo	Traditional games afternoon
Whole School Events	Harvest Festival	Remembrance Day service Christingle service Festive film club	Prayer Space	World book day Easter Service	Ascension service Sports Day	Leaver's Service
Key text for writing	 			 		
Key texts for Reading	   	  	  	  	  	  
Maths	Place Value Addition and Subtraction	Addition and Subtraction Geometry: Shape	Measure: Money Multiplication and Division	Measure: Length and Height Measure: Mass, Capacity and Temperature	Fractions Measure: Time	Statistics Geometry: Position & Direction
Being a Scientist	Materials (Block 1)	Plants (Block 1) Living things and their habitats (Block 1)	Child-led Investigation	Materials (Block 2)	Animals, including humans	Plants (Block 2) Living things and their habitats (Block 2)
Religious Education	Is it possible to be kind to everyone all of the time?	Why do Christians believe God gave Jesus to the world?	Does praying at regular intervals help Muslims in their everyday life?	How important is it to Christians that Jesus came back to life after his crucifixion?	Does going to a mosque give Muslims a sense of belonging?	What are the best reasons for following a leader?
Spirituality	Stilling	Noticing	Dwelling	Mending	Blessing	Child-Led spirituality
Jigsaw PSHE	Being Me in My World	Celebrating Differences	Dreams and Goals	Healthy Me	Relationships	Changing Me
Additional PSHE opportunities	Assembly: NSPCC		Safer Internet Day	Key Stage 1: Fire safety talk		
Being a Historian	Retention and Retrieval	Significant individuals from the past Can one person change the world?	Retention and Retrieval	Great Fire of London What can we learn from the past?	Retention and Retrieval	Seaside holidays How have seaside holidays changed in the past 100 years?
Being a Geographer	Villages, Towns and Cities Where would you build a house?	Retention and Retrieval	Our Wonderful World Where in the world would you go on an adventure?	Retention and Retrieval	Let's Explore Bengal! What is it like to live in West Bengal?	Retention and Retrieval
Being an Artist	Medium: Drawing Artist: Yayoi Kusama Outcome: Artwork of everyday objects		Medium: Painting Artist: Edward Saidi Tinga Outcome: African landscape		Medium: Textiles Artist: Sheila Hicks Outcome: Bag	Medium: Printing Artist: Geoff Barker Outcome: Ocean picture
Being a Designer		Aspect: Cooking and Nutrition Focus: A balanced diet		Aspect: Mechanisms Focus: Moving parts- Linkages		Aspect: Structures Focus: Freestanding structures
Computing	Digital Photography Online Safety	Programming A: Robot Algorithms Online Safety	Programming B: Introduction to quizzes	Making music Online Safety	Information Technology around us	Pictograms
Physical Education	Ball skills- Unit 1 Gymnastics	Boccia Dance	Ball skills- Unit 2 Gymnastics	Dodgeball Dance	Benchball Athletics	Cricket OAA
Being a Musician	Ourselves Toys	Our Land Our bodies	Animals Number	Storytime Seasons	Weather Pattern	Water Travel

