

Year 1 Curriculum Overview 2019 - 2020

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Topic	Woodland Wonder (Geography)	Starry Starry night (RE).	The Old Toy Shop (History)	I Want to be... (History)	Castles, Kings and Queens (History)	What a wonderful world. (Geography)
Prior learning – connections	Caring for Living things (R) Growing plants/ minibeasts (N)	Celebrations: Christmas, Diwali, fireworks, Hanukah (N) Plants/space (R)	Ourselves- babies to now (N) Past, present, future (R)	Transitions (N and R) People who help us (R)		Family heritage/ languages spoken (N and R) Simple maps/animals from different countries (R)
Key Questions	Why do we help others?	Why are some stories special?	Were children happier in the past?	Who do I want to be?	Who can be a leader?	Do all children and people in the world have the same life?
Core Texts	Bog Baby	The Dark	Dear Bear The Tiger Who Came to Tea Dogger	The growing story When I was a child	The Egg Box Dragon The lonely beast	Pattan’s Pumpkin The snail and the whale
History			Changes within living memory / Life journey (Driver)	Local history (Driver)	Significant people from history Monarchy, significant historical events, Buckingham Palace (Driver)	
Geography	Weather/Seasons (Driver)			Using a UK map Local area		Weather around the world Contrasting a hot and cold country. (Driver)

R.E.		Why are some stories special? Celebrating different events (Bonfire night, Hanukah, Diwali, Christmas) Where do we belong? Places of worship in the local area (Driver)	How do we celebrate our journey through life?	Where do we belong?		
Topic specific vocabulary	Weather Climate Habitat Seasons	Celebration Religion Special Difference	Old / New / Past Present / Future Antique	Capital cities United Kingdom Britain	Monarchy Reign Succession Castle vocab	
Science	Animals including humans Seasonal change	Light and dark Seasonal change	Everyday materials Seasonal change	Plants Seasonal change	Working scientifically	Weather Seasonal change
Scientific vocabulary	Nocturnal / Diurnal Carnivore / Omnivore / Herbivore	Shadows Light sources Transparent / Translucent / Opaque Reflective	Flexible Rigid Breakable Waterproof Weak / Strong Resistant	Plant vocabulary	Fair test Variables Equipment Evaluation Prediction / Hypothesis	
Computing	Turning on and using the computer	Using a paint programme	Beebots Writing instructions	Pictograms	Taking and printing a picture	Class blog & email
Art	Printing	Light and dark contrasting colours pictures	Using different materials	Colour mixing	Famous artists Portraits Collage	Warm and cool colours Still life Mood paintings
DT		Movers and sliders			Free standing 3D structure	Fruit salad

Music	Rhythm	Celebration songs	Appraising Different eras of music	Composition	Show sounds using pictures	Music from the world
P.E.	Gymnastics Multi-sports skills	Dance Games	Yoga Indoor athletics	Gymnastics Games	Sport Day events OOA	Multi-sports challenge activities Football
SMSC	New beginnings	Tolerance Diversity Identify Anti-Bullying	Family Empathy Feelings Relationships E-safety How do we celebrate our journey through life?	Health/Well-being	Social Justice Democracy Freedom Human Rights	Globalisation Sustainability Development