

Year 1 Curriculum Plan 2026-27

Autumn Term		Spring Term		Summer Term	
1 st Half Term	2 nd Half Term	1 st Half Term	2 nd Half Term	1 st Half Term	2 nd Half Term
Home Sweet Home	Grandparents	Travel & transport	People Who Help Us	Adventurers	Zambia
<u>English</u> The Worrysaurus – Rachel Bright Who Lives Here? - Julia Donaldson Jack and the Beanstalk – Traditional Tale Fiction: Labelling and caption writing Retelling a story Non-fiction: Instructions (giant's soup)	<u>English</u> Dadaji's Paintbrush – Rashmi Sirdeshpande Grandad's Island – Benji Davies Fiction: Caption writing Retelling a story Poetry: Class poem Drama: Perform the poem (to Grandparents)	<u>English</u> Whatever Next – Jill Murphy Naughty Bus – Jan and Jerry Oke Fiction: Caption writing Adapting a story	<u>English</u> People Need People – Benjamin Zephaniaj Poetry: People who help us poem Non-fiction: Letter to a nurse	<u>English</u> My Heart is a Compass – Deborah Marcero The Great Explorer – Chris Judge Non-fiction: Instructions (how to build a den) Letter (recount)	<u>English</u> Anansi and the Golden Pot – Taiye Selasi One Day on our Blue Planet – Ella B ailey Nonfiction: Diary entry Poetry: Animal poems
<u>Mathematics</u> Number, place value, (within 10) Number and addition subtraction within 10.	<u>Mathematics</u> Number and addition subtraction within 10. Geometry shape Number place value within 20	<u>Mathematics</u> Number and addition subtraction within 20. Number place value within 50 (multiples of 2s, 5s and 10s)	<u>Mathematics</u> Number place value within 50 (multiples of 2s, 5s and 10s) Measurement, length and height Measurement, weight and volume	<u>Mathematics</u> Number, multiplication and division (reinforce multiples of 2s, 5s and 10s) Number fractions Geometry, position and direction	<u>Mathematics</u> Number place value (within 100) Measurement money & time
<u>History</u>	<u>History</u> What was life like when our grandparents were children?	<u>History</u> What was the significance of space travel?	<u>History</u> How did Florence Nightingale and Mary Seacole change the nursing profession?	<u>History</u>	<u>History</u>
<u>Geography</u> Home Sweet Home How can we improve the local area I live in?	<u>Geography</u> Home Sweet Home How can we improve the local area I live in?	<u>Geography</u>	<u>Geography</u>	<u>Geography</u> Zambia What is it like to live in	<u>Geography</u> Zambia What is it like to live in

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Science Naming and Describing Materials/Properties of materials	Science Human body and Senses	Science	Science Animals (Vertebrates)	Science Identifying plants and their parts	Science African animals
Seasons					
Art Home How can 'trash' be turned into art?	Art Making Christmas cards and advent calendars	Art	Art Celebrating Differences How do artist represent skin tone?	Art	Art Tinga How is pattern represented in African art?
DT	DT	DT Building structures (floating and sinking) Purpose: Can you create a ship that will float and carry the naughty bus?	DT	DT 3D Structure (external) Purpose: Can you build a waterproof that 6 people can fit in?	DT Food technology Purpose: Can you harvest rhubarb and make a healthy breakfast bowl with it?
Computing Computing systems and networks – Technology around us	Computing Creating media – Digital painting	Computing Programming A – Moving a robot	Computing Data and information – Grouping data	Computing Creating media – Digital writing	Computing Programming B – Programming animations
R.E What do Christians believe about God?	R.E What gifts might Christians give in Alwoodley?	R.E Who is God to Jews?	R.E Is Shabbat important to Jewish children?	R.E What might Sanatanis learn from the story of Rama and Sita and the celebrations of Diwali?	R.E Why do Sanatanis use symbols?
PHSE Being Me in My World	PHSE Celebrating Differences	PHSE Dreams and Goals	PHSE Healthy Me	PHSE Relationships	PHSE Changing Me
Music Menu Song	Music Colonel Hathi's March Magical Musical Aquarium	Music Football	Music 'Dawn' from Sea Interludes Musical Conversations	Music Dancing and Drawing to Nautilus Cat and Mouse	Music Come Dance with Me
PE Fundamentals Ball skills	PE Gymnastics Sending and Receiving	PE Target games Team building	PE Dance Throw, Prepare, Catch	PE Yoga Target. Control, Combine	PE Run, Jump, Throw Fitness
Visits/ Trip/ Special days	Visits/ Trips/ Special days	Visits/ Trips/ Special days	Visits/ Trips/ Special days	Visits/ Trips/ Special days	Visits/ Trips/ Special days

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Geography local walk	Theatre trip – Panto Christmas Production Grandparents in for interviews	Local library visit	World Book Day Phonics Screening Check information session	DT Day - Den building	Yorkshire Wildlife Park visit
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