

LOWER KEY STAGE 2 CURRICULUM MAP – 26/27

	Term 1			Term 2		Term 3		
English core texts (See MTP's for writing outcomes/purposes) y	Y3	Approaching Threat The Iron Man by Ted Hughes	Fables Fox by Margaret Wild and Ron Brooks	Settings Rhythm of the Rain by Grahame Baker-Smith	Transformations Pip and Egg by Alex Latimer Complaints It Fell From the Sky by The Fan Brothers	Exploration The Search for our Cosmic Neighbours by Chloe Savage	Lost! Into the Forest by Anthony Browne Friendship The Secret Elephant by Eilan Rankin	
	Y3/4	Settings The Whale by Ethan and Vita Murrow	Outsiders Leaf by Sandra Dieckmann	Myths Arthur and the Golden Rope by Joe Todd Stanton	Twisted Tales The Lost Happy Endings by Carol Ann Duffy	Refugees The Journey by Francesca Sanna	Inventions Manfish by Jennifer Berne	
	Y4	Magic! Leon and the Place Between by Angela McAllister	Celebrating Diversity Nen and the Lonely Fisherman by Ian Eagleton Projects The Barnabus Project by The Fan Brothers	Embracing Differences The Boy Who Grew Flowers by Jen Wojtowicz	Rainforests The Great Kapok Tree by Lynne Cherry	Sea Creatures Flotsam by David Wiesner Environmental Change Our Tower by Joseph Coelho	Transformations The Seret Sky Garden by Linda Sarah	
Geography	Y3	Rivers	Mountains	Settlements	Agriculture	Volcanoes	Climate and Biomes	
	Y4-6	The Rhine and the Mediterranean	Population	Coastal process and landforms	Tourism	Earthquakes	Deserts	
History	Y3	Ancient Egypt	Cradles of Civilisation	The Indus Valley	Persia and Greece	Ancient Greece	Alexander the Great	
	Y4-6	The Roman Republic	The Roman Empire	Roman Britain	Christianity in three empires: Roman, Byzantine and Aksumite	Arabia and early Islam	Cordoba: city of light	
Science		Chemistry Rocks and soils	Biology Introduction to the human skeleton and muscles	Physics Simple forces including magnets	Biology Healthy eating	Biology What do plants do and what they need	Physics Introduction to light and shadows	
Art/DT		Art: Drawing Developing drawing skills	DT: Digital World Wearable technology	Art: Drawing Exploring tone, texture and proportion	DT: Cooking and nutrition Eating seasonally Adapting a recipe (1)	Art: Sculpture and 3D Abstract shape and space	Art: Sculpture and 3D Mega materials	DT: Mechanisms Sling Shot Cars

Music	Y3	Mountain melodies: steps and leaps	Reading rhythms: Patterns and layers	Inspired by India: Musical improvisations	Easter service	Reggae rhythms: Playing in a band	Baroque meets pop: Building harmony
	Y4	Wider Opportunities: Xylophones		Wider Opportunities: Drumming	Easter Service	Wider Opportunities: Drumming	
Computing	Online Safety Safe communication online (one lesson at the start of each unit across the year)						
	Computer Systems and Networks Networks and the internet (digital literacy and IT)			Programming Scratch (computer science)	Computer systems and networks Comparison cards and databases (computer science and IT)	Data Handling Video trailers on I pads (computer science, digital literacy and IT)	
	Computer Systems and Networks Journey inside a computer (computer science, digital literacy and IT)						
Computing within other subjects	Wherever they fit: Digital music, data logger, application of use of word, publisher, power point where possible, E-safety, ongoing throughout the year.						
PSHE	Y3	MHM: Meet your brain, Places and Celebrate		MHM: Appreciate and Relate MHM+: Keeping safe MHM+: Friendships, families and close positive relationships		MHM: Engage MHM+: Communities and shared responsibilities MHM+: Ourselves, growing and changing	
	Y4	MHM: Meet the brain, Places and Celebrate MHM+: Showing respect, and managing hurtful behaviour SRE lesson to cover H26		MHM: Appreciate and Relate MHM+: First aid MHM+: Media literacy and digital resilience MHM+: Safe relationships SRE lesson to cover H45		MHM: Engage MHM+: Keeping safe and Ourselves, growing and changing MHM+: Economic wellbeing Money Mentors programme (1 lesson)	
R.E	Harvest: How do people of faith say thank you to God for the harvest?		Christmas: How does the presence of Jesus impact on people's lives?	Jesus: How did/does Jesus change lives?	Easter: Is the cross a symbol of sadness or joy?	Rules for Living: Which rules should we follow?	
MFL	Instruments + phonics		Seasons + phonics	Vegetables 1hr Semana Santa (Holy Week)	Ice creams	Presenting myself	
P.E	Y3	SWIMMING					
	Y4	Hockey Swimming catch-up	Tennis Swimming catch-up	Gymnastics Dance Swimming catch-up	Hockey Athletics	Athletics	Tennis