Curriculum Year Group Overview 2026/27

Autumn Term 2026

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	Autumn 1 – 7 Weeks (2 days + 6 weeks + 3 days)									Autumn 2 – 7 Weeks (6 weeks and 4 days)						
Weeks	**1 (2 days)**	**2**	**3**	**4**	**5**	**6**	**7**	**8 (3 days)**		**1 (4 days)**	**2**	**3**	**4**	**5**	**6**	**7**
Theme	**What is an Explorer?- History**									**All Creatures Great and Small - Science**						
English	**The Lonely Beast** **Man on the Moon**									**Poems on a Theme** - Firework Poems **Explanation Text** - How to Look After a Pet **Christmas Letters**						
Maths	**Numbers 10 – 100** **Calculations within 20**									**Fluently add and subtract within 10** **Add and subtract 2-digit numbers** **Introduction to Multiplication**						
Science	**Uses of Everyday Materials** ***Planting spring bulbs*** ***Planting onions (Science) and radishes (Seed to Plate)***									**Living Things in Their Habitat** **Pond Dipping**						
History	**Significant individuals (including Richard Owen)** **Events people and changes**									**-**						
Geography	**-**									**-**						
Music	**Duration A – Two, Four, Six, Eight**									**Structure – Jolly Jingles**						
Computing	**Computing systems and networks**									**Creating Media - digital photography**						
D.T.	**Make a Moon Buggy – Mechanical Structures**															
Art & Design	**Drawing**									**-**						
Values	**Compassion**									**Courage**						
P.E.	**Fundamental Skills - Lost and Found** **Dance - Explorers**									**Playground Games** **Gymnastics**						
RE	**Christianity - God**									**Christianity - Jesus**						
PSHE	**Me and My Relationships**									**Valuing Difference**						
Planned Trips/Visits	***Walk to Barley Copp Woods / Visit Lancaster Museum***									**Williamson Park/ Brockholes**						
Outdoor Learning (including STP)	Plant Radishes									Coleslaw DT – Seed to Plate (apples from the orchard, carrots and radishes planted by Year 1)						

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Spring Term 2027

	Spring 1- 6 weeks							Spring 2 – 5 weeks (4 weeks + 4 days)				
Weeks	**1**	**2**	**3**	**4**	**5**	**6**		**1**	**2**	**3**	**4**	**5 (4 days)**
Theme	**Passport to Africa – Kenya - Geography**							**Lovely Lancaster! - Geography**				
English	**Stories from another Culture** **- Handa's surprise** **- Non-Chronological Report** **- - Kenya**							**Traditional Tales with a Twist** - Prince Cinders **Persuasive Advert** - Lancaster				
Maths	**Multiplication** **Introduction to Division**											
Science	**Animals including Humans – the importance of exercise for humans (linked to PE)**							**Animals including Humans**				
History	**-**											
Geography	**Kenya –** *Locational and Place Knowledge*							**Lancaster Castle – Human and Physical Features**				
Music	**Instrumentation – Happy Families**							**Singing – The Boring Song**				
Computing	**Data**							**Robot Algorithms**				
D.T												
Art & Design	**Textiles – Martin Bullinya**							**3D Sculpture** *- Clarice Cliff*				
Values	**Appreciation**							**Equity**				
PE	**Gymnastics** **Catching and Balancing a Ball**							**Dance – Once Upon a Giant** **Kicking**				
RE	**Hindu - Dharma**							**Islam**				
PSHE	**Keeping Safe**							**Rights and Respect**				
Planned Trips/Visits	***More Music – African Drumming***							***Walk to Lancaster Castle***				
Outdoor Learning (including STP)												

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Summer Term 2027

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	Summer 1 – 7 Weeks (6 weeks and 4 days)								Summer 2 – 7 Weeks (6 weeks + 3 days)						
Weeks	**1**	**2**	**3**	**4 (4 Days)**	**5**	**6**	**7**		**1**	**2**	**3**	**4**	**5**	**6**	**7 (3 days)**
Theme	**How Does your Garden Grow - Science**								**What was it that helped to cause the Great Fire of London? - History**						
English Links	**Instructions** *- How to Grow a Sunflower* **Classical Poetry** *- The Owl and the Pussycat*								**Diaries** *- Samuel Pepys* **Letters** *- The Day the Crayons Quit*						
Maths	**Fractions** **Time** **Position and Direction**								**Multiplication and Division** **Measure** **Money**						
Science	**Plants (outdoor learning)**								**Uses of Everyday Materials**						
History	**-**								**Enquiry, interpretation and using sources**						
Geography	**-**														
Music	**Duration B – How Does your Garden Grow?**								**Make a Hullabaloo!**						
Computing	**Programming**								**Creating Media - Music**						
D.T	**Making Coleslaw – *Seed to Plate***								**Structures** *- Make a 1666 house*						
Art & Design	**Sketching**								**Digital Media** *- David Hockney*						
Values	**Integrity**								**Resilience**						
P.E.	**Athletics** **Wall Games**								**OAA** **End of KS1 Fundamental Skills**						
RE	**Christianity - Church**								**Judaism**						
PSHE	**Being My Best**								**Growing and Changing (RSE)**						
Planned Trips	***Claver Hill***								***History Workshop***						
Outdoor Learning (including STP)	Plants – science Plant Onions														

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