

2024-2025 Overview

Year Group: 2

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Writing	Kate and the Beanstalk – Fiction Letter writing unit – Non fiction	The Thing in the Basement – Fiction Roman Mighty Legions – Non Fiction I opened a book – poetry by Julia Donaldson/ Christmas poetry?	Newspaper Report – Polar Regions – Non Fiction Dinosaur Cove – Fiction	The Witching Hour (BFG) – Fiction Recount - British Muslim Heritage Centre	The Ice Bear – Fiction Non Fiction (instructions)	Grandad’s Island – Fiction Information Text on pollution in Manchester – Non Fiction Poetry – My Cat by Jackie Hosking
Reading	The Smartest Giant in Town A squash and a Squeeze	How to Be a Knight The Day the Crayons quit	Elvis the squirrel Cave girl	Cool Clive Non fiction TBC	World Deadliest Animals	The HodgeHeg Malala’s Magic Pencil
Mathematics	Place Value Addition and Subtraction Shape		Measures – Money Multiplication and Division Measure – length and height Measure – mass, capacity and temperature.		Fractions Measure- Time Statistics Geometry (position and direction) Consolidation: Written calculations , Place Value, Fractions, Money	
History	Romans		Baghdad			
Geog		Polar Regions				Coastal Regions
Art		Collage	Printing The Wave		Sculpture	
DT	Construction			Textiles		Food

Music	Rhythm - 2 beat and 3 beat songs	Singing focus - Nativity Preparation	Percussion Instruments - Notation - Copying and Composing Rhythms	Introduction to Glockenspiel - Musicianship	Composing and Performing - Rhythm and Notation	Percussion: Composing and Notation - representing film footage with music
RE		Hinduism - Trip to Temple		Judaism		Buddhism
PSHE	Mental health (3 weeks) RSE (2 weeks) Black History Month (1 week)	Bullying (2 weeks) Drugs (2 weeks)	Race (4 weeks) Children's Mental Health Week (1 week) 11/2/25- Safer Internet day (1 week)	Gender (4 weeks) International Women's Day 8/3/25	Drugs (2 weeks) E-Safety (2 weeks)	Mental Health – healthy mind (1 week) Mental health- healthy eating week (10-14 th June) (1 week) Mental Health - emotional regulation and gratitude (1 week) RSE (2 weeks) Transition
Dance	Traditional dance	Nativity	Poetry Stimulus	Dinosaur Cove	Hokusai	Natural World – Polar Regions
Gymnastics	basic skills	Basic combined	Body shapes	direction	speed	Linked movement
Games	Travelling using a small and medium ball	Travelling using a quoit	Make up a game with a beanbag	Catching game over a line	Introduction to invasion games	Introduction to invasion games
Science	Animals including humans	Animals including humans	Everyday Materials	Everyday Materials Start plants (planting)	Plants Electricity	Habitats
MfL						
Computing	ICT Skills + additional coverage of e- books and other	Word Processing	Presenting Information	Coding	Video Animation	Coding
Trips	Romans Workshop		British Muslim Heritage centre	Burnage Library Litter pick		Beach Litter pick
RE Trip		Hinduism - Trip to Temple				