

Maths

Focus: Multiplication/Division continued

**Focus: Length and Height
Mass, Capacity and Temperature**

Children will learn to:

- Measure in centimetres and metres
- Compare lengths and heights
- Order lengths and heights
- Use the four operations (add, subtract, multiply and divide) to solve problems relating to length and height
- Compare mass
- Measure in grams and kilograms
- Compare volume and capacity
- Measure in millilitres and litres
- How to measure and record temperature
- Use the four operations (add, subtract, multiply and divide) to solve problems relating to mass, volume and capacity

Computing

Focus: Questioning

- Using and creating pictograms
- Using yes/no questions to separate information
- Constructing a binary tree to separate different items
- Using a binary tree to answer questions
- Using a database to answer complex search questions
- Using the search tool to find information

PSHE

Focus Themes:

Being Responsible - focuses on how to set goals in the journey to making improvements.

Helping someone in need – focuses on how to recognise kind behaviours and actions as well as the risks of talking to people that they don't know.

History

Focus: How did we learn to fly?

- Learning about the Wright brothers
- Develop an understanding of historical significance
- Investigate why Bessie Coleman was significant
- Develop an understanding of primary sources
- Investigate why people remember the moon landing
- Place events on a timeline.

RE

Focus Topic: Desert to Garden

In this branch, children will consolidate their learning about the events of Holy Week and deepen their understanding about God's forgiveness. They will make links between the forgiveness Jesus shows at his Crucifixion and the ministry of Jesus. Children will also explore the theme of Reconciliation during Lent and will learn that the Easter Vigil Mass is the high point of the celebration of Easter in the Catholic Church.



Year 2
Spring 2 2026

Art and Design

Focus: Drawing: Understanding tone and texture

Children explore how artists use tone and texture, and they experiment with a range of materials to create marks and tones, using different pressures and control to make different marks. They practise sketching simple shapes lightly so that changes can be made to their observational drawings.

Music

Theme: Singing

Children will be learning songs and creating sounds to represent three contrasting landscapes—seaside, countryside, and city. They will sing folk songs to reflect the different environments and use instruments and body percussion to create soundscapes representing one of the environments.

English

Book Focus: *Rapunzel* by Bethan Woollvin continued

Focus for World Book Day – *The Search for Our Cosmic Neighbours* by Chloe Savage

Non-Fiction Book Focus: *Big Blue Whale* by Nicola Davies

- Understand how grammatical patterns in a sentence indicate the sentence type (such as a statement or question)
- Use the simple present tense correctly and consistently
- Recap on how to use familiar punctuation correctly, including full stops, capital letters, exclamation marks, question marks and commas
- Plan, write, proofread, edit, evaluate and publish a non-fiction text

Science

Focus: Animals including humans; life cycles & health

Children will study the life cycles of various animals, learn what animals need to survive, observe changes over time, collect and record data on their peers, develop measurement skills and consider how scientific knowledge supports healthy choices.

PE

Focus: Hockey

This half term the children will be taught to develop the skills associated with hockey.