Annual overview of topics 2025/2026 (TEAM 2)

	English	Reading/Phonics –Whole Class Reading	Maths	Science	Design and technology	Computing	History	Geography	Art and design	Music	Physical education	PSHCE	RE	Class books (Read alouds)	Other
Autumn term 1 TOPIC Out and About	Stories on a theme: humorous stories (Hamilton, autumn b – y1/2) Free verse poetry (Literacy shed +, year 1 poetry)	Y1 – follow Autumn 1 phonics for year 1 Y2 – follow year 2 Autumn 1 – phase 5 recap 3 x reads per week for everyone: decoding, prosody and comprehension	Y1 – Place value to 20 Addition and subtraction within 20 Money Y2 – Place value to 100 Addition and Subtraction within 100 Money	Animals including Humans – people and pets		Technology/ Multimedia		Out and About – local area	Explore and Draw	Singing	Fundamental movement skills	Me and my relationships	God: what do Christians believe that God is like?		
Autumn Term 2 TOPIC Our School	Recounts – diary writing – a day in the life of a Victorian school child Letter writing - Christmas	Y1 – follow year 1 autumn 2 for phonics Y2 – follow year 2 autumn 2 – bridge to spelling 3 x reads per week for everyone: decoding, prosody and comprehension	Y1 – Addition and subtraction continued Place value to 50 Multiplication Y2 – Addition and subtraction continued Multiplication	Everyday Materials – exploring changes	Food and Nutrition	Understanding Networks	Our School		Exploring the World through monoprint	Pitch and dynamics	Fundamental movement skills with a ball	Valuing difference	Judaism: why is learning to do good deeds so important to Jewish people?		A day in the life of a Victorian school chid (to take place at school)
Spring Term 3 TOPIC Magnificent monarchy	Information text – Queen Elizabeth II Fiction – based on Queen Victoria's Bathing Machine	3 x reads per week for everyone: decoding, prosody and comprehension	Y1 – Division Place value to 100 Measurement: length and height Y2 – Division Statistics Measurement: length and height	Living Things in their Habitat – habitats and homes		Internet Safety	Monarchy		Stick transformation	Listening and responding to music	Gymnastics Dance	Keeping safe	Creation: who made the World?		

Spring Term 4 TOPIC Seasonal Changes	Fiction based upon A Year in Percy's Park by Nick Butterworth Poetry – poems on a theme - Seasons	3 x reads per week for everyone: decoding, prosody and comprehension	Y1 – shape Fractions Y2 – properties of shape Fractions	Seasonal Changes – weather and art	Mechanisms: sliders and levers – make an Easter card	Research/ Internet		Is it hot or cold?	Expressive painting	Creating, improvising and composing	Invasion games – football	Rights and respect	Salvation: why does Easter matter to Christians?		
Summer terms 5 TOPIC Brilliant Builders	Instructions – How to build a house/castle Fiction – story about knights and castles	3 x reads per week for everyone: decoding, prosody and comprehension	Y1 – Geometry – position and direction Time Place value recap Y2 – Geometry – position and direction Time Problem solving	Everyday Materials – Brilliant builders	Design and build a castle	Word Processing	Castles		Be an architect	Creating, improvising and composing	Striking and fielding - kickball	Being my best	Judaism: why do Jewish families say so many prayers and blessings?		Trip to a castle
Summer Term 6 Topic Where is this Ticket Taking us?	Persuasive writing – looking after our planet Narrative – based on Lila and the Secret of Rain	3 x reads per week for everyone: decoding, prosody and comprehension	Y1 – Measurement – weight and volume Four operations recap Y2 – Measurement – mass, capacity and temperature Investigations	Plants – art and nature		Programming and coding		Where is this ticket taking us? (Africa/Kenya)	Music and art	Singing	Outdoor and adventurous activities	Growing and changing	Buddhism: meta		