

English Key Texts and writing outcomes

Text

The Proudest Blue

Writing focus: First Person Description

- Adding detail to sentences using subordination
- Improving sentences by adding adverbs
- Using apostrophes for possession
- Writing a first person description using key features
- Publishing and editing.

Reading for fluency and comprehension

Texts linked to Science and History topics

Phonics/Spelling

Spelling

- Adding suffixes – ful, -less, -ment, -ness, -ly
- Contractions
- Possessive singular apostrophe
- Words ending in –tion

Phonics intervention for individual pupils

Music

Charanga: Around the World

- Listen to music from around the world
- Explore tempo, understanding that music can be at different speeds.

Computing Making Music

- How music makes us feel
- Rhythms and patterns
- How music can be used
- Notes and tempo
- Creating digital music
- Reviewing and editing music.

Science

Animals, including humans – Life Cycles

- Learn how to order the stages of the human life cycle
- Describe the stages of life from adulthood to old age
- Learn how to match offspring to their parent
- Explore the life cycle of a chicken
- Describe the life cycle of a butterfly
- Explore the life cycle of a frog.

Year: 2

Term: Summer 1 2025-26

Curriculum Map

With kind hearts and determined minds, we inspire each other to be the best we can be.



Primary School

History

How has seafaring changed over time and why?

Similarities and differences in boat design. Compare John Cabot's The Matthew and SS Great Britain.

Religious Education (RE)

World Religion – Hinduism/Sanatana Dhurma

Theme: examining what Sanatanis believe about God including key terms like Brahman, Trimurti, Ganesha and Lackshmi.

Key Question: Who is god to Sanatanis?

Maths

Fractions

Introduction to parts and whole; equal and unequal parts; recognising a half; finding a half; recognising a quarter; finding a quarter; recognising a third finding a third; finding the whole; unit fractions; non-unit fractions; recognising the equivalence of a half and two quarters; recognising three-quarters.

Position and Direction

Language of position; describing movement; describing turns; describing movement and turns; shape patterns with turns.

Daily Numbersense to help embed children's knowledge of number facts.

Fluency, reasoning and problem solving.

Art / Design and Technology Portraits and Self portraits

Investigate portraits and self portraits by a variety of artists.

Explore and create 2d and 3d self portraits

Personal, Social and Health Education (PHSE)

Relationships

Families, Keeping Safe, Friends & Conflict, Secrets, Trust & Appreciation, Celebrating special relationships.

Physical Education (PE)

Cricket – building catching and gathering skills, controlling the ball, hitting a ball with increasing control and accuracy, applying skills and tactics in games, understanding and following rules.

Rounders – performing a range of catching and gathering skills with control, catching with increasing control and accuracy, hitting a ball with increasing control and accuracy, applying skills and tactics in small sided games, participation in team games.