



Year 2 Curriculum Overview

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Trips	Kirkstall Abbey	Bronte Parsonage Museum	Catherine Conyard Visit		Abbey House Museum	
Writing	To entertain: Stories with familiar settings (Not Now, Bernard By David McKee) To inform: Instructions (The Children's Step-by-Step Cookbook by Angela Wilkes)	To entertain: Traditional Tales & Fables (The Frog and Scorpion, Ant and Grasshopper) To entertain: Poetry: Limericks (The Owl and the Pussy cat by Edward Lear)	To entertain: Fantasy stories (The Dragon Machine by Helen Ward and Wayne Anderson) To inform: Information texts (Follow the Moon Home by Philippe Cousteau and Deborah Hopkinson)	To entertain: Stories about the wild (The Fox by Margaret Wild) To inform: Diaries and Recounts (Diary of a Wombat by Jackie French)	To entertain: Quest Stories (Lost and Found by Oliver Jeffers) To entertain: Poetry: Happy List Poems (What is Pink? By Christina Rossetti)	To persuade: Bed Time Arguments, Adverts and Letters (Bed Time by Eleanor Farjeon) To inform: Information texts- Dinosaurs (The First Dinosaur Encyclopaedia by DK)
SPAG	• Revision of Year 1: Capital letters, full stops, question marks and exclamation marks to demarcate sentences. • Expanded Noun phrases (Stories with Familiar Settings SPAG unit) • Types of Sentences (Instructions SPAG unit)	• Conjunctions for coordination and subordination (Traditional Tales and Fables SPAG unit) • Past and Present Tense	• Expanded Noun Phrases (Fantasy Stories SPAG unit) • Commas in Lists	• Conjunctions for coordination and subordination (Stories about the Wild SPAG unit) • Past and Present tense (Diaries and recounts SPAG unit)	• Types of Sentences (Quest Stories SPAG unit) • Apostrophes for Possession	• Conjunctions for coordination and subordination • Commas in lists

	Terminology for pupils: verb, tense, (past, present) adjective, noun, suffix, apostrophe, comma					
Assessment focus	Coherent narrative	Past and present tense			Real events	
Phonics Phase	Level 6	Level 6	Level 6	Level 6	Level 6	Revision
Love to Read Fiction Non-Fiction Poetry	Fluency in 5	Fluency in 5	- Winnie the Pooh by A.A. Milne - Meesha Makes Friends by Tom Percival	- Tidy by Emily Gravett - The Last Tree by Emily Haworth - Blue Heart by Nicola Davies - Grandad's Camper by Harry Woodgate	- Break Time Bunnies by Becca Moor - The Worst Witch by Jill Murphy - The Small Things by Lisa Thompson - Gordon Wins it all by Alex Latimer - Dave Pigeon by Swapna Haddow - Call the Puffins by Cath Howe	- Boundless Sky by Amanda Addison - The Last Garden by Rachel Ip - Do you love bugs? By Matt Robertson
Maths (times tables done weekly for the 2,3,5 and 10 times tables from Multiplication topic)	- Place value - Addition and subtraction	- Additions and subtraction - Multiplication and Division	- Multiplication and division - Fractions	- Fractions - Time	- Shape - Length and Height - Money	- Mass, Capacity and Temperature - Statistics - Position and Direction
RE	What is the good news Christians believe Jesus brings? (Part 1) (Gospel)	What is the good news Christians believe Jesus brings? (Part 2) (Gospel)	Who is Muslim and how do they live? (Part 1) (Islam)	Why does Eater matter to Christians? (Salvation)	Who is a Muslim and how do they live? (Part 2) (Islam)	What makes some places special to believers? (Thematic)
Games & PE	FSS	FMS / SSS	SSS / FSS	FSS	FMS / SSS	FSS

	Multi- Skills (Invasion Games)	Fundamentals	Gymnastics	Multi-Skills (Net & Wall)	Dance	Multi-Skills (Striking & Fielding)
	Fundamentals	Dance	Ball Skills	Sending & Receiving	Team Building	Target Games
Computing	What is a computer?	Algorithms and debugging	International Space Station	Scratch Jr	Online safety	Revisit of key skills
Science	Animals including humans	Awe and Wonder	Everyday materials and their uses	Scientific enquiry	Plants	Living things and their habitats
Art	Collage: Self Portraits <i>Pablo Picasso</i>		Drawing and Painting: Oil Pastel and Watercolour <i>Paul Klee</i>			Textiles: Weaving Anni Albers and Arpita Akhanda
DT		Textiles: Hand puppet		Sliders and Levers: Fairytale inspired moving card puppet	Food: Vegetable Salad	
Geography	Our Local Environment and fieldwork			Weather		The Seaside
History		Famous Northern Folk	Nurturing Nurses		How did my parents and grandparents live?	
Music	Singing and instruments ‘hands, feet, heart’ South African	Nativity songs		Music Specialist or Performing and composing ‘I wanna play in a band’- Rock	Music Specialist	Music Specialist or Reflect, rewind, Replay Musical style: Classical

PSHCE SEAL	Being Me in my World	Celebrating Difference	Dreams and Goals	Healthy Me	Relationships	Changing Me
MFL	Salutations		In my town		Les Animeaux	