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Topic	National Curriculum: Year 1	EYFS Curriculum: Reception	Amazing Me 	Autumn days & Starry Nights 	Once upon a time 	Minibeasts & Mega beasts 	A Rumble in the Jungle 	A Commotion in the Ocean 
Communication Language & Literacy	Fiction Recount Instruction Information Poetry	Listening, Attention and Understanding Speaking Comprehension Word Reading Writing	Mr Wiggle & Mr Waggle Funny Bones Kippers Birthday Titch Body poems Labels/ captions/ story sequencing	Owl babies The owl who was afraid of the dark. Happy Hedgehog band The Gruffalo Non-fiction: hedgehogs/ owls Autumn/ firework poems	Winter poems Into the castle Queen of Hearts The Gingerbread man Fiction Instructions Recount	Hungry Caterpillar The bad-tempered ladybird Incy Wincy spider The ugly duckling Information Minibeast poems	Down by the cool of the pool The pig in the pond Dear Zoo Rumble in the Jungle Dinosaurs and all that rubbish	Commotion in the ocean The fish who could wish Rainbow fish Pirate Pete Stories Fiction
	Role Play		Doctors Baby clinic Fitness centre Fruit & veg stall	Gruffalo cave Shiny shack Santa's workshop	Chinese restaurant Castle Gingerbread house Bakers shop	Vets Hungry Caterpillar café	Monet's garden Percy's potting shed	Beach café Pirate ship
Mathematics	Yr 1 Mathematics		Number bonds within 10 Numbers to 20 Place value within 20. Measurement: height	Addition & Subtraction Geometry: Shape	Number: Place value within 50. Counting in 10's Measurement: money Measurement: time	Number: Addition & Subtraction within 20 Counting in 2's Doubling / Halving	Number: multiplication & division. Fractions. Counting in 2's 5's 10's Measurement: weight	Number: place value within 100 Geometry: position & direction Measurement: volume
	Mathematics EYFS White Rose		Just like me: match, sort, compare amounts Compare size, mass & capacity Exploring patterns It's me 123!: Representing , comparing, composition of 1,2,3	It's me 123: 2D shapes Position language Light & dark: Representing numbers to 5 1 more/less Time	Alive in 5: Introducing 0 Comparing & composition of numbers to 5 Compare mass & capacity Growing 6,7,8: making pairs, combining 2 groups Length& height. Time	Building 9 and 10: Comparing numbers to 10 Number bonds to 10 3D shape pattern	To 20 and beyond: Building numbers beyond 10 Counting patterns beyond 10 Spatial reasoning Match, rotate, manipulate First Then Now: Adding more taking away Compose & decompose	Find my pattern: Doubling sharing, grouping Even & odd Spatial reasoning Visualise & build On the move: Deepening understanding Patterns & relationships Spatial reasoning, Mapping
	Maths Activities		2D shape people Kippers Birthday maths: planning party: counting objects, ordering numerals Finding objects taller/ longer than skeletons/ bone. All about me data handling.	Autumn sorting, counting, comparing Ordering numerals, matching Numicon Heavier/ lighter than owl baby Shape pictures, box model owls Fireworks: Repeating patterns Ordering parcels by size Weighing Parcels	Chinese new year ordinal numbers Money 2D shape dragons Chopstick challenge: time, counting, comparing amounts. Composition 6,7,8 Weighing ingredients for jam tarts	Repeating pattern caterpillars Symmetrical butterflies Ladybird doubles Easter: positional language, data collection	Ordering animal heights/ lengths: non-standard measures. Noah's ark counting in 2's Odd & even numbers: animal pairs 2D & 3D shape dinosaurs Find objects heavier/ lighter/ balance dinosaurs. Measure on playground how long dinosaurs were.	Rainbow fish sharing Money Treasure number bonds/ sharing/ problem solving. Capacity Positional & directional treasure hunt
	Computing	Technology Busy Things Activities	Using a mouse Data handling	Colour magic	Programming Beebots	Entering text Colour magic	Programming Beebots	Yr 1 Espresso coding

Understanding the World	Science	The Natural World	Animals incl Humans: senses Explore the natural world around them and talk about how being outside makes them feel. Describe what they see, hear and feel whilst outside. We are all different: discuss, compare, sort Babies – growing and changing. Skeletons and bones Looking at x rays My 5 Senses. Make musical instruments Sensory bottle.	Seasons/ weather Animals Understand the effect of changing seasons on the natural world around them. Signs of autumn: walk, collections. Nocturnal Animals Mud kitchen recipes Reflective things	Seasons/ weather Describe the impact of the weather and seasons on their daily life. Signs of winter : walk, collections Ice / snow investigation Cooking: changing states: jam tarts	Animals & Plants Seasons/ weather Look closely at similarities and differences in nature, name and describe familiar plants and animals. Show concern for living things and know that plants and animals need water and food. Signs of spring: walk, collections Life cycles: butterflies, duck. Sort/ compare seeds Plant seeds/ bean diary Chocolate Easter nests	Animals & Plants Materials: recycling Find out about the basic needs of humans, plants and animals. Know we need to take care of materials and take responsibility for materials. Develop an understanding of how they might have an impact on the environment and how they can take care of the natural world around them. Matching & naming mother & young. Visit zoo. Animal facts caring for our environment Recycling Mud kitchen recipes	Materials Animals Investigate simple forces, light and sounds and explore how objects move in different ways depending on size and weight. Materials: naming, sorting, properties, magnets, floating & sinking, waterproof treasure bag. Make a boat that floats. Wet & dry sand	
	Participate in investigations and make observations. Ask and respond to questions about familiar objects and talk about observable changes. Ask questions such as ‘what would happen if..?’ Record findings, ideas and observations.								
	DT		Design & make fruit salad/ Cracker face	Cooking: bread & star biscuits	Design & make: Sewing: hand puppet Cooking jam tarts	Paper-mache minibeast	Model from recycled materials	Make a boat that floats	
	Geog	Past and Present People, Culture & Communities	Barnaby Bear – where food comes from	Weather & seasons UK countries, capitals & seas Geographical skills	Colchester castle visit: Place knowledge Locational Knowledge		Compare environments: Human & Physical Geog.	Human & Physical Geog. Geographical skills Continents & seas of world/ maps	
	History		Famous People Louis Braille Florence Nightingale Mary Seacole	Famous person & event: Guy Fawkes	Castle visit Famous people: Queen Elizabeth 1 st & 2 nd	World Book Day – Famous authors past and present	Look at boats through time.		
RE	Special people Harvest, Birthdays and celebrations Similarities and differences Raksha Bandham		Special symbols & objects Diwali – How people celebrate + different countries Remembrance day Children In Need Christmas: Nativity Story	Special words & stories Chinese New Year Celebrations - Names in Chinese characters Where is China? Similarities and differences.	Special things in nature Mother’s Day Celebrations Easter – How people celebrate Red Nose Day	Special places	Special ways of living		
Expressive Arts & Design	Art	Creating with materials Being imaginative and Expressive	Painting & Portraits Paul Klee: face Antony Gormley: Clay Sculpture Skeleton art	3D Work: clay pot, natural art: leaf man Andy Goldsworthy. Printing Van Gough: Starry Night	Printing Collage Klimt: Castle in sun Klimt: The Kiss	Textiles: weaving Spider weaver Drawing 3D work: Paper Mache Matisse: The snail	Painting Printing Monet: Lilly pond	Drawing Collage The Great Wave: Hokusai Seascape: Van Gough	
	Music Dance: see PE		Charanga: Me Music Express FS Special people: beat & tempo	Charanga: Everyone Music Express FS Going places: high & low Performance	Charanga: My stories Music Express FS Moving patterns: structure	Charanga: Our World Music Express FS Growth & change: loud & quiet	Charanga: The big bear funk Music Express FS Working world: texture	Charanga: Reflect, Rewind & replay Music Express FS Our Senses: Timbre	

Physical Development	PE	Gross Motor Skills Outdoor physical play, ride on toys, climbing equipment	Gym: Introductory Unit: space, travel, body awareness. Dance: I've got a body a very busy body, follow my feet, shadows Lets move: We've got the body rhythm, People who help us Learning about how we keep ourselves fit & healthy, constructing a gym trail to keep ourselves fit. Discuss how we use, carry & store equipment & resources carefully		Games: beanbag skills Dance: stars, autumn leaves Lets move: Diwali festival of lights, fireworks, Twas the night before Christmas. Firework night PE: Racing rockets obstacle course: focus on transporting/ handling equipment Space hopper obstacle course.		Gym: Travelling Games: using a ball Dance: Let's Move: Chinese new year; Knights, castles and dragons. The smartest giant in own Gingerbread man obstacle course. Timed circuit training Jolly Postman: deliver items		Gym: stretching & curling Games: using a ball Dance: the hungry caterpillar. Let's move: The Gruffalo, Wood in the wood, Minibeasts, Opposites, Aesop's fables Gruffalo obstacle course. Timed circuit training		Gym: travelling & taking weight Games: using hoops & quoits Dance: Dinosaurs Lets move: Greedy zebra, Handa's surprise, The snail and the whale, Noah & the ark		Athletic skills Games: using ropes, bats & balls Dance: The rainbow fish BBC Lets move: under the sea, pirates. Follow the map: outdoor obstacle course/ treasure hunt. Outdoor play equipment, Scooters/bikes Balance beam toys Sports day		
		Fine Motor Skills Forming letters with increasing control over formation Scissor control Cutlery	skeletons: pasta, finger prints, cutting art straws Play dough Messy play		Clay diva lamps, clay hedgehogs Pine cone weaving Tweezers & acorns Conkers in water tray and spoons Leaf threading: leafs, string, twig Bubble blowing Starry night printing Tap a shape owl, hedgehog,		Tap a shape: castle Peg board castle flags Building towers: balancing cubes Multilink castles Sewing story puppets Fuzzy felts: traditional tales. Traditional tale puzzles. Messy play: fake snow, soap flakes, objects in ice cubes. Chop stick challenge		Spider weaving. Chopping fruit for fruit salad threading caterpillars split pin caterpillars wiggly worm fine motor game Spider weaving. tweezers & seeds fuzzy felts garden		Tweezers & colour beads/buttons Dinosaur puzzles and threading cards. Tap a shape: dinosaur picture/ jungle animals. Jungle animals finger puppets		Split pin pirates Padlocks & keys Rainbow fish weaving Forming letters with increasing control over formation and sitting letters on the line		
PSHE	Relationships Living in the wider world Health & well being	Self-Regulation Managing Self Building Relationships Becoming me Becoming a friend Becoming a citizen Talk about feelings & behaviour through stories	Friendships Shared responsibilities Ourselves, growing & changing		Families Communities		Managing hurtful behaviour & bullying Respecting self & others		Media, Literacy & digital resilience Healthy Lifestyles Keeping safe		Safe relationships Mental Health		Economic wellbeing: Money Aspirations, work & career		
			Starting school Separating from carer Making friends Trying new activities Working and playing together Listening and taking turns Respecting and learning to follow school rules Following instructions PSHE story: We are all different, Titch		PSHE story: 'Owl who was afraid of the dark.' Joining our house teams in whole school activities. Keeping safe on Bonfire night, safety rules for Autumn walk & walking to pre-school nativity. How to keep safe crossing the road Children join in with Christmas celebrations & nativity. Learning how to be part of a class play on the stage in front of an audience.		Confident to try new activities Bring in favourite story book: share with class why you like it. We all have different favourite things. PSHE story: Sharing books with our Buddy. Working in groups to act out stories. Big Build project: group castle build Keeping warm outside		PSHE story: The ugly bug, Bad tempered ladybird People who are special to us. Mother's Day. Whole school: Easter egg hunt in our house teams. The Hungry Caterpillar: Healthy eating, Importance of washing hands: after handling animals, gardening etc.		PSHE story: harry and the bucketful of dinosaurs, Dinosaurs & all that rubbish & vets role play, dear zoo gives opportunities to discuss how we should care for animals & the environment. Big build project: Den building Maths Morning with our Buddies. Keeping safe in the sun and when out and about.		Pirate school: opportunities to discuss how we should behave and treat people. Big Build project: pirate ship PSHE story: Rainbow fish: What makes us special? Pirate Pete Keeps fit. Sports day Report writing: reflecting on their achievements and next steps. Children visit new Year 1 class. Pre-school visits children model friendly, good behaviour, help new children. children form relationships Story Keeping safe in the sun and when out and about.		
Our Learning Environment Providing a stimulating, exciting & challenging learning environment for our children.		Role play	Book corners	Writing & mark making	Maths areas	Art area Malleable materials	ICT	Investigation area	Construction Building site	Small world	Sand & water Mud kitchen	Vegetable & wildlife gardens	Music	Making station	Physical play area Wheeled toys.

Our main aim is to provide a stimulating, exciting, purposeful and fun curriculum where all children can build on their learning and reach their full potential. We will be following both the Foundation Stage Curriculum and the Key Stage 1 Curriculum to meet the individual needs of the Reception and Year 1 children in the class. Learning opportunities for both year groups are planned with clearly defined learning objectives to address the specific needs of the children. In the Foundation Stage the learning activities build on the children's experiences, individual needs and interests and are based around play, discussion and practical tasks as well as short, focused teaching sessions, hence planning is flexible. Our curriculum aims to help children achieve the Early Learning Goals by the end of the EYFS with provision for children to take part in active, hands-on experiences both inside and outside the classroom involving a balance of adult focussed and child led activities. Our year 1 children are supported to make the transition into the Key Stage 1 curriculum guided by the Key Stage 1 National Curriculum. Lessons are planned to engage children's curiosity and promote resilience and independence. We do this by ensuring children are expected to explore, question and apply key concepts in interesting ways and gain the essential skills and knowledge they need.

We use stories as a stimulus for learning across the curriculum. Each week we choose a book to inspire the children's learning. This allows the children time to become immersed in books and stories and really enjoy the stimulus stories can give our imagination and learning. It helps foster a love of literacy and supports children in developing their own interests and ideas to develop their learning. Our role play areas provide opportunities for the children to develop their skills across the curriculum. They can apply their growing social and communication skills, explore numbers in real situations, apply their emerging writing skills, develop their understanding of their world and apply their own imaginative, creative ideas and thinking skills

Autumn 1	September	October	Autumn 2	November	December
Amazing Me Yr 1 Science: Humans Yr 1: History Famous people: 	2x Induction weeks All about me 3: Kipper's Birthday 4: Funny bones Role Play: Doctors	5: Funny bones 6: Anna's amazing multi-coloured glasses. senses 7: Keeping healthy Role play: fruit & veg stall	Autumn days and Starry Nights Yr1 History: famous people Science: animals 	1: Fireworks/ Diwali 2: Autumn 3: Hedgehogs Role play: Gruffalo cave 4: Owl Babies	5: The owl who was afraid of the dark Role Play: Santa's workshop 6: Christmas 7: Christmas
	Half term			Christmas Holiday	
Spring 1	January	February	Spring 2	March	April
Once upon a time Yr 1: History: local place 	1: Winter 2: Chinese New Year Role Play: Chinese restaurant 3: Into the castle Role play: castle 4: Queen of Hearts Castle visit	5: Nursery Rhymes 6: The Gingerbread man Role play: Bakers shop	Minibeasts & Mega beasts Yr 1 Science: animals 	2: The very hungry caterpillar 3: The bad-tempered ladybird 4: Incy Wincy Spider	5: The ugly duckling 6: Spring/ Easter
	Half term			Easter Holiday	
1: The very ugly bug Role play: vets 					
Summer 1	April	May	Summer 2:	June	July
A Rumble in the Jungle Yr 1 Science animals Geography comparing localities 	1: Down by the cool of the pool 2: The pig in the pond Farm or Zoo visit	3: Rumble in the jungle 4: Dinosaurs roar/ Harry and his bucketful of dinosaurs 5: Dinosaurs and all that rubbish	A Commotion in the ocean. Yr 1 Science: materials Geography: maps seas and oceans 	1: Commotion in the ocean Role play: beach café 2: The rainbow fish 3: 10 little pirates 4: Pirate Pete and the treasure island	5: Pirate's Role Play: pirate ship & cave 6: Pirate's 7: Moving on 
	Half term			Summer holiday	