

Year 1 Long Term Curriculum Overview 2025-2026



Year 1	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
English	Vehicle Text- Old Bear- Jane	Vehicle Text- Rapunzel-	Vehicle Text-	Vehicle Text-	Vehicle Text- The	Vehicle Text- The
Liigiisii	Hissey	Bethan Woollvin	Hermelin- Mini Grey	Where the Wild	Secret of Black	Last Wolf -Mini Grey
	Writing Outcomes:	Writing Outcomes:	Writing Outcomes:	Things Are- Maurice	Rock- Joe Todd-	Writing Outcomes:
Litteracy Counts	Narrative- Finding narrative	Instructions- How to	Narrative- a	Sendak	Stanton	Immerse in
		catch a witch	detective story	Writing Outcomes:	Writing Outcomes:	narrative-a hunting
	Poet Focus: Janet and Alan		·	Immerse in a portal	Narrative- a return	story before writing
	Ahlberg	Poetry Focus: Visual	Poetry Focus: Poetry	story before writing	story	Instructions through
		Poems- Shape poems	Enjoyment- 'Out and	Information text-		recipes
	Non-fiction Links and	and calligrams	About' by Shirley	wild things	Poetry Focus: The	
	opportunities for disciplinary		Hughes (A poetry		Lost Words	Poetry Focus: Free
	reading:	Non-fiction Links and	collection)	Poetry Focus:	Specific Pages	Verse Poetry
		opportunities for		Structured/ visual		Riddles
	A Street Through Time- Anne	disciplinary reading:	Non-fiction Links	poetry- acrostics	Non-fiction Links	
	Millard and Steve Noon	Atlases	and opportunities		and opportunities	
			for disciplinary	Non-fiction Links	for disciplinary	Non-fiction Links
			reading:	and opportunities	reading:	and opportunities
			The Diversity of Life	for disciplinary		for disciplinary
			on Earth – Nicola	reading:	Little people big	reading:
			Davies		dream- Agatha	
				Professor Astro Cat's	Christy	Africa is not a
			Animals of the	Solar System		Country- Mark
			Serengeti Baby	Dominic Walliman	No Money Day-	Melnicove
			Professor		Kate Milner	
				Discover our Solar		Everything Weather
			You wouldn't like to	system Colin Stuart	Look and find, Look	National geographic
			be in The Great Fire		and Say (Science)	Little Kids first book
			of London- Jim Pipe	My First book of	by Usborne and	of weather
				planets -Bruce Betts	the National Trust	National Geographic
			Ladybird- The Great			
			Fire of London- Chris	A Year on Adam's	Look and Learn in	
			Baker	Farm- Rachael	My Garden-	
				Saunders		

			Terrible True Tales from the Tower of London-Sarah Kilby The Great Fire of London- Liz Gogerly The Great Fire of London- Emma Adams		National Geographic National Trust: Birch Trees, Bluebells and Other British Plants- Nikki Dyson	
Maths NO PROBLEM!	Number and Place Value: Numbers to 10 including bonds, Calculations: Addition, Subtraction, Geometry – Position and Direction: Positions	Basic Skills: Fluent in Five Number and Place Value: Number to 20 including bonds, Calculations: Addition, Subtraction numbers to 20	Basic Skills: Fluent in Five Geometry – Properties of Shapes: Shapes and patterns Measurement: Length and Height	Basic Skills: Fluent in Five Number and Place Value: Numbers to 40, Calculations: Addition/subtraction word problems	Basic Skills: Fluent in Five Calculations: Multiplication, Calculations: Division Fractions: Fractions Number and Place Value: Numbers to 100 Measurement: Time	Basic Skills: Fluent in Five Measurement: Money, Measurement: Volume & Capacity Measurement: Mass Geometry – Position and Direction: Space
Science	Everyday Materials Distinguish between an object and the material from which it is made. Identify and name a variety of everyday materials, including wood, plastic, glass, metal, water, and rock. Describe the simple physical properties of a variety of everyday materials. Compare and group together a variety of everyday materials on the basis of their simple physical properties.		Animals Including Humans Identify and name a variety of common animals including fish, amphibians, reptiles, birds and mammals. identify and name a variety of common animals that are carnivores, herbivores and omnivores. Describe and compare the structure of a variety of common animals (fish, amphibians, reptiles, birds and mammals, including pets).		Plants Identify and name a wild and garden pland deciduous and everg	nts, including green trees.

RE- To Know You More Clearly	Observe and describe weather ass Creation and Covenant That all that is comes from God. God is our Father. God's love and care for humanity is experienced through the beauty and order of Creation. Prayer is a way we draw closer to God.		of the body is associated of the body is associated throughout the year — erve changes across the	ody and say which part ted with each sense. visit during each of the 4 4 seasons.		Dialogue and Encounter The Church is the community of all those who belong to Christ. The cross is a symbol of Christianity. The shortest summary of the Catholic faith is the sign of the cross. Learning about their local parish community. Learning about their local parish church. Experience music, art, or religious objects that reflect
History and Geography	History- Changes within living memory. Where appropriate, these should be used to reveal aspects of change in national life.	Geography- Geographical skills and field work Local area that our school is in -Everton	History- Events beyond living memory that are significant nationally or globally	Geography- Place knowledge of a small area- non- European.	History- Significant people in their own locality Kitty Wilkinson	objects that reflect Christian communities in a place outside their local parish. Geography-Place knowledge- human and physical comparison Where in the world is the Nest?

	Did Nanna have as much fun with her toys as we do?		The Great Fire of London	Identify seasonal and daily weather patterns		Kenya
PSHE My LiFe	Feelings & Special People. Self-regulation Empathy and compassion Emotions Self-respect	Staying Safe *Safeguarding Rights and responsibilities Protecting ourselves Assessing risk Rules Anti-bullying week	Healthy Me Benefits of physical exercise Healthy diet Online safety Sun safety Mental health awareness week	All around us Benefits of physical exercise Recycling and reusing How to agree on rules Not complete	Money Matters *Safeguarding Where money comes from Role of money	Internet Safety Curriculum catch up
Journey in Love	Social and emotional Recognise signs that I am loved in my family		Physical Recognise how I am cared for and kept safe in my family			Spiritual Celebrate ways God loves and cares for us
PE Get Set 4 Education	Fundamentals	Dance	Football	Gymnastics	Athletics	Tennis
Art & DT Kapow Primary	DT Mechanisms Make a moving picture for a story book- Experimenting with sliders, pupils then plan and make three pages of a moving story book - drawing the page backgrounds, creating the moving parts and assembling it.	Art- Painting Autumnal observational painting. Moods created by colour. Looking at hot and cold colours and sorting.	DT- Structures Constructing a windmill- Designing, decorating and building a windmill, developing an understanding of different types of windmill, how they work and their key features. Looking at examples of	Art-Sculpture 3D Milk Bottle Sculptures	DT- Cooking and Nutrition Design and make a smoothie- Handling and exploring fruits and vegetables and learning how to identify a fruit. Undertaking taste tests to identify ingredients for a smoothie they	Art- Drawing Self Portraits Exploring different media e.g., charcoal, pencil, pastels etc.

			windmills and exploring the functions that they carry out.		make, and designing and creating packaging for their smoothie.	
Computing	Information Technology (IT) BASIC COMPUTER SKILLS Log in Shut down Passwords Keyboard /mouse skills Digital Literacy: Why do we have passwords?	Digital Literacy (DL) PRODUCING DIGITAL MEDIA How to process & format words How to process text How to add digital images.	Computer Science (CS) UNPLUGGED ALGORITHMS Learn what an algorithm is. Applied to unplugged activities	Computer Science (CS) PROGRAMMING ROBOTS Program device such as a Beebot Compare programming on screen Building on knowledge from Autumn 1 algorithms	Information Technology (IT) DATA HANDLING Transfer of data into software Comparison between handmade and digital pictogram.	Digital Literacy (DL) PRESENTING INFORMATION Pupils consider how to present cross curricular info digitally Compare with paper presentations Digital Literacy: Pupils to discuss how they know if a website is right for them or not.
Music	Children will be encouraged to develop their singing voices, exploring dynamics of loud and quiet. This half term we will focus on developing singing, moving to the beat and composing with rhythms via body percussion.	Listen and appraise – 'Aquarium' from The carnival of the animals by Camille Saint-Saëns.	Children will be continuing to develop their singing voice, as well as become aware of changing tempo, with a focus on developing their understanding of pitch.	Listen and appraise 'Dawn' from Benjamin Britten's Sea interludes.	Children will be encouraged to sing pentatonic songs, along with play and composing using tuned percussion.	Listen and appraise Anna Meredith's, Nautilus

MFL	Self, family and friends	School life	The world around	Animals and home	Leisure	Summer
(Non-	Name, feelings, where you live	Name, feelings, where	us	environment	Name, feelings,	Name, feelings,
•	Body and f	you live	Name, feelings,	Name, feelings,	where you live	where you live
statutory)	ace parts	Names of school snacks	where you live	where you live	People who help	Sea creatures
	Head/shoulders song	Colours (x10)	Names of modes of	Farm	us	Colours (x10)
	All the	Christmas Carols	transport	animals/animal	Colours (x10)	Numbers 1-20
	colours/El Monstruo verde story	Number: 1-20 recall	Colours (x10)	sounds	Numbers 1-20	
	Number: 1- 20		Number: 1-20 recall	La Vaca Lola song	recall	
				Colours (x10)		
				Number: 1-20 recall		