

## Curriculum Map 2023-24

Year 2



	Christmas Term	Easter Term	Summer Term	
Topic	Castles and Knights	Fire and Ice	African Adventure	
Literacy	Following Dynamic Literacy and Spelling Programme. Core Skills: spelling, handwriting, phonics, grammar, punctuation, reading, speaking and listening, writing for different purposes, looking at specific authors.			
Maths	Maths No Problem - Year 2 Core Skills: place value, ordering and comparing numbers to 1,000, addition, subtraction, odds/evens, doubling and halving, bar models, time, pattern, multiplication, division, fractions, 2D shapes, 3D shapes, mass, length, volume, temperature; pictograms; graphs, investigations and problem solving.			
Science	Uses of Everyday Materials (uses in our environment, suitability, how they change shape, recycling, comparing and grouping) Light and Dark (light and dark, reflective surfaces, mirrors, shadows)	Changing State of Water (changing state of water, the water cycle, making clouds and rain, treating water, floods, pollution) Electricity (mains and batteries, making circuits, conductors and insulators, dangers of electricity)	The Environment (climate change, recycling, water wise, endangered animals) Plants (observing plants, seeds and bulbs, life cycles, plants we eat)	
History	Castles (incl. visit to Arundel Castle) The Medieval Era Becoming a Knight Life in the Castle The History of Jousting	The History of the Inuits Early Explorers of the Polar Regions, Shackleton and Scott The Great Fire of London	The History of the Maasai Tribe	

Geography		Life in the Polar Regions	Rainforests	
	Castles Around the UK	Arctic and Antarctic	Deserts	
		Caring for Our Environment	World Maps	
RE/PSHE	Places of Worship, Christian Symbols and	Noah's Ark; Jonah and the Whale;		
	Beliefs, Harvest; Different Beliefs; The	The Wise Man and the Foolish Man;	The Miracles of Jesus; The Lost Sheep;	
	Gurdwara; The Synagogue; The Mosque;	The Good Samaritan; Beginnings and	Daniel and the Lion's Den; David and	
	The Temple; Festivals of Light; Hanukkah;	Endings; Naam Karam, Baptism; The	Goliath; Hymns and Prayers	
	Advent; The Nativity	Easter Story	Being Kind; Secrets; Keeping Safe with	
	Our VIPs; Recognising Feelings; Our Family;	Star Qualities; Positive Learners;	People; Medicines and Hazardous	
	Resolving Arguments; Showing We Care;	Bright Futures; Jobs for All; Going for	Substances; People Who Help Us;	
	Listening to Others; Making Good Choices;	Goals; Looking Forward; Feeling	Celebrating Strengths; Growing and	
	Being Kind;	Happy; Making Choices; Being	Changing	
	Bullying v Teasing	Thankful; Being Mindful		
	Singing, composing, performing, listening and appraising.			
Music	Exploring duration, pulse & rhythm, pitch, instruments and symbols, notation, timbre, tempo and dynamics.			
	Recorder skills and optional instrumental lessons.			
Games &	Gymnastics, dance, orienteering,	Gymnastics, dance, hockey,	Athletics, swimming, tennis,	
PE	swimming, football, netball, rugby	swimming, football, netball, rugby	cricket	
	INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY	DIGITAL LITERACY	PROGRAMMING AND ALGORITHMS	
Computing	NCCE - Teach Computing.org	Making Music	Robot Algorithms	
	Information Technology around us	Creating media	Programming quizzes	
	Networks, Computing Systems	Design and development	Programming,	
	Digital photography	Pictograms	Design and Development	
	Effective use of tools, creating media	Data information		
		Effective use of tools		
French	Simple Greetings; Hello and Goodbye; How		My Family; Pets; What is his name?	
	old are you? Counting to 10; What is your	Classroom Instructions; My Body;	My Home; What is in the Classroom?	
	name? Days of the Week; Months of the	Actions; Colours; Clothing; Food	School Subjects; Around School; What	
	Year; My Birthday;		do you like to do?	
	What is the date? Time			