Year 2 Long Term Plan 2025 – 2026

Year group: Two	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
High Peformance Learning VAAs (Values, attitudes and attributes)	Learn Dynamic (enquiring) Enterprising and creativity Open-minded Fearless (risk- taking)	Achieve Achieve Perseverance Resilience Aspirations (+practice)	Respect Collaborative Helpful (concern for society) Listening (+confident)	Learn Dynamic (enquiring) Enterprising and creativity Open-minded Fearless (risk-taking)	Achieve Achieve Perseverance Resilience Aspirations (+practice)	Respect Collaborative Helpful (concern for society) Listening (+confident)
High Performance Leaning ACPs (Advanced cognitive performance characteristics)	Thinking skills to solve a problem Describing the thinking skills Recognising that errors are part of learning Consider what worked well and what did not Suggest goals for improvement	Recognise simple patterns or similarities Use patterns and connections to make simple predictions Make simple and obvious connections Recognise big ideas and use them to make sense of things Conduct processes in the head, without concrete resources	Ask simple questions Ask relevant questions Select information from sources to develop understanding Use information to explore ideas Use of symbols, vocabulary and language with some errors Use a given	Understand rules in different domains Choose some rules to disregard or change Ask 'what if?' Brainstorm ideas for simple problems Consider the evidence and be willing to abandon an idea based on this Generate multiple solutions and ideas	Realising Recall key facts, concepts and ideas Recall more complex key facts, concepts and ideas with independence Develop skills with increasing accuracy Show some fluency in age-related tasks Begin to work to the speed of task	Review of Metathinking, Linking, Analysing, Creating and Realising.

	Different approaches to solve a problem Justify appropriate strategies Communicate views based on experiences Begin to explain my views using examples and reasons	 Find solutions to problems Create solutions in the mind Recognise different perspectives Begin to distinguish between facts, beliefs and opinions 	approach to solve problems, ideas or tasks Understand that complex tasks can be broken down	Create variations to accepted ideas Create new ideas by building on existing ideas		
Maths	Place Value (4 weeks) Length and height (2 weeks)	Addition (2 weeks) Subtraction (2 weeks) Inverse operations (1 week) Statistics – embed place value, addition and subtraction skills in this (2 weeks)	Multiplication – include counting in money (2ps etc) and time intervals (5 minutes) (3 weeks) Division (2 weeks and 4 days)	Fractions Y1/2 (4 weeks) Money (3 weeks)	Time Y1/2 (3 weeks) Volume (1 week and 4 days)	Consolidation of: Place value Addition Subtraction Multiplication Division Fractions
Poetry	Zebra Questions	The Owl and the Pussycat by Edward Lear	From a Railway Carriage by Robert Louis Stevenson	Night Sounds by Berliue Doherty THE SEED THAT GREW THE TREE	Father and I in the Woods by David McCord McCord Pathogy to Protey Father and I to the Woods As the above the Association and a second and a seco	Fox by Kathy Henderson
		Outcome: Narrative poem, experimenting with words and patterns	Outcome: Rhyming Bird's Eye-view poem	Outcome: Senses poem	Outcome: Shape poems	Outcome: Descriptive poem

	Troll Swap by Leigh Hodgkinson	The Owl who was afraid of the dark by Jill Tomlinson	Man on the Moon by Simon Bartram	The Disgusting Sandwich by Gareth Edwards	The Last Wolf by Mini Grey	Grandad's Secret Giant by David Litchfield
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text		Norbert by Joanne Boyle				
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	Revisit outcome: to	Revisit outcome: to write a	Revisit outcome: to	Revisit outcome: to write	Revisit outcome: to	Revisit outcome: to write
Outcome	write_instructions on how to be a good troll	letter giving advice to Plop	write a non-fiction information text about space/the moon	instructions for making a sandwich	create a warning sign (setting description)	a letter in the role of child/giant/Grandad
linked to driver text	Writing outcome: To write an adventure narrative (character- driven retell)	Writing outcome: to write a non-fiction information text about owls	Writing outcome: To write an adventure narrative	Writing outcome: to write a narrative changing key details	Writing outcome: to write a letter in the role	Writing outcome: to write a narrative with moral focus
Text to celebrate diversity and inclusion	Is being resilient always easy? Be more Bernard by Simon Philip and Kate Hindley	What makes a family? And Tango Makes Three by Justin Richardson	Does what other people think about our hopes and dreams matter? Look Up! by Nathan Bryon	Why is it important to love yourself? Eyes That Kiss in the Corners by Joanna Ho	What can hope look like? The Garden of Hope by Isabel Otter and Katie Rewse	Is it always easy to make the right choice? The Magic Paintbrush by Julia Donaldson
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	Writing Outcome: to write a letter in reply to an agony-aunt style question	Writing Outcome: to write instructions	Writing Outcome: to produce an advert/flyer to persuade people to come to the moon	Writing Outcome: a poem in the style of the author (what you love about yourself)	Writing Outcome: to write a section of narrative with focus on setting description	Writing Outcome: to write letter to advise Shen – linked to conscience alley
	Trolls Go Home by Alan McDonald	Above and Below by Patricia Hegarty	The Dragonsitter disasters by Josh Lacy	Owen and the Soldier by Lisa Thompson	Fantastic Mr Fox by Roald Dahl	Grimm's Fairytales Usborne books
Pathways to Read	TROLLS	BELOW.	JOSE LACES Best and Gray fault	OWEN CONTROL	Dahle Fastactic (II) FX	Illustrated Grimm's Fairy Tales
Class Author Study	Julia Donaldson	Mini Grey	Emily Gravett	Raymond Briggs	Roald Dahl	Jeanne Wilis

	How do all living	What is a life cycle?	What do plants need to		
	things work together?		grow?		
	11 11 11	I know that animals,			
	I know the difference	including humans, have	I know the functions of		
	between things that are living, dead and things	offspring.	different parts of flowering		
	that have never been	I know that offspring grow	plants: roots, stem/trunk,		
	alive.	into adults.	leaves and flowers		
			I know the requirements of		
	I know how to compare	I know the basic stages in	plants for life and growth		
	the differences between	a life cycle for animals,	(air, light, water, nutrients		
	things that are living,	including humans e.g., egg, chick, chicken; spawn,	from soil, and room to		
	dead and things that have never been alive.	tadpole, frog; baby, toddler,	grow) and how they vary		
	nave never been alive.	child, teenager, adult.	from plant to plant		
	I know that most living				
	things live in habitats to	I know the basic needs of	I can investigate the way in		
	which they are suited.	animals, including humans,	which water is transported		
Science	11	for survival (water, food	within plants		
Science	I know how different habitats provide for the	and air).	I can explore the part that		
	basic needs of different	I understand the	flowers play in the life		
	kinds of animals and	importance for humans of	cycle of flowering plants,		
	plants.	exercise.	including pollination, seed		
			formation and seed		
	I know that animals and	I understand the importance for humans to	dispersal.		
	plants within different habitats can depend on	eat the right amounts of			
	each other.	different types of food.			
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	I know a variety of	I understand the			
	plants in a habitat,	importance for humans to			
	including	have good hygiene.			
	microhabitats.				
	I know a variety of				
	animals in a habitat,				
	including				
	microhabitats.				

	I know that animals obtain their food from plants and other animals. I know what a simple food chain is. I know some different sources of food.					
History	Describe what life was I World War 1. Explain how different perhelped during the war. Understand why Walter Understand why we use for Remembrance Day.	like for people during eople and animals r Tull e poppies as a symbol	 between London no Use a timeline to se years. Identify the causes a from the Great Fire 	larities and differences w and in the past. quence events beyond 100 and consequences of events of London. diary to find information	 Use sources to g Draw conclusion the evidence av Describe why significant individence compare the ch 	gather information. s or interpretations based on ailable. William Smithies was a dual and his achievements. anges in transport from the Smithies' travels to modern
Geography	What makes up our World? Name and locate seven continents and five oceans Identify main features of each continent Compare and contrast continents		What is it like to live by the coast? Name and locate seas and oceans surrounding the UK Define what a coast is and locate coasts in the UK Identify physical and human features of the UK Use four compass points to describe a location		 Locate North an Investigate weat Recognise feature and locate on a 	and differences between the
Art and Design	spirals using different drawing tools? Draw in a controlled way using correct	age: can we use layers of ures for effect in aging? Select which texture would be best for layering Add layers of textures in collaging Describe textures Explain the effect of layering in art	Creative Response Drawing and collage (PAN Art): Create controlled spiral drawings using different gradients of pencil Use layers for effect, selecting appropriate textures to create a winter scene with spiral branches	Painting: How can we develop an understanding of tint and shade when painting? • Experience painting with smaller paint brushes to develop further control • Explore colour mixing and create brown paint by mixing • Create tints with paint by adding	Digital Art/Photography: How can photographs be used in art? • Use images to and combine with other artwork • Use IT to create art	Creative Response Painting and Digital Art/Photography: Create artwork which combines painting with digital art/photography Use a variety of colour mixing to overlap images uses from IT devices

Design Technology	 Experiment with which are the sti Experiment with strength and stif 	an I build for Tabitha? structures to determine rongest or most stable materials to manipulate fness nd evaluate a structure		white and shade by adding black Create a painting piece in the style of an artist r the man on the moon and it move?		y healthy fruit smoothie to ealthy for Sports Day?
	How do styles of music differ? A look into South African Music.	How is music used to celebrate in festivals and at Christmas?	How can we work collaboratively to play in a band? What comprises a band?	How do styles of music differ? A look into Reggae music.	How do songs portray meaning?	How has music developed overtime? Consolidate our learning
	Hands, Feet, Heart	Но Но Но	I Wanna Play In A Band	Zootime	Friendship Song	from the year. Take a look at the history of music.
Music	Style: South African Music	Style: Christmas, Big Band, Motown	Style: Rock	Style: Reggae	Learning to sing songs about being a good friend.	Learn some of the language of music.
Listening	Classical	Music for Film	Classical	Music Through the Ages	Music Through the Ages	Music from Other Cultures
Whole School	Gustav Holst 'The Planets'	Collection of Works by John Williams	Collection of Works by Mozart, Beethoven and Bach	Live and Recorded Music from 1950s – 1980s.	Live and Recorded Music from 1990s – Present Day.	Listening to traditional music of tribes and cultures across the globe.
Computing	Information Technology: How is technology used in the world around us? Identity examples of computers		Computer Science: What is an algorithm?		Digital Literacy: What is stop-motion?	
	Why is it important to work collaboratively when playing football?	How do I form simple sequences?	How do I score points in handball?	How do I run faster?	How do I move with expression?	How do I send a ball with control and accuracy?
Physical Education	 I can participate in team games. I can pass a ball with control. 	 I can demonstrate quality of movement when standing and stepping. I can explore small point balances. 	I can decide when and where to run, showing good awareness of others. I can control the ball when	I can explore and practice a variety of athletic movements and apply athletic skills and techniques to a variety of activities.	I can perform a range of actions and simple movement patterns with control and coordination.	I can explore different ways of moving, changing speed and direction fluently.

- I can show control when movement, changing speed and direction both with and without a ball.
- I can perform a variety of skills keeping the ball under control.

Fundamental Movement

- Skill 8: I can throw a tennis ball and catch the rebound after one bounce with the other hand.
- Skill 8: I can throw a tennis ball and catch the rebound with the other hand without a bounce
- Skill 12: I can react and catch a tennis ball dropped from shoulder height from 1 bounce.

- I can develop balance and coordination.
- I can remember and repeat a range of gymnastic actions with control and precision.

Fundamental Movement

- Skill 1: I can stand still on one leg for 30 seconds.
- Skill 1: I can complete five mini squats.
- Skill 10: I can skip with knee and opposite elbow at 90 angle with balance and control.
- hopscotch forwards and backwards, hopping on the same leg with balance and control.

Skill 10: L can

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- I can throw a ball in different ways (fast, slow, high, low).
- I can catch a ball thrown by others.
- I can choose and use simple tactics.

Fundamental Movement

- Skill 11: I can start in seated / lying position, throw a ball, chase and collect it in balances position facing the opposite direction.
- Skill 11: I can start in seated / lying position, chase a bouncing ball fed by a partner and collect it in balanced position facing the opposite direction.
- Skill 6: I can stand on a line and jump from 2 feet to 1 foot and freeze on landing.

- I can develop coordination and balance whilst exploring different running, jumping, and throwing techniques.
- I can begin to show control, coordination, and consistency when running at speed.
- I can develop a range of jumping techniques.
- I can develop the underarm and pull throw technique.

Fundamental Movement

- Skill 2: I can pick up a cone from one side, swap hands and place it on the other side. I can return the cone to the opposite side.
- Skill 5: I can walk fluidly, lifting knees to 90°.
- Skill 5: I can walk fluidly, lifting heels to bottom.

- I can compose short dances that express and communicate mood, ideas, and feelings, varying simple compositional ideas
- I can explore, remember, and repeat short dance phrases, showing greater control and spatial awareness.
- I can work individually and with others.

Fundamental Movement

- Skill 3: I can hold mini-back support position.
- Skill 3: I can place a cone on tummy and take it off with other hand in miniback support.
- Skill 7: I can hold on and, with a long base, lean back, hold our balance and move back together again.
- Skill 7: I can hold on with 1 hand and, with a long base, lean back, hold our balance and move back together again.

- I can explore different ways of moving a golf ball, and/other size ball.
- I can push/ roll and putt a ball towards a target with control
- I can use skills learnt to participate and compete in rolling and putting games.
- I can develop technique when using the golf putter, becoming increasingly accurate.

Fundamental Movement

- Skill 4: I can stand on low beam with good stance for 10 seconds.
- Skill 9: I can sit and roll a ball up and down legs and around upper body using 1 hand.
- Skill 9 I can stand and roll a ball up and down legs and around upper body using 1 hand.

	Christianity (God)	Christianity (Jesus)	Hindu dharma	Islam	Christianity (Church)	Judaism
Religious Education	Does how we treat the world matter?	Why do Christians say that Jesus is the 'Light of the World'?	How might people express their devotion?	Why do Muslims believe it is important to obey God?	What unites the Christian community?	What aspects of life really matter?
PHSCE	How can different relationships impact me? • Explain that families offer love and support and that different families may be made up of different people. • Understand what friends may be thinking and feeling in different situations. • Explain who is in my family and how they care for me. • Show respect to people who have different families to me. • Be a good friend. • Describe my aspirations, regardless of my gender.	Understand that food and drinks with lots of sugar are bad for our teeth. The importance of exercise to stay healthy. Explain the balance of foods we need to keep healthy. Describe some breathing techniques that can be a useful strategy to relax. Understand that a growth mindset means being positive about challenges and finding ways to overcome them.	What are my boundaries and how can they keep me safe? Identify when secrets and surprises are appropriate. Describe who my trusted adults are and that I should speak to them if I am ever worried or feel uncomfortable about another adult. Understand that I can give permission and take it away when I choose. Describe ways to keep safe on and near roads. Understand how to stay safe with medicines.	 When do rules need to change? Recognise that different rules apply in different situations. Explain what makes a good school environment. Recognise that everyone in school has a responsibility to maintain the school environment. Identify some jobs that people do to keep the local area pleasant. Recognise some local job roles that help the community. Recognise similarities and difference between people in the local community. Explain that differences should be respected. Explain how the school council works. 	To equip participating children with effective skills to keep themselves safe from various forms of child abuse, without shattering their innocence.	Do we always need what we want? Explain some ways adults get money. Discuss the role of bank account cards. Recognise wants and needs. Recognise the difference between a want and a need. Identify their skills and talents. Identify ways to develop their skills and talents. Explain why treating people equally and inclusively is important.

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