

# Year Two

### Autumn Term

In **RE**, we will learn about why the Bible is such a special book for Christians. Later in the term, we will focus on why the birth of Jesus was such Good News.



As **mathematicians**, we will be learning about the place value of two digit numbers. We will also be learning strategies for addition, subtraction, multiplication and division. We will apply these strategies to a range of problems.

As **readers** and **writers** we will be analysing the features of narrative, non-narrative and poetry texts. We will be writing our own stories, diaries and letters. We will continue with our daily Phonics and Reading lessons.



As **geographers**, we will learn all about oceans, seas and rivers across the world.

As **scientists**, we will be learning about lifecycles and the basic needs of animals. We will also be focusing on how we can keep ourselves healthy and safe.

As **artists**, we will be focusing on the landscape work of Pam Carter. We will use drawing, painting and IT skills to produce our own landscapes.

As **historians**, we will be learning about the lives of significant explorers. We will focus on famous, historical journeys to space and around the world.



As **musicians**, we will be learning how to use our voices to rehearse and perform with others. We will practise how to keep to a steady pulse.

In **PE**, we will be continuing to work on our ball skills of passing and catching. We will also be developing tactics in ball games. In dance, we will learn how to perform a short sequence.

In **Computing**, we will learn about different uses of information technology. We will learn how to use a digital device to take photographs.

In **DT,** our learning will focus around designing, making and evaluating healthy recipes.



In **PSHE**, we will be learning about our rights and responsibilities. We will also learn about accepting differences and knowing we are all unique.



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### Spring Term

In RE, we will learn about Jesus' life, miracles and how he welcomed everyone. Later on in the term, we will look at why Easter is so important for Christians.

As mathematicians, we will continue learning about place value and 🛂 strategies for addition, subtraction, multiplication and division. We will also begin to look at finding fractions of amounts.



As readers and writers we will be analysing the features of new narrative, nonnarrative and poetry texts. We will be writing our own stories, instructions and information texts. We will continue with our daily Phonics and Reading lessons.

As **geographers**, we will learn all about the geography of our local area including landmarks, tourist attractions and play areas.



As scientists, we will be learning about what plants need to be able to live and grow. We will also be finding out how animals are suited to certain habitats.

As artists, we will be focusing on the work of UK artist Darrell Wakelam. We will use clay to create our own plant pots.

As **historians**, we will be researching the history of our local area. We will compare and contrast local buildings, landmarks and attractions.

As musicians, we will be learning how to use a variety of tuned and untuned instruments. We will also be experimenting with using our voices expressively.



In PE, we will be continuing to work on our ball skills of passing and catching. We will also be developing tactics in ball games. In gymnastics, we will travel safely using a range of apparatus.

In **Computing**, we will use devices to create music. Later in the term, we will use our handling data skills to create pictograms.



In DT, our learning will focus around designing, making and evaluating a textile product linked to our English work. We will learn how to join textiles using a range of techniques.

In PSHE, we will be learning about cooperating and working with others. We will also be thinking about ways that we can keep our bodies healthy.



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### Summer Term

In **RE**, we will learn about different places of worship and the features inside and outside of a Church.

As **mathematicians**, we will learn about length and height, and position and direction. We will also consolidate our knowledge of number and problem solving.



As **readers** and **writers** we will be analysing the features of new narrative, non-narrative and poetry texts. We will be writing our own stories, letters and instructions texts. We will continue with our daily Phonics and Reading lessons.

As **geographers**, we will learn all about a non-European country, specifically Adelaide, Australia. Children will compare the Human and Physical Geography of Blackpool and Adelaide. They will also explore the similarities and differences of the two countries.

As **scientists**, we will be learning about materials and their properties. Children will take part in investigations and experiments whilst putting their theories to test.

As **artists**, we will be focusing on the work of UK artist David Best. We will use a range of mediums to create our interpretation of the Great Fire of London.

As **historians**, we be researching the events that lead up to the Great Fire of London and the impact this had on the city. We will also order events on a timeline and challenge our learning by asking questions to deepen our knowledge.

As musicians, we will be learning how to play the recorder.

In **PE**, we will be continuing to develop tactics in ball games, striking and fielding. We will also enjoy taking part in a range of athletics.

In Computing, we will learn how to create our own algorithm and quizzes.

In **DT**, our learning will focus around designing, making and evaluating moving product. Children will create their own vehicle using wheels and axles.

In PSHE, we will be learning about 'Relationships and Changing Me'.