

Class 1 Curriculum Overview 2026 to 2027

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Reading	Jack and the Beanstalk Pumpkin Soup	Lost and Found Penguin Huddle	The Tale of Peter Rabbit Giraffe's Can't Dance	The Papaya that Spoke Here We are	The Kings Pants Charles III	The Lighthouse Keeper's Lunch Grace Darling
Spag	Sentence structure Capital letters, full stops, the use of 'and' to join sentences Use capital letter for I	Identify and use question marks Plurals use of 's' and 'es'	Sequence sentences Use 'and' to join clauses Adding suffixes -ing, -ed or -er to verbs	Use capital letters for names of people, places and days of the week Identify and use exclamation marks	Sequence sentences to form a narrative Use capital letters for names, places and months. Identify and use question marks, full stops and exclamation marks	Use 'and' to join words and clauses Using 'un-' to change the meaning of verbs and adjectives
Writing	Fiction - Jack and the Beanstalk Non-Fiction - Growing a magic beanstalk Non-Fiction Black History Month - Honouring our community	Poetry - Fireworks Fiction - Lost and Found Non-Fiction - Penguins, looking after the egg	Poetry - Spring poems Fiction - The Tale of Peter Rabbit Non-Fiction - Don't go into the garden	Fiction - The Papaya that spoke Non-Fiction - Fruits from all over the World	Fiction - The King's Pants Non-Fiction - The boy who would be king	Fiction - The Lighthouse Keeper's Lunch Non-Fiction - Grace Darling
Mathematics	Place Value Counting, comparing, ordering use of number line	Addition and subtraction Part whole, number sentences, number bonds and fact families Geometry 2D/3D shapes and pattern	Place Value Composition of numbers Addition and subtraction Doubles, near doubles, related facts	Place Value Partitioning Length and height Mass and Volume	Multiplication and Division Fractions Geometry Position and direction	Place Value Money Time
Science	Living things Habitats	Materials Use of everyday materials	Animals Life cycles and health	Living things Micro-habitats	Plants Plant growth	Making connections Plant based materials
Religious Education	Gospel What is the good news that Jesus brings? HARVEST	Incarnation Why does Christmas matter to Christians?	Salvation Why does Easter matter to Christians?	Who is a Muslim and how do they live? Muhammad's life and teaching	Who is a Muslim and how do they live? Part 2	What makes some places sacred to believers?
Art & Design	Drawing Understanding Tone and Texture	Painting and mixed media Colour Mixing Christmas Art	Painting and mixed media Life in colour	Easter crafts	Sculpture and 3D Clay sculpture	Craft and design Coastal map it out
History (Alternates with geography)	How was school/homes different in the past?		How did transport develop? Focus - trains		What is a monarch?	

Geography (Alternates with history)		Would you prefer to live in a hot or cold place? Compare and contrast locations		Why is our World wonderful? Some amazing places - human and physical features		What is it like to live by the coast?
Music	Instruments Musical story telling	Pitch Musical me	Call and response song (Theme animals)	Structure Myths and legends	Singing On this island	Contrasting dynamics Space
Computing	Computer systems and networks What is a computer?	Programming Algorithms and debugging	Computer systems and networks Word processing	Programming ScratchJr	Creating media Stop motion	Data handling International space station
D.T.	Mechanisms Making a moving monster Cooking and nutrition Harvest feast	Textiles Creating a Christmas stocking	Structures Creating a stable structure	Easter creations	Mechanisms Fairground wheel	Cooking and nutrition A balanced diet
PE	Multi skills Games	Multi skills Games	Gymnastics Dance	Gymnastics Dance	Running, jumping and throwing skills and games Swimming (Yr 1/2)	Running, jumping and throwing skills and games
PSHE	Connecting with others	My healthy self Firework safety	The online world	Citizenship	Staying safe Sun and water safety	Growing Up