

Year 2 – Curriculum Year Group Overview 2016/2017

Autumn Term 2016

Term	Autumn 1- 8 Weeks								Autumn 2- 7 Weeks						
Weeks	1 5/9/16	2 12/9/16	3 19/9/16	4 26/9/16	5 3/10/16	6 10/10/16	7 17/10/16	8 24/10/16	1 7/11/16	2 14/11/16	3 21/11/16	4 28/11/16	5 5/12/16	6 12/12/16	7 19/12/16
WSF	History								Science- health and wellbeing focus (race for life)						
Theme	Born Survivor <i>Robert Falcon Scott and modern day explorer</i> History: Lives of significant historical figures including a comparison of those from different time periods. D&T: Design purposeful, functional and appealing products. Use a range of tools and materials to design a task.						Great Fire of London		World Wide Wanderers- From Ghana with love. <i>Contrasting Lancaster with Ghana in Africa</i> Geography: Compare the local area to a non-European country, use basic vocabulary to describe a less familiar area, use aerial images and other models to create simple plans and maps using symbols. Art: Develop techniques of colour, pattern, texture, line, shape and form and space. Music: Playing tuned and untuned instruments. <i>*Science Investigation – link with previous topic on materials – why can houses in Ghana have grass roofs? Test waterproof materials for uk houses and link with weather.</i> PE – weather dance						Music & Drama Christmas Play
English Links	<i>Instructions</i>				<i>Stories set in schools or other familiar settings</i>				<i>Non Chronological Report, Stories from other cultures</i> <i>Audience – Year 4 Purpose – Inform</i> <i>Audience – Next Year’s Class Purpose – Entertain via Class Book</i>						
Maths Links	Map reading skills Time- Timeline of explorers – sequencing time and events in history Shape – finding and created repeated patterns (outdoor explore) Continuous provision; ‘In the bottle’								Shape- Kente patterns in art (repeating patterns) Statistics – collecting and measuring rainfall – comparison. Continuous provision; ‘4 Clock Classroom’ – Time in Ghana compared to here.						
RE	Judaism								Christianity- Jesus						
PHSE	HWB 1.1, HWB 1.6, HWB 1.7, HWB 1.11 and HWB 1.14														
Music	Charanga – Year 2; Spring 2; I Wanna Be In A Band, Rock								Charanga-Year 2; Autumn 1; Hands, Feet, Heart, African.						

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Spring Term 2017

Term	Spring 1- 5 Weeks					Spring 2- 6 Weeks					
Weeks	1 9/1/17	2 16/1/17	3 23/1/17	4 30/1/17	5 6/2/17	1 20/2/17	2 27/2/17	3 6/3/17	4 13/3/17	5 20/3/17	6 27/3/17
WSF					<i>E Safety & Anti Bullying</i>	'World Wide Wanderers'					
Theme	<p>Happily Ever After? Traditional tales with a twist Science: Identify and compare the suitability of a variety of everyday materials, including wood, metal, plastic, glass, brick, rock, paper and cardboard for particular uses. Find out how the shapes of solid objects made from some materials can be changed by squashing, bending, twisting and stretching. Art: Use a range of materials, sculpture *Science Investigation – link with above topic – make three little pig houses out of strong materials and curtains that are opaque.</p>					<p>Bring out the healthy hero inside you! <i>Healthy Humans and offspring</i> Science: Notice that humans, have offspring which grow into adults. Find out about and describe the basic needs of humans, for survival (water, food and air). Describe the importance for humans of exercise, eating the right amounts of different types of food, and hygiene. Medicines can be useful when we are ill. Medicines can be harmful if not used properly. D&T: Where food come from. Cooking Skills. *Science Investigation – link with above topic – how to clean hands best with cold water, warm water or warm water and soap. Also observe over time germs growing on bread.</p>					
English Links	<p><i>Traditional Tales with a twist, Poems with a structure (riddles)</i> <i>Audience – Year 1 Purpose – Entertain</i> <i>Audience – Perform in Assembly Purpose - Entertain</i></p>					<p><i>Persuasive Poster/Advert</i> <i>Poems on Theme (food/funny bones), Information Texts</i> <i>Audience – Year 3 Purpose – Entertain</i> <i>Audience – General Public Purpose - Inform</i></p>					
Maths Links	<p>Number- Place Value, odd and event 'street' 3 little pigs Shape- 2d and 3D build 3 little pigs houses Continuous provision; '4 Clock Classroom'</p>					<p>Statistics- tally charts Measures- height, length, mass (recipes and cooking) Continuous provision; Healthy Café Role Play</p>					
RE	Islam					Christianity- God					
PHSE	R 1.13 and R 1.14										
Music	Charanga-Year 2; Autumn 1; Hands, Feet, Heart, African.					Charanga – Year 2; Spring 2; I Wanna Be In A Band, Rock					

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Summer Term 2017

Term	Summer 1- 6 Weeks						Summer 2- 7 Weeks						
Weeks	1 17/4/17	2 24/4/17	3 1/5/17	4 8/5/17	5 15/5/17	6 22/5/17	1 5/6/17	2 12/6/17	3 19/6/17	4 26/6/17	5 3/7/17	6 10/7/17	7 17/7/17
WSF	British Values					French/Art	Local Historical Study:						
Theme		Ground Force <i>At the garden centre: Growth of plants</i> Science: Growing plants (water, light and warmth) Differentiate, living and non-living, <i>*Science Investigation – link with topic above – observing growth of seeds planted in different environments, what do plants need to grow?</i>				<i>Chosen French Artist:</i>	<i>Local Historical Study:</i> Significant local person; Beatrix Potter Dukes theatre project.					Ground Force <i>At the garden centre: Animals and Food Chains</i> Science: Simple food chains and habitats. <i>*Science Investigation - link with topic above</i>	
English Links	Revision of Grammar Terms	<i>Recounts (visit to garden centre)</i> <i>Audience – Staff at Garden Centre</i> <i>Purpose – Inform/Recount/Explain</i>				<i>Revision of Grammar Terms</i>	<i>Classic Poetry – The Owl and the Pussycat</i> <i>Audience – Perform in assembly</i> <i>Purpose – To entertain</i>					<i>Animal Adventure Stories (Hodgeheg) (Fantastic Mr Fox)</i> <i>Audience –</i> <i>Purpose – To entertain</i>	
Maths Links	Measures- length, height of plants and growth Garden Centre Role Play- money and calculations Time- Sequence of time through a plant diary Continuous provision; Garden Centre '4 Clock Classroom'						Statistics- tally charts and graphs Geometry- Symmetry in nature and repeated patterns Continuous provision; Counting house- bears, insects and minibeasts '4 Clock Classroom'						
RE	Sikhism						Christianity Church						
PHSE													
Music	Charanga-Year 2;Summer 1; Zootime, Reggae						Charanga-Year 2;Summer 1; Zootime, Reggae						

Discrete PSHE sessions throughout year two will cover the following: R1.10, R1.11, HWB 1.10, LW 1.6 and LW 1.7