



Year 2

Curriculum Map

Term	Autumn 1		Autumn 2		Spring 1		Spring 2		Summer 1		Summer 2	
Topic Title	<i>Castles & Kingdoms (Houses & Homes)</i>		<i>Our World</i>		<i>Down Under</i>		<i>Explorers</i>		<i>Through the looking glass</i>		<i>Pesky Pirates</i>	
Text	Traditional Tales: The Three Little Pigs Three Billy Goats Gruff Goldilocks Hansel and Gretel Thumbelina The Little Mermaid		5 minutes peace – Jill Murphy Peace at last – Jill Murphy Town and Country Mouse – Aesop’s Fables The Jolly Postman – Allan Ahlberg The Jolly Christmas Postman - Allan Ahlberg		All About Australia (Non fiction) Australian Animals (Non Fiction) The Great Barrier Reef (Non Fiction) Where the Forest Meets the Sea – Jeannie Baker Tiddalik the Frog and other stories (Twinkl) Animal Poems – Web resources/Oxford Owl/Twinkl		One Giant Leap and Neil Armstrong – Don Brown Man on the Moon – Simon Bartram Christopher Columbus (Nonfiction) Tim Peake (Non Fiction/Twinkl) Kingswood (Recount)		Alternative versions of Alice in Wonderland – Various sources Alice through the looking glass –Lewis Carrol Descriptive texts Nonsense poems		All about pirates – Non Fiction The Night Pirates- Peter Harris The Pirates Next Door – Johnny Duddle The Jolly-Rogers and the Ghostly Galleon – Johnny Duddle	
	Narrative	4 weeks	Narrative	2 weeks	Narrative	4 weeks	Narrative: Letter	1 x 2 week timetable	Narrative	2 x 2 week timetable	Narrative	1 x 2 week timetable

Writing focus	Information: Recounts (Diary)	2 weeks	Information: Recount	2 weeks	Information: Non-Chronological Report, Report (Facts/Leaflet)	2 week	Information: Instructions	1 x 2 week timetable	Poetry	1 week	Information: Recounts (may not be own experience)	1 x 2 week timetable
			Poetry	1 week	Poetry	1 week	Poetry	1 week			Instructions	1 x 2 week timetable
Science	Uses of everyday materials				Animals including humans		All living things and their habitats		Plants			

Geography	<p>Locational Knowledge Name and locate the world's seven continents and five oceans. Name, locate and identify characteristics of the four countries and capital cities of the UK and its surrounding seas.</p>		<p>Place Knowledge Understand geographical similarities and differences through studying the human and physical geography of a small area of the UK and of a small area in a contrasting non-European Country. UK _____. Australian town _____</p>			<p>Human and Physical Geography. Identify daily weather patterns in the UK. Use world maps to identify the UK in its position in the world. Locate on a globe and world map the hot and cold areas of the world including the Equator, the North and South Pole.</p> <p>Geographical Skills and Fieldwork Follow a route on a map, use simple compass directions</p>
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						<i>(N,S,E,W). Use arial photographs and plan perspectives</i>
History		Significant historical events, people and places in their own locality. Why are we called the Black Country?		The lives of significant individuals in the past who have contributed to national and international achievements, some should be used to compare aspects of life in different periods – e.g. Florence Nightingale and Mary Seacole		
Computing	Digital programmer	Digital animator	Digital data handler	Digital researcher and presenter 2	Digital musician	Digital film maker
PE	Dance-Toys Multiskills	Invasion Games Dance – The Gunpowder Plot	Gymnastics- Under the Sea Invasion Games	Circuit Training Bat and Ball	Dance – Plants Gymnastics	Throwing and Catching Gymnastics – Landscapes and Cityscapes
RE	How and why are some books holy?		Beginning to learn from Islam	Holy places: Worship at the Church, Mandir, Mosque and Gurdwara	What can we learn from the Bible?	
D and T	Exploring Key skills for sheet materials; sliders and levers – making a moving picture		Cooking – healthy salad (healthy and varied diet, know where food comes from)		Technical Knowledge Mechanisms – Wheels & Axels Focus Designer – Henry Ford	
Art	Collage/paper	Drawings – (Landscapes)	Printing & Patterns – aboriginal pattern work.	Sculpture	Painting	Textiles skills – create my own pirate flag.
Featured artists		Lowry	Andy Warhol	Giacometti Giuseppe Arcimboldo	Monet/Seurat/Matisse	
Music (Charanga)	Hands, Feet and Heart	Ho Ho Ho	I wanna Play in a Band	Zootime	Friendship Song	Reflect, Rewind and Replay
PSHE	Keeping and Staying Safe: tying shoe laces	Our World: Living in our world, working in our world	Keeping and staying healthy. Healthy eating, brushing teeth.	Being Responsible: Practise makes perfect	Computer safety: Image sharing	Relationships: bullying Feelings and emotion: worry

			Hazard watch. Is it safe?			
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