

Y2 Annual Overview 2023-2024	Autumn 1 6 weeks 4 days	Autumn 2 7 weeks	Spring 1 5 weeks 2 days	Spring 2 5 weeks 2 days	Summer 1 5 weeks 4 days	Summer 2 7 weeks 3 days
Christian Value	Generosity	Compassion	Perseverance	Justice	Friendship	Respect
English	Dear Earth (2) The Secret Sky Garden (4) Setting descriptions Persuasive writing (littering) Poetry Character descriptions Writing in role	Traction Man Letters to Santa (commas in lists) Character / setting descriptions (Proper nouns) Diary entries Thank you cards / letters Story mapping Story writing	Diary of a Killer Cat & Return of the Killer Cat	Look Up Autobiography Persuasive writing Explanations Diary entry Letter writing Poetry Fact Files / biography	The Adventures of Egg Box Dragon Instructional writing (egg box dragon) Narrative writing Kennings Letter writing Story mapping and writing	The Great Fire of London (Emma Adams) Toby & the Great Fire of London The Baker's Boy and the Great Fire of London Vlad and the Great Fire of London Setting descriptions Newspaper reports Diary entries
Maths	Place Value	Addition & subtraction	Geometry (2) X & ÷ (3)	X & ÷ (2) Money (2) Measurement: Length & Height (2)	Fractions (4) Time (2)	Statistics (2) Geometry: Position & Direction (2) Measure: mass, capacity & temperature (3)
History		First Flight Wright brothers How flight changed FF - Wright brothers, gliders, the 'Flyer', source, first flight: 1903		Significant individuals Who has shaped our world? How have they impacted Britain?		The Great Fire of London What happened? Why? Prevention London after the fire FF - Samuel Pepys, Pudding Lane, 1666, eye-witness, fire break
Geography	United Kingdom Capitals Surrounding seas Mountains / coastline Cities FF - Sea, mountain, Capital, coast, pollution Experts - London, Cardiff, Belfast, Edinburgh		Hot and cold places Name & locate continents & oceans Label equator and poles Weather at equator / poles Compare two places Change/Environmental responsibilities FF - Continent, ocean, equator, poles Experts - Continents, Oceans, North Pole, South Pole, Country on equator		Comparison - Non-European Map a walk to school through our village and compare (aerial image of theirs) Create map of AK - simple symbols and key (river, shops, school, roads) Human Rights FF - North, East, South, West, key No experts	

Art	Drawing skills Art specialist 22 nd &23 rd Nov	Painting	Sculpture	Textiles	Printmaking	Painting <i>Fauvism</i>
DT	Structures: Baby Bear's Chair	Mechanisms: Making a moving monster	Food Technology	Textiles: Pouches		Mechanisms: Fairground wheel
Computing	Computing systems and networks – IT around us	Programming A – Robot algorithms	Programming B – An introduction to quizzes	Creating media- Making music	Data and information – Pictograms	Creating media- Digital photography
RE (Mrs Voss)	Christianity – Creation Who made the world?	Christianity – Christmas Why does Christmas matter to Christians?	Islam – prayer & belonging Does going to a mosque give Muslims a sense of belonging?	Christianity – Easter Why does Easter matter to Christians?	Judaism – commitment What is the best way for a Jewish child to show commitment to God?	Christianity – gospel What is the good news that Jesus brings?
PHSCE	Our Happy School <i>This unit is all about a fresh start with a new class - nurture a sense of belonging, and to establish class rules and rewards.</i>	Out & About <i>The focus is on encouraging personal responsibility and on learning to consider and help others</i>	Looking Forward <i>The focus is on responsibility and teamwork.</i>	My Friends & Family <i>This unit focuses on relationships with friends and family</i>	Healthy Bodies, Healthy Minds <i>Personal responsibility and making a difference.</i>	Ready, Steady, Go! <i>This unit of work is designed to help children cope better with everyday changes</i>
Science (Mrs Voss)	Animals' needs for survival Humans	Materials Plastic - sustainability	Plants (light & dark) Living things & their habitats	Living things & their habitats cont'd Biology (light & dark)	Plants (bulbs & seeds) Biology (growing up)	Biology (bulbs & seeds) Biology (growing up) Wildlife - sustainability
Music Charanga	Pulse, Rhythm & Pitch	Nativity production	Inventing a Musical Story	Recognising different sounds	Recorders	Recorders
PE	Mr Watson	Mr Watson	Mr Watson	Mr Watson	Mr Watson	Mr Watson
Wow Events		Pantomime				Sports week
Assembly for Parents		Nativity				