

CURRICULUM OVERVIEW - WOODPECKERS - 2021/22 – Cycle B

Term	Autumn 1 (8)	Autumn 2 (7)	Spring 1 (6)	Spring 2 (6)	Summer 1 (5)	Summer 2 (7)
Class Theme	Blue Abyss	Predator	Burps, Bottoms and Bile	Mighty Metals	1066	Misty mountain, winding river
ENGLISH	information text, poetry, persuasive letter, biography, character description, setting description.	Kennings, narrative, letter, descriptive writing	Fact files, Explanation text, Narrative writing, Persuasive writing.	Biography Non-Chronological reports, Instructions, character description.	Job applications, explanations, kennings, diary, play script, letter	Newspaper article Description, Poetry Poster/Advert Diary entry
Quality Text	20000 Leagues under the sea (CS)	Mouse, Bird, Wolf, Snake (POR)	Demon Dentist (CS)	The Iron Man (POR)	I was there 1066 – Jim Eldridge (CS) Storming Normans (HH – DEAR)	Wind in the Willows (King of cloud forest – Morpurgo – DEAR)
MATHEMATICS (based on WRM)	4 weeks place value 2 weeks addition and subtraction	4 weeks addition and subtraction 2 weeks multiplication and division	5 weeks multiplication and division 1 week fractions	Fractions and decimals	2 weeks measurement – length 3 weeks time	2 weeks geometry Y3 - 2 weeks measures – capacity and volume Y4 – 2 weeks coordinates 2 weeks statistics
SCIENCE	Living things and their habitats Plants, changes of environment and its effect,	Animals including humans: Animal nutrition, digestive system and teeth skeletons and muscles, grouping	Digestive system, nutrition and teeth	Forces and magnets How things move on different surfaces, magnets and magnetism	Energy and electricity Constructing circuits, switches, conductors and insulators	Properties of materials – how absorbant/repellent Renewable and non renewable energy

		and classifying, food chains.				Water cycle
GEOGRAPHY	Seas and oceans of the world, Great Barrier Reef, Environmental issues	Fieldwork – using maps		Human and physical geography Using maps and aerial images	Identifying English towns and cities.	Using maps, water cycle, human and physical features, rivers of the world, counties and cities of the uk.
HISTORY	19 th Century ocean exploration		History of dentistry		Norman conquest	
ART	Underwater art/seascapes	3D models		Embossed patterns and pictures, making jewellery	Tapestry	Landscape, perspective
DT	Designing submarines, working models	Selecting and using materials	Healthy foods, working models	Building an iron man, making vehicles, using electrical circuits		Mountain climbing equipment
COMPUTING	Online safety comic	SMART rule podcast	Networks, the internet and searching		Animation	e-Book
PE	Swimming Football	Swimming Communication and tactics	Swimming Dance (weather)	Swimming Tag-rugby	Athletics Rounders	Problem solving (OAA) Tennis
MUSIC (Charanga Y3)	Let your spirit fly – R&B	Glockenspiel 1	Three Little Birds – Reggae	The Dragon Song – Pop	Bringing us together – Disco	Reflect, rewind, replay
RE (Y3)	Does taking bread and wine show that someone is a Christian?	Is Light a good symbol for celebration? (Y3 – Christianity,	Is a Hindu child free to choose how to live?	Does Easter Make sense without Passover?	Does Jesus have authority for everyone?	Can made up stories tell the truth?

		Sikhism, Hinduism, Judaism)				
PHSE (Y3)	Me and my relationships	Valuing Difference	Keeping myself safe	Rights and Responsibilities	Being my best	Growing and changing
FRENCH	Core Unit 1 (LKS2) – Saying hello	Unit A – Animals	Core Unit 2 (LKS2) – Colours and numbers to 20	Unit C – At school	Core Unit 2 (LKS2) – countries and j'aime	Unit B - Food