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EYFS						
Experiences	Trip: Library Visit/ Woodland Walk / Church visit Harvest time Making vegetable soup Black History Month	Fairytale Ball Making Gingerbread Men Guy Fawkes/Bonfire night Remembrance day Nativity	Science day Lunar New Year LENT Valentines Day Internet Safety Day Chinese food tasting	Trip / Visitor World Book Day Easter hunt Mothers Day Oral hygiene visit	Trip: Moors Valley Caterpillar in class Growing plants and vegetables	Tea and Cake assembly Under the sea songs and shanties Pirate Day Transition visits Making boats (sink or float) Fossil hunting in sand pit
Main project 	Me and My Community	 Once Upon a Time (English)	 Winter Wonderland (World)	 Animal Safari (World)	 Ready Steady Grow (World)	 On the Beach (World)
Mini-project	Exploring Autumn	Sparkle and Shine	Starry Night	Signs of Spring	Creep, Crawl and Wiggle	Dangerous Dinosaurs
English writing genres	Magical Me – name writing and picture	Christmas list	Lunar New Year	Description of an animal	Moors Valley	Fact File (ocean creature)
Class Texts	Starting School The Smartest Giant We're going on a leaf hunt The Colour Monster The Colour Monster goes to School The Rainbow Fish Girrafes Can't Dance Funny Bones All are Welcome The Big Book of Families Incredible You Leaf Man Drawing Club - Traditional Tales Nursery Rhymes	The Jolly Christmas Postman The Wonky Donkey Christmas Story / Nativity Mog's Christmas Dear Santa Stick Man Tree, seasons come and seasons go What did the tree see? Drawing Club/TWS - The Gingerbread Man The Three Little Pigs Jack and the Beanstalk The Christmas Pine	The Emperors Egg Poles Apart The Magic Paintbrush Chinese New Year – other culture Owl Babies Peace at Last Day Monkey, Night Monkey Drawing Club / TWS Lost and Found Whatever Next Owl Babies The Magic Paintbrush	Elephant and the Bad Baby Diary of a wombat Pig in the Pond Monkey and Me Elmer The Ugly Five Spring Busy Spring Seasons Goodbye Winter, Hello Spring Resting and Sleeping Why I should Brush My Teeth Drawing Club/ TWS Giraffe's Can't Dance The Koala Who Could Handa's Surprise The Mixed Up Chameleon	The Tiny Seed Jack and the Jellybean Stalk The Very Hungry Caterpillar Aghh Spider! Yucky Worms Tadpole's Promise A seed in need Errol's Garden The Big Book of Bugs Errol's Garden Plant Life Cycles Drawing Club/ TWS Supertato – Veggies Assemble The Extraordinary Gardener Eat Your Greens' Goldilocks Superworm Fluttering Minibeast Adventure Oliver's	Under the Sea Non – Fiction texts The Proudest Blue The Brilliant Deep The Snail and the Whale The Singing Mermaid Julian is a Mermaid The Pirates Next Door The Whale Who Wanted It All Dinosaurs – Non fiction books Harry and the Bucketful of Dinosaurs Dear Dinosaur – TRex on Tour Cave Baby Tyrannosaurus Drip Drawing Club / TWS If Sharks Disappeared Somebody Swallowed Stanley Rainbow Fish The Night Pirates



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		The Christmas Story		The Easter Story	Vegetables	Tiddler Dear Dinosaur The Girl and the Dinosaur
RWI Phonics	Set 1 single letter sounds, word time 1.1-1.5. Sound blending books 1-5		Set 1 special friends, word time 1.5-1.7. 3 and 4 sound nonsense words. Set 1 green words including special friends. Ditty copy masters 1-10. Red books.		Set 2 sounds. Set 1 4-5 sound words. Set 1 green words speedily. Set 2 green and nonsense words (1 st 6 sounds). Green books.	
Maths 	Match, sort and compare. Talk about measure and patterns.	It's me 1,2,3. Circles and triangles. 1,2,3,4,5. Shapes with 4 sides.	Alive in 5. Mass and capacity. Growing 6,7,8	Length, Height and Time. Building 9 and 10. Explore 3D shapes.	To 20 and beyond. How many now? Manipulate, compose and decompose.	Sharing and grouping. Visualise, build and map. Make connections.
Mastering Number 	Composition of numbers within 5, compare sets of objects, language of comparison.		Composition of numbers beyond 5, identify equal and unequal sets, doubles, link quantities to numerals.		Develop range of counting strategies, secure number facts.	
 History	Covered through Main and Mini projects (Understanding the World)					
 Geog						
Understanding the World 	Weather and changes	Baking gingerbread men – process of change	Winter weather – freezing and thawing animals, how animals keep warm and dry	Comparing and contrasting animals from around the planet	Plants and lifecycles	Floating and sinking How the planet has changed and what we need to do to care for it.
 Art	Covered through Main and Mini projects (Expressive Arts and Design)					
 DT						
RE <i>Emmanuel Project</i>	Why is the word ‘God’ so important to Christians? CREATION	Why do Christians perform nativity plays at Christmas? INCARNATION (including a Muslim story)	How can we help others when they need it? SALVATION (including a Sikh story)	Why do Christians put a cross in an Easter garden? SALVATION (including a Buddhist story)	What makes every single person unique and precious? INCARNATION	How can we care for our wonderful world? CREATION
 PE	Intro to PE 1/ Fundamentals 1	Fundamentals 2/ Introduction to PE 2	Gymnastics 1/ Dance 1	Gymnastics 2/ Ball skills 1	Games 1/ Dance 2	Ball Skills 2/ Games 2
PSHE (SCARF) 	Me and My Relationships	Valuing Difference	Keeping Safe	Rights and Respect	Being my Best	Growing and Changing



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YEAR 1

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	History			History		Geography	
Experiences	Making Victorian Toys and playing games		Victorian School day -	Royal Banquet	London Bus Tour and afternoon tea	Tea & Cake Assembly	Trip
Main project	 School Days			 Bright Lights, Big City		Coastline	
English writing genres	Little Red Riding Hood – narrative	Non- Fiction (report) Toys from the past	Firework Poem by Greg Botrill	The Queen’s Hat - narrative	Wombat Goes Walkabout - narratives	Lighthouse Keeper’s Lunch - narrative	Lighthouse keeper’s lunch – instructional writing
Class Texts	Whiffy Wilson – The wolf who didn’t want to go to school Mixed – Arree Chung 100 Facts Victorian Britain – Miles Kelly Publishing Miss Molly’s School of Manners Teacher (busy people) - Lucy George Going to School – Rose Blake First Day at Bug School – Sam Lloyd If I built a school – Chris Van Dusen			Paddington goes to the Palace- Narrative Coming to England – Baroness Floella Benjamin and Diane Ewen This Zoo is Not for You – Ross Collins One Upon a Raindrop – James Carter		Katie Morag and the New Pier Julian is a mermaid – Jessica Love The seaside – Joanna Brundle Coasts (Let’s explore Britain) - James Nixon Seaside Towns – Clare Hibbert Seaside jobs – Clare Hibbert Lifeboat Crew –people who help us – Nancy Dickmann The Lighthouse Keeper’s Catastrophe – Ronda and David Armitage The Mousehole Cat – Antonia Barber Somebody swallowed Stanley – Sarah Roberts	
RWI Phonics	Set 2 sounds. Set 1 4-5 sound words. Set 1 green words speedily. Set 2 green words speedily (first 6 sounds). Set 2 green and nonsense words (last 6 sounds). Purple/pink books.			Set 3 sounds, set 3 green and nonsense words, set 2 nonsense words & set 2 green words speedily. Read a passage at 60-70 words per minute, attempt intonation. Orange/yellow books		Read set 1, 2 and 3 sounds, set 3 green and nonsense words. Multisyllabic green words speedily. Read a passage at 80-90 words per minute with intonation that shows comprehension.	
Maths	Place Value to 10, Addition and Subtraction to 10, Shape			Place Value (to 20), Addition and Subtraction (to 20), Place Value (to 50), Length and Height, Mass and Volume		Multiplication and Division, Fractions, Position and direction, Place Value (within 100), Money, Time	



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Mastering Number  NCETM	Composition of numbers within 10, position of numbers and linear number system.		Addition and subtraction structures and related language.		Composition of numbers to 20, position in linear number system, connection between addition and subtraction expressions and equations + context number stories.	
 History  Geog	Covered through Main Project					
Science  SCIENCE	Human Body	Everyday Materials	Animals including Humans Seasonal changes		Plants & Growing	Life Cycles & Classification
 Art	Mixing Colours		Rays and Sunrays		Flower Head	
 DT		Chop, Slice and Mash		Taxi!		Beach Hut
RE Emmanuel Project	Christianity Why do Christians pray to God and worship him?	Judaism Why is learning to do good deeds so important to Jewish people?	Christianity What did Jesus teach about God in his parables?	Islam How do some Muslims show Allah is compassionate and Merciful?	Christianity How does celebrating Pentecost remind Christians that God is with them always?	Sanatana Dharma How does a Hindu celebrate devotion to a deity at the festival of Holi?
Computing	Project Evolve E-Safety	Logging In to Chromebooks, Typing skills	Paint	Word	BeeBots	
 Music	Music Appreciation Focus: 30's Music (Jazz/Blues era)		Instrument Focus: Glockenspiel		Composition Focus: 'Rhythm Grids'	
 PE	Fundamentals / Ball skills Dance/ Sending & Receiving	Dance/ Sending & Receiving	Net & Wall/ Invasion	Team Building/ Gymnastics	Athletics/ Fitness	Striking & Fielding / Target Games
PSHE (SCARF) 	Me and My Relationships	Valuing Difference	Keeping Safe	Rights and Respect	Being my Best	Growing and Changing

YEAR 2

	History	History	Geography
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Experiences	Gold Hill Museum		Presentation Sharing		Kings and Queens Dress-up Day		Magnificant Mocharchs Board Games Afternoon		Map Reading/Orienteering		Tea & Cake Assembly School Trip		
Main project 	Movers and Shakers				 Magnificent Monarchs				Let’s Explore the World/Street Detectives				
English writing genres	I	Fiction Narrative – The Friendship Bench		Fiction Narrative – My Christmas Star		Fiction Narrative – Adventure – The Building Boy		Non-Fiction Non-Chronological Report – Big Cats	Poetry If I were in Charge of the World	Non-fiction Non-chronological report – Singapore	Fiction Narrative – Milo Imagines the World Non-fiction	Non-fiction Information text on ‘plants’ (science link)	
Class Novel	Vashti Hardy’s “Harley Hitch and the Iron Forest” - Harley is a bold, inventive girl who challenges norms and “shakes up” her world through science and curiosity. - Invention, courage, resilience, questioning the world				The Princess and the Suffragette by Holly Webb - Set during the Edwardian era at a royal hospital, this novel gently introduces monarchy, privilege, and early activism. - Royalty, rights, kindness and social changes				Flat Stanley’s Worldwide Adventures by Jeff Brown - Stanley gets mailed around the world – perfect for exploring continents, landmarks, and cultures. The series is broken into short, manageable chapters and full of humour. - Travel, diversity, global understanding.				
Linked Texts	Malala’s Magic Pencil Rosa Parks				Paddington Goes to Town – Michael Bond George and the Dragon The Building Boy				Milo Imagines the World				
RWI Phonics	Read set 1, 2 and 3 sounds, set 3 green and nonsense words. Multisyllabic green words speedily. Read a passage at 80-90 words per minute with intonation that shows comprehension.				RWI comprehension				RWI Literacy & Language				
Maths 	Place value	Addition	Subtraction	Shape (Geometry)	Money	Multiplication	Division	Length and Height	Mass, capacity and temperature	Fractions	Time (measurement)	Statistics	Position and direction (geometry)
Mastering Number 	Consolidate and recall number bonds, composition of number and reason about position within linear number system.				Composition of numbers within 100, multiples of 10 and mid-points.				Calculate within 20 and reason about equations and inequalities.				
 History	Covered through main project				Covered through main project				Covered through main project				



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			Roman shields- Tortoise experience																	
Main project 	 Emperors and Empires						 Invasion (Anglo Saxons & Vikings)						 Misty Mountain, Winding River							
English writing genres	Narrative- Marshmallows	Narrative- The Boike Boy	Recount – Ancient Romans (WS – Y4)		Persuasive letter writing: An author visit		Narrative The Boy, The Mole, The Fox and The Horse		Non- Chronological report: Vikings		Newspaper- Viking artefacts		Descriptiv e writing- The abominab les	Narrativ e- The Flood	Diary entry: Holiday		Poetry- The River (WS Y4)			
Class Novel	Queen of Darkness						The Saga of Erik the Viking						King of the Cloud Forests							
Linked Texts	Roman Tales: the Goose Guards						Viking Boy						Journey to the River Sea							
The Reading Booth Extracts	Chocolate Cake/ Ancient Rome / Recycle Week/ Greta’s Story / Romulus and Remus / Rosa Parks/ Simone Biles/ Why do people wear poppies/ Boudicca/Howard Gayle / The Rhythm of the rain/						Everything Vikings/ Electricity from Billy Elliot/ The History of Electricity/ Thomas Edison/ Chinese New Year/ Emmeline Pankhurst/ Running On The Roof Of The World						A River’s Journey/ A Seed Is Sleepy/ Just Around The Riverbend/ Life With ADHD/ One Wave At A Time by Holly Thompson/ / A River by Marc Martin/ Oh The Places You’ll Go/ Charlotte’s Web/ The Hodgeheg/ Fizzlebert Stump							
The Spelling Book	Week 1 - 12						Week 13 - 24						Week 25 - 36							
Maths 	Place Value	Calculation	Fractions		Measu res	Geo metr y	Positi on and Direc tion	Place Value	Calculati on	Fractions	Measu res& time	Area and Perimet er	Statis tics	Place Value	Positi on and Direc tio n	Calcula tion	Fract ions	Measur es	Geo met ry	Statistics
 History	Covered in main project						Covered in main project						Covered in main project							
 Geog	Interconnected World Part 1						Covered in main project						Interconnected World Part 2							
Science 	Digestive system & Data collection		States of matter				Electricity Data Collection			Sound and Vibrations			Sustainability & Data collection		Classify Living things, Food Chains & Habitats					
 Art	Warm and Cool Colours		Mosaic masters				Beautiful botanicals			Warp and Weft					Vista					



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YEAR 5/6 - Cycle B – 2025-26

	History		Geography		History	
Experiences	Interactive war museum/Curiosity Cube	WW2 experience – Air raid/school	Giant Icebergs	Titanic timeline	Exploring Africa today	London Trip
	Tea and cake assembly	Art gallery WW2 portraits	Environmental artists project day	Endurance revisit	Digital Scrapbook	Y5 trip Y6 Performance
Main project		Britain at War		Frozen Kingdom		Maafa/ The Kingdom of Benin
English writing genres	Recount	Narrative Poem	Letter Biography	Narrative Diary	Explanation Script	Narrative Editing and Proofreading
Class Novel	Goodnight Mister Tom		The Call of the Wild		Freedom	



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Linked Texts	Letters from the Lighthouse Thornhill Historical leaders' speeches		I wandered lonely as a cloud Journey Shackleton non-fiction		Windrush Child Coming to England					
The Reading Booth Extracts	Resilience/ Spies/ WW2 / Animals / Autism / Poetry/ Picture books/ Songs/ Drugs and Alcohol/ Spooky openers /Novels		Media/ Evolution/ Ibtihaj Muhammad/ Civil Rights/ Inspirational Women/ Classics/ Notable People/ Picture books/ Poetry/ Light/ Songs		Electricity/ Magic/ Novels/ Pompeii/ Population/ Living Things/ Industrial Revolution/ Classics/ Notable People/ Katherine Rundell/ Liverpool					
The Spelling Book	Week 1 - 12		Week 13 - 24		Week 25 - 36					
 Maths	Place Value Calculation Fractions Position and direction	Decimals FDP Area, perimeter and volume		Shape Ratio Algebra	Revision	SATS	Stats	Negative numbers	Converting units	Revision
 History	Main project				Main project					
 Geog	Our Changing World Part 1		Covered in main project		Our Changing World Part 2					
 Science	Evolution and Inheritance		Light	Animals including Humans	Electricity		Living things and their habitats			
 Art	Bees, Beetles and Butterflies		Environmental Artists (Mini – day project)	Inuit	Trailblazers, Barrier Breakers					
 DT		Make Do and Mend		Engineer			Food for Life			
RE Emmanuel Project	Christianity How do Christians show their belief that Jesus is God incarnate?	Christianity How do the 'Heroes of Faith' encourage Christians today?	Christianity Should believing in the resurrection change how Christians view life and death?	Buddhism How does the Triple Refuge help Buddhists in their journey through life?	Humanism Why do humanists say that happiness is the goal of life		Judaism What symbols and stories help Jewish people remember their covenant with God?			
Computing	Project Evolve E-Safety & Office Project		Scratch Project – Binary Hero		Microbit Project					
 Music	Happy WW2 song preparation – When you're a kid in WW2		Instruments: Combination A new Year carol You've got a friend		Composition: Yu Studio					
 PE	Dance/Tag rugby	Fitness/Football	Adapted sports/Netball	Hockey/Gymnastics	Orienteering/cricket		Rounders/athletics			
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 MFL	Phonetics	Presenting myself	My family	The date	Do you have a pet?		My home			



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