



Year 2 Subject Overview

	Autumn 1 st Half Term	Autumn 2 nd Half Term	Spring 1 st Half Term	Spring 2 nd Half Term	Summer 1 st Half Term	Summer 2 nd Half Term
English	Traditional Tales - Rapunzel Recount - Dogger Poetry – List Poem Take one book		Various genres – 15 things to do with a puppy Report – Find out: Sharks Poetry – Blue Balloons and Rabbit's ears Take one book		Narrative – How to Catch a star Instructions – How to wash a woolly mammoth Explanation – Monsters: an owner's guide Take one Book	
Phonics/Spelling, Punctuation and Grammar	Phonics: Review of Phase 5 sounds Focus on the split vowel digraphs and alternate spellings for the long vowel sounds Grammar: imperative verbs, noun phrases, subordination and co-ordination. Punctuation: capital letters, full stops, question marks and exclamation marks Spelling: dge, the /s/ sound spelt c before e, I and y the /n/ sound spelt kn and (less often) gn, the /r/ sound spelt wr, , le, el, al and il endings. Handwriting: Children will begin to learn to join their letters.		Phonics: Children will continue to progress through the phonics phases Grammar: conjunctions Punctuation: commas Spelling: Ie spelt y, y changed to I before es, er, est, ing common exception words, a before ll, u as o, Handwriting: Children will continue to learn to join their letters.		Phonics: Children will continue to progress through the phonics phases Grammar: Past and present tenses Punctuation: apostrophes Spelling: Ment, ful, ness, ly, tion, homophones and near homophones Handwriting: Children will continue to learn to join their letters.	
Reading	Securing fluency and increasing reading speed Comprehension including basic inference of motives and emotions Securing the common exception words					
Maths	Number: Securing Fluency to 20 Number: Place Value Numbers to 100, Estimation and Magnitude Number: Mental addition and subtraction (within 20) Number: Addition and subtraction (mentally 1-digit and 2-digit numbers) Number: Finding a part or whole unknown Measurement: Money and Using Scales		Statistics Number:; addition and subtraction Number: Problem solving: addition and subtraction Measurement: Money (doubling and halving amounts) Number: Multiplication Number: Division		Number: Fractions Measurement: Time Number: Problems solving for all operations (including fractions) Number: Multiplication and division Geometry: 2D and 3D shapes and symmetry Number: Mental calculation review Geometry: position and direction	

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Science	Uses of Everyday Materials	Animals including Humans	Living things and their Habitats	Caring for our Environment	Plants	Living things and their Habitats
RE	Signs and symbols in Christianity	Christmas (Incarnation)	Different ways of giving thanks to God, The lord's prayer, What is the good news that God brings?	Why does Easter matter to Christians?	Human responsibility and values including a study of Judiasm	Who made the world and other big questions
PSHE	Being Me in My World	Celebrating Difference	Dreams and Goals	Healthy Me	Relationships	Changing me
History	Exploration			Great Fire of London		
Geography		Contrasting and comparing a small part of the UK with a small part of a non-European country/Kenya	Mapping Skills and Local field work focusing on geographical skills		Local Study	Oceans and Seas
Art / DT	Drawing; Cave drawings Collage; Paul Klee	Mechanisms: Wheels and axels Design and make a moon buggy to carry moon rocks.	Painting; Vincent Van Gogh- Starry Night Sculpting; Niki de Saint Phalle- Animal sculptures	Food Technology Design and make a healthy vegetable soup for year 2 to eat on a cold day.	Painting; Georgia O'Keeffe Oriental poppies Printing; Collagraphy	Textiles: Templates and Joining Techniques Design and make a glove puppet to use in a puppet show for younger children.
Music	Recorder lesson	Recorder Lesson	Recorder Lesson	Recorder Lesson	Recorder Lesson	Recorder Lesson
Computing	Internet research & safety	Computer skills	Computer art	Programming	Using & applying	Presentation skills
PE	Locomotion Dodging Ball Skills Hands 1	Gymnastics Pathways Dance Explorers	Gymnastics Linking Dance Water	Wellbeing Ball Skills Feet	Locomotion Jumping Ball Skills Hands 2	Games for Understanding Games for Understanding

Some areas of the curriculum e.g. PE and Music are subject to change based on the current guidance from the government around COVID-19.

Please find listed below some links to useful websites which may be of use at home to support your child's learning particularly in English and Mathematics.

Literacy links

https://www.teachyourmonstertoread.com/?gclid=EAiaIQobChMIyqniqvGL7AIVjentCh2KmQCIEAAYASAAEgKWbfD_BwE

<https://home.oxfordowl.co.uk/>

<https://www.phonicsplay.co.uk/> (currently free using the username: march20 password: home)

<https://www.ictgames.com/mobilePage/literacy.html>

Maths

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/subjects/z826n39>

<http://primarygamesarena.com/Subjects/Maths>

<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/hit-the-button>