



CURRICULUM OVERVIEW: Year 1

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Topic Title	All Around Me	Into the Night	Island Homes	Out of Africa	Gardeners World	Seaside Rescue
English	Labels, Lists and Captions Traditional tales Poems for learning by heart Poster	Fantasy stories Traditional tales	Stories by the same author	Stories from other cultures Instructions Recount of familiar events	Traditional tales Non-chronological report Stories with repetitive patterns	Poems on a theme Instructions
Mathematics	Counting and sequences Mental addition Money Time Length Patterns Addition and subtraction Problem solving	Place value More and less Halves and quarters of shapes 2D shape Sorting in lists and tables Addition and subtraction Counting Problem solving	Counting and sequences Addition Money Weight Time Doubles and halves Problem solving	Counting Place value Length Subtraction Capacity Addition and subtraction Data Money Problem solving	Counting Place value Fractions Addition and subtraction Time 3D shape Multiplication and division Problem solving	Counting Addition and subtraction Money Time Position and direction Multiplication and division Problem solving
Science		Light and Dark	Materials			Floating and sinking
Geography & History	Observe weather and keep a daily weather forecast. Autumn walk in school grounds Need for warmer clothes. Road safety Styles of houses in locality Timeline of life Family tree – use present Queen’s as an example Route to school Mapwork Likes and dislikes of local area	Gunpowder plot	Coll - natural and manmade features Similarities and differences between different localities United Kingdom and its countries Map symbols Compass points	Life in different countries Water and its uses Compare rural and city life	Christopher Columbus and seed germination - sugar	History of lighthouses Famous person - Grace Darling RNLI Harbours Seaside holidays in the past
Art & Design / Design Technology	Collage of self Printing using different body parts Famous artist – Keith Haring Sculpture – clay person Drawing – self and peer portraits Famous artist – Picasso Draw pictures of trees focusing on colours of leaves. Make a collage of a tree using materials collected from outside visit. Rubbings of bark and leaves. Still life drawings of fruits and vegetables Mixing Autumn colours Make a rain stick using tin foil. Discuss whether fruits/vegetables are healthy. Five a day.	Shades of colours Painting Owl collages Sculpture – clay owls Lever and pivot mechanism - owls	Weaving Design own island Sea collage pictures	Develop painting techniques using colour Use adinkra blocks to create patterns Print using adinkra blocks and corn cobs Tie dying (if paints are in school) Understand where certain fruits come from Make a fruit salad	Famous artist – Van Gogh Design and make own flower, butterfly and minibreast Paper windmills for role play area Bubble wrap flowers	Design and make a lighthouse sandwich Sand paintings Marbling pictures Design and make own puppet Clay fish Bubble pictures
Computing	Pictograms and data handling Create own Picasso picture using the	Using the internet to find things out – research light sources, relationship	Programming – beebots to move around Coll	Using the internet to find things out – life in rural villages, cities, charities	Using the internet to find things out – research minibeasts and butterflies	Send an email to lifeboat station Sounds of the seaside – interactive

	internet Design own Autumn picture Faces Draw and label body	of sun and earth		that work in Africa Save photos of savannah animals and add captions Use paint to draw own African animal	Create a sequence of images of minibeast to form a short animation	program
Music	Read Funny Bones – discuss what noises skeletons may make – use instruments to create “skeleton sounds”. Make loud and quiet sounds. Listening to and singing ‘This Old Man’ and ‘Dem Bones’ Represent ideas using notation Create music to simulate different types of weather.	Nativity rehearsals	Exploring pulse and rhythm Singing Play tuned and untuned percussion instruments	Using voices expressively by speaking chants and rhymes Play tuned and untuned percussion instruments African music Create own piece of African music	Exploring duration of sounds	Singing - sea shanties Seaside songs Create own wave music
PE	Games Gymnastics – floor work Dance	Games Gymnastics – floor work Dance	Games Gymnastics – small apparatus Dance	Games Gymnastics – small apparatus Dance	Games Gymnastics – Large apparatus Dance	Games Gymnastics – large apparatus Dance
RE	Judaism	Nativity		Stories about God	Hinduism	
PSHE	Class charter Building healthy bodies Feelings How our food is harvested ppt. Personal safety in the darker nights	Building healthy relationships	Building healthy environments	Building healthy communities	Importance of recycling	Building a healthy future Changes
Enrichments				Trip to Blackpool Zoo	Trip to Towneley Park and Hall Forest School Afternoon once a week	Trip to a lifeboat station