

Year 2 Curriculum Overview 2025-26

Subject	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Curriculum Enquiry Question	How can we be stewards of God's creation?	How can we overcome challenges? (facing adversity, growth mindset, working together, trust in God, using our skills and abilities)	How do my choices impact the common good?	How can we use faith to guide our choices?	Can a small act make a big difference?	Do the rich have a responsibility to the poor or not?
Gospel Virtue	Stewardship	Humility	Forgiveness	Self- Control	Compassion	
RE	Creation	CCE Advent Judaism	Christmas Revelation	Lent Holy Week	Easter	Pentecost & Mission Sacraments
Class Books	Where Three Oceans Meet - Rajani Larocca Big Book of Beasts - Yuval Zommer	Shackleton's Journey - William Grill	The Story of the Titanic for Children - Joe Fullman If You Were a Kid Aboard the Titanic - Josh Gregory Eyewitness - Titanic (non-fiction)	Stone Girl Bone Girl	Vlad and the Great Fire of London - Sam Cunningham A street through time- Steven Noon	A Planet Full of Plastic - Neal Layton
English	Postcards Non-chronological reports	1st Person Narrative - Sentence Type Newspaper report	3rd Person Narrative - Setting Balanced argument	Poetry Explanation text	3rd Person Narrative - Character	Instructions - Directions, map work.
Math	Place Value, Addition and Subtraction	Addition and Subtraction Money Shape	Multiplication and Division Money	Length and Height, Mass, Capacity and Temperature	Time Fractions	Statistics Position and Direction
Science	Living Things - Habitats (Indian)	Everyday Materials	Plants -growth and germination	Animals, Including Humans: Growth and Survival (Hatching live animals)	Solids, liquids and gases	Local Habitats
Geography	India	The Antarctic			<i>London now + then (link to GfL)</i>	Nigeria
History		<i>Scott of Antarctic/Ernest Shackleton</i>	The Titanic	Fossil hunters	The Great Fire of London	
Art		London	Environmental Art (3D)	Indian Printing	Castles and Dragons	Environmental Art (2D)
Design Technology	Monster Mechanism					
Computing	E-safety: stay safe on the internet		Coding: Scratch Junior		Photography	
Music	Name that Tune	Singing Together: Changing Tempo and Dynamics in songs	Performing and exploring rhythm patterns	Playing Instruments: Improvising using four notes	How singing helps us work together *Sea Shanties	Performing Together: Adding a simple second part
RSHE	What makes a good friend?	What is bullying?	What helps us to grow and stay healthy?	What jobs do people do?	How do we recognise our feelings?	What helps us to stay safe?
PE	Dance: Bollywood dancing	Movement Skills: Running Dance: Great Fire of London	Skipping/Co-ordination Skills Gymnastics	Multiskills (Ball Skills) Gym Fit	Throwing and Catching Core Strength	Athletics Fitness