**Year 2 Curriculum Overview**

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| **Subject** | 1st Half Term (37 days - 6 weeks) | 2nd Half Term (40 days - 8 weeks) | 1st Half Term (29 days - 6 weeks) | 2nd Half Term (35 days - 7 weeks) | 1st Half Term (19 days - 5 weeks)  SATS  Health week | 2nd Half Term (30 days - 4 weeks and 2 week transition) |
| **Trip** | ?Abbey pumping station-Oh I do like to be..Seaside holidays | ?Botanical gardens-sculptures-art |  | Farm |  |  |
| **History** | Neil Armstrong  Rosa Parks |  |  | Great Fire of London  Diary writing Samuel Pepys | Other foci this half term | Holiday Unit-holidays in the past  e.g. games etc Punch and Judy |
| **Geography** |  | Holiday Unit-  Comparison of Skegness to Leicester  Human features? | London-geographical and human features |  | Homework over half term-find out about estate | Significant places in my estate (persuasive leaflet about recycling-include how to find out more information)- needs to be done in 4 weeks |
| **Art** | Chalk space pictures | Andrew Goldsworthy sculptures | Matisse collage-  Create flames using different colours  Use brush strokes or roof of house |  |  |  |
| **DT**  **Cooking** | ? Lollypop stick beach hut | Cross stitch-Christmas cards  Cooking-rolling |  | Easter cards- weaving  Cooking-mixing | Cooking |  |
| **Music** |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| **Science** | Animals including humans basic needs | Looking after environment  Recycling | Plants | Living things - habitats | Lifecycles | Materials |
| **RE** | Where do I belong? What do I believe? | Who is a Christian and what do they believe in? | Who is an inspiring person? Who inspires me? | What can stories teach us about life? An experiential approach. | What can we learn about what is special for Muslims? | Can we find the meaning of symbols? |
| **Computing** | History- 4 weeks  Unit 2.8  Presenting ideas-check  Creating a fact file about Neil Armstrong  Science-4 weeks  2 Calculate  Unit 2.3 Spreadsheets  Bar Chart-heart rate experiment  Online safety-2 weeks  Unit 2.2 | Geography- 3 weeks  Unit 2.5  2Browser  Effective searching  Art-5 weeks  2PaintAPicture  Unit 2.6 Creating Pictures | Science-5 weeks  Unit 2.6  2PaintAPicture/2Publish Creating pictures  Music-3 weeks  Unit 2.7  2Sequence | Science-5 weeks  Unit 2.4  2Questions  Binary trees asking questions about where animals live | History- 3 weeks  Unit 2.5  Browser  Effective searching | Coding- 5 weeks  2Code |
| **PE** | Fundamental movement, Speed, Agility and Quickness (SAQ), or Kimbles  Sending and receiving | Dance  Sending and receiving | Dance and gymnastics  New Age Kurling | Gymnastics  Outdoor Education | Athletics  Striking and fieldling | Athletics, swimming  Racket skills |
| **French** |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| **Core Text** | Cross curricular with English- Significant people- Rosa Parks (Newspaper report Purple Mash) (Non chronological report/fact file)  Beatrix Potter  Lila and the secret of rain – 2 weeks | Anthony Browne  In the forest  Voices in the tunnel  Into the forest | *The Paper Bag Princess* by Robert Munsch  Shakespeare  Little Red Riding Hood | Non chronological report London  Toby’s diary of Great Fire of London | The storm whale | Bear and the piano  Tear thief |
| **PSHE Link** |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| **English**  **Per term – 2 genres +**  **flying high** | Narrative-Books by well-known authors  Classic Tales: from a range of cultures | Books by well-known authors-Significant authors  Instructions of how to make Christmas crafts | Shakespeare  ?Tradition tales from a variety of cultures | Narrative- Stories involving fantasy  Diaries and newspaper report | Narrative  Instructions in a letter | Imaginary texts- Letter |
| **Shared Read** | Frog book | Where the animals come from? |  |  | Started on short chapter books  Emperors new clothes |  |
| **Maths** | Number: Place Value  Number: Addition and subtraction  Number: Fractions | Number: Addition and subtraction  Measurement: Money  Multiplication  Number: Fractions | Number: Multiplication and Division  Number: Place Value recap  Number: Addition and subtraction recap  Temperature  Measurement: Time  Measurement: Money recap  Geometry: Properties of shapes | Measurement: Length and Height  Number: Fractions recap  Number: Multiplication recap  Number: Division recap  Geometry: Properties of shapes | Geometry Position and Direction  Geometry Properties of shapes recap  Measurement: Mass and capacity | Look at gaps from Spring and Summer 1 |