

Yearly Curriculum Overview - Year 1

2024/2025



	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Topic/Theme	Homes	Toys	Journeys	Plants and Birds	Animals	Around the World
Introductory activity	Den Building	Autumn Day Bring a toy to school	Send Flat Stanley around the world	Walk around the school take iPad pictures	Visit to White Post Farm	Clip n climb - Structures
Literacy - learning outcome	A letter to Mummy Pig Description: Window view Story re-tell	Toy fact file / Toy for Sale Poster A Rescue Story ending	Bus iPad Story Story – Adventure on the moon Letter	Story - Magic Plant Factual Owl poster Diary - C Nibble	Newspaper Report What am I? Rhyme Descriptive story/ Adventure underwater	Instructions – for a Building Diary – Bog Baby Story - imaginative
Main Texts	Writing to inform/entertain. Traditional tales: The Three Little Pigs Rapunzel / The clock tower video Literacy Shed Town mouse and Country mouse	Writing to inform/entertain. Stories with familiar settings: Robot Dog Toy Story - video clips	Writing to entertain. Fantasy stories and Stories with familiar settings Flat Stanley The Naughty Bus The Way Back Home	Writing to inform/entertain. Traditional tale and stories with a familiar setting. Poetry. The Enormous Turnip Christopher Nibble Owl poems Wow! Said the Owl	Writing to inform/entertain. Fantasy stories and Stories with familiar settings. Rhyming story/ Rhymes A Squash and a Squeeze Alistair Underwater Poetry: Commotion in the Ocean Bubbles – video Literacy Shed	Writing to inform. Stories with familiar settings Iggy Peck the architect The Bog Baby The Story Machine
Science	Everyday Materials Seasonal Changes –		Materials investigations	Plants Birds	Animals / Senses	Seasons

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	Ongoing throughout the year.					
History Geography	<p>H: What were household objects like in the past?</p> <p>G: What are homes like in West Bridgford and around the world?</p>	<p>H: What were toys like when our grandparents were little?</p> <p>G: What countries can you find on a world map?</p>	<p>H: How did people use to travel?</p> <p>G: What is it like to live in West Bridgford?</p>	<p>G: Where are the different plants in the school grounds?</p>	<p>G: Where could sea creatures live?</p>	<p>H: How have communications changed over time?</p> <p>H: What buildings make Nottingham famous?</p> <p>G: Where can you find famous buildings around the world?</p>
Art	<p>Drawing focus</p> <p>Shapes, houses, printing</p>	<p>Painting (colour mixing) printing / pattern</p> <p>Takahashi Murakami</p>	<p>Light/dark. Shading and painting (colour mixing)</p>	<p>Painting</p> <p>Georgia O'Keeffe</p>	<p>Collage</p> <p>Sculpture</p> <p>Henri Matisse</p>	
DT		<p>Templates and joining</p> <p>- Design and make a felt puppet</p>				<p>Structures – free standing. Design a piece of playground equipment.</p> <p>Food – design and make a biscuit.</p>

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Music	Menu song	Colonel Hathi's march Christmas production	Football	Recorders	Dancing and drawing to Nautilus Cat and mouse	Come dance with me
Computing	iAlgorithm	iModel iWatch	iDraw Book creator iPlay	iProgram(1) iShare	iProgram(2) iPlay more	iData
RE	Belonging	Diwali and Christmas Celebrations	Jesus' Miracles and stories	Jewish Stories (Moses and Jonah) Easter 1	From Creation to Shabbat	Visiting a Christian Church
PE	Ball skills PPA Fitness	Sending and receiving PPA Yoga	Team building PPA Gymnastics	Target games PPA Dance	Striking and fielding PPA Net and wall	Invasion PPA Athletics
PHSE – Jigsaw	Being Me	Celebrating Differences	Dreams and Goals	Healthy Me	Relationships	Changing Me