

Year 2 Overview 2025 - 2026



Year 2	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Art	Skill focus - Observational drawing <i>How can I draw a realistic flower?</i> Artist: Georgia O'Keeffe		Skill focus - Painting <i>Can a mess be art?</i> Artist: Jackson Pollock		Skill focus - Sculpture <i>How can we add detail to a sculpture?</i> Artist: Play doh minibeasts	
Computing	Unit 2.2 - Digital Literacy - <i>What is a digital footprint and why does it matter?</i>	Unit 2.1 - Computer Science: <i>Why are algorithms useful in coding?</i>	Unit 2.1 - Computer Science: <i>Why are algorithms useful in coding?</i>	Unit 2.4 Information Technology <i>How can questioning sort data?</i>	Unit 2.7 Information Technology <i>What is digital music?</i>	Unit 1.9 Digital literacy <i>How does technology make our lives easier?</i>
DT	Mechanisms Wheels and Axels Moving Vehicles (Moon Buggy)		Food Tech		Textiles Cushion Joining techniques	
Geography	Where in the world are you?		Where would you bury treasure in the world?		How do I devise a basic map?	
History	Why were these astronauts important? Mae Jameson Neil Armstrong (2)	How has space travel changed? Time Peake Kellie Gerardi (3)	Who should be remembered as the most fearsome pirate?		Who is the most significant inspirational individual?	
Music	Contrasting dynamics (Theme: Space) (6 lessons)	Call and response (Theme: Animals) (3 lessons)	Singing (Theme: On this Island) (3 lessons)	Pitch (Theme: Musical Me) (5 lessons)	Instruments (Theme: Musical storytelling) (3 lessons)	End of Key Stage Production
PE	Fundamental Movement Skills Gymnastics	Fundamental Movement Skills Dance-The Dragon	Multiskills Dance-The Toy Box	Invasion Games-Tag Rugby Skills Net Games-Tennis Skills	Striking and fielding-Cricket skills Gymnastics	Athletics Yoga
PSHE	Our ideal classroom	How are you feeling today?	Let's all be happy	Being a good friend	My body, your body	Don't do that Basic First Aid

	What makes us who we are? Harold's picnic Getting on with others. A helping hand Playing games You can do it! Mindful Moment	Anti bullying week How safe would you feel? When I feel like erupting My day Sam moves away Mindful Moment	How do we make others feel? What should Harold say? Haven't you grown Mindful Moment	When someone is feeling left out I don't like that Feeling safe Mindful Moment	Types of bullying What does my body do? Fun or not? Respecting privacy Mindful Moments	Should I tell? Harold saves for something special Some secrets should never be kept Solve the problem Mindful Moment
RE	Authority The Bible Christianity	Candle light as a symbol Hannukah Advent Judaism	Key concept: Special Special books Christianity and Judaism Golden thread: Special	Key concept: Easter Christianity Golden thread: Love	Key concept: God. Ideas about God. Christianity and Judaism	Rules and values in a community. Christianity and Judaism Golden thread: Community
Science	Everyday materials Which material would be most suitable for a moon buggy going to the moon?	Living things and their habitats Can animals survive in different habitats?	Animals including humans Do humans and animals have the same needs?	Plants Are all plants the same?	Plants What do plants need to grow?	Re-cap What have we learnt in science this year?
Forest School		Play conkers	Make a nest	Find a tadpole		
Uniqueness Year 2	Alien Day!	Play conkers (at Forest School) Pet a Guinea Pig	Visit the Dockyard Make a nest (at Forest School)	Find a tadpole (at Forest School)	Hatch a butterfly Fly a kite (Beach School)	Try food from different continents Make Welsh cakes (Forest School)