

Year 1/ 2 Curriculum Overview 2026 / 2027

	Autumn 1 What Is History?	Autumn 2 Where Am I?	Spring 1 How Was School Different In the Past?	Spring 2 Would You Prefer To Live In a Hot Or Cold Place?	Summer 1 What Is a Monarch?	Summer 2 What Is It Like To Live In Shanghai?
Maths	Number and Place Value Addition and Subtraction Shape	Number and Place Value Addition and Subtraction Shape	Money Multiplication and Division Measurement: Length and Height Measurement: Mass, Capacity, Temperature	Money Multiplication and Division Measurement: Length and Height Measurement: Mass, Capacity, Temperature	Fractions Time Statistics Geometry: Position and Direction	Fractions Time Statistics Geometry: Position and Direction
English	Look Up! By Nathan Bryon Outcome Recount: write a diary entry Curriculum links Celebrating Black lives	The Great Fire of London by Emma Adams Outcome Non-fiction: write a fact sheet Curriculum links History – significant events beyond living memory	Grandad's Camper by Harry Woodgate Outcome Fiction: write a story using own ideas for characters and locations Curriculum links PSHE – family diversity/ LGBTQ	My Name is Not Refugee by Kate Milner Outcome Recount: write a recount of events from character's point of view Curriculum links SMSC - Refugees	Tidy by Emily Gravett Outcome Persuasion: write a letter in role Curriculum links Geography/science – protecting the environment	Illustrated Stories from Shakespeare (The Tempest) by Rosie Dickens Outcome Fiction: retell an abridged and adapted version Curriculum links Speaking and listening focus - Shakespeare
Geography/ History	What Is History?	Where Am I?	How Was School Different In the Past?	Would You Prefer To Live In a Hot Or Cold Place?	What Is a Monarch?	What Is It Like To Live In Shanghai?
Science	Animals Including Humans	Materials/Sustainability	Plants/Living Things and Their Habitats	Living Things and Their Habitats	Plants/Animals Including Humans	Plants/Animals Including Humans/Sustainability
Art and DT	Structures: Baby Bear's chair	Craft and Design: Map it out	Mechanisms: Fairground wheel	Painting and mixed media: Colour splash	Mechanisms: Making a moving monster	Painting and mixed media: Life in colour

RE	What is God's job?	Why should we care for others?	How do we know the new babies are special?	Why is light important to people?	How and where do some people talk to God?	
PSHE Protective Behaviours – ongoing through year.	How can we look after our feelings?	How can I help others and the environment?	How do people belong to a community and earn money?	My healthy self: How can we look after our bodies?	Growing up: How can we look after and respect our bodies as we grow?	How can I make safe choices in different places?
Computing	Ongoing e-safety and digital literacy education					
	Bee-bots	Digital imagery	Introduction to data	Scratch Junior	Stop motion	International Space Station
Music	Dynamics	Sound patterns	Call and response	Musical symbols	Contrasting dynamics	Structure
PE	Gymnastics Invasion	Dance Ball Skills	Team Building Sending / Receiving	Net and Wall Target Games	Swimming Athletics	Swimming Striking / Fielding