



Medium Term Plan Overview 2025-2026

Year 2

Autumn 2

	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6
Writing	Fiction: story setting North pole setting description. Text Tom Fletcher - 'Christmasaurus' Picture Book See MTP	Fiction: story setting North pole setting description. Text Tom Fletcher - 'Christmasaurus' Picture Book See MTP	Writing to recount: diary entry Experience in the North Pole Text Tom Fletcher - 'Christmasaurus' Picture Book See MTP	Writing to recount: diary entry Experience in the North Pole Text Tom Fletcher - 'Christmasaurus' Picture Book See MTP	Writing to recount: diary entry Experience in the North Pole Text Tom Fletcher - 'Christmasaurus' Picture Book See MTP	Writing to inform: Non- chronological report Text Tom Fletcher - 'Christmasaurus' Picture Book See MTP
Reading (Class Text)	Tom Fletcher - 'Christmasaurus' and the Winter Witch	Tom Fletcher - 'Christmasaurus' and the Winter Witch	Tom Fletcher - 'Christmasaurus' and the Winter Witch	Tom Fletcher - 'Christmasaurus' and the Winter Witch	Tom Fletcher - 'Christmasaurus' and the Winter Witch	Tom Fletcher - 'Christmasaurus' and the Winter Witch
Reading	The Hodgeheg by Dick-King Smith (Non-fiction) Orientation	The Hodgeheg by Dick-King Smith (Non-fiction) Vocabulary	The Hodgeheg by Dick-King Smith (Non-fiction) Higher order reading skills	The Hodgeheg by Dick-King Smith (Non-fiction) Warm application	Assessment week	Unseen text (non-fiction)
Handwriting	Capital letters I know how to form I P B Joining pairs I know how to form	Capital letters I know how to form R D U Joining pairs I know how to form	Capital letters I know how to form L E F M A Joining pairs I know how to form	Capital letters I know how to form T I J Joining pairs I know how to form	Capital letters I know how to form H K N Joining pairs I know how to form	Capital letters I know how to form C G O Q S Joining pairs I know how to form

	ab, th, ck, if, il	la, ac, co, ng, us	fi, on, wa, vy, em	kn, ip, ar, lu, ky	tw, iv, ex, uz, go	ye, br, bi, be, pa
Phonics and Spelling	GPC's Phase 5 review I know how to read and spell words with the GPC's: /ai/ /ee/ /igh/ /oa/ I know how to spell the following words: straight, great, they, family, people, believe, time bright, eye, most alone, although, show, grey, reply, happy	GPC's Phase 5 review I know how to read and spell words with the GPC's: /oo/ /yoo/ /air/ /ur/ /ow/ I know how to spell the following words: useful, true, though, share, where, their, hurt, circle, world, about, frown, mouth, new, unfair, term, crowd	GPC's Phase 5 review I know how to read and spell words with the GPC's: /or/ /zh/ /ch/ /sh/ I know how to spell the following words: before, talk, thought, explosion, vision, usual, chance, pitch, adventure, station, delicious, sure, yawn, catch, position, illusion	GPC's Phase 5 review I know how to read and spell words with the GPC's: /j/ /s/ alternative /e/ /i/ /o/ /u/ /oo/ I know how to spell the following words: gem, badge, charge, freshness, castle, once, young, instead, because, author, colour, hour, judge, listen, mother, pretty	GPC's Phase 5 review I know how to read and spell words with the GPC's: /y/ ie/ ea/ a/ I know how to spell the following words: cities, shriek, friend, sorry, reply, myth, please, measure, great, action, basic, water, shriek, spy, bread, waterfall	Assess and review
Maths	Addition and Subtraction Including: - Subtract from a 10. - Subtract a 1 digit number - Subtract from a 2 digit number (across a ten)	Addition and Subtraction Including: - Add and subtract 10s - Add two 2 digit numbers - Subtract two 2 digit numbers.	Addition and Subtraction Including: - Mixed addition and subtraction. - Compare number sentences - Missing number problems	Shape Including: - Recognise 2D and 3D shapes - Count sides and vertices on 2D shapes. - Draw 2D shapes	Assessment week	Shape Including: - Lines of symmetry on shapes and use to complete shapes. - Sort 2D shapes. - Count faces on 3D shapes
Science	Living things and their habitats I know the differences between things that are living, dead and things that have never been alive and can compare them.	Living things and their habitats I know a variety of plants and animals habitats	Living things and their habitats I know a variety of plants and animals microhabitats	Living things and their habitats I know how different habitats allow for different plants and animals to depend on each other.	Living things and their habitats I know how animals obtain their food from plants and other animals using the idea of food chains.	Living things and their habitats I know how to identify and name different sources of food. Assessment

		I know how different habitats provide for the basic needs of different kinds of plants and animals.	I know how different microhabitats provide for the basic needs of different kinds of plants and animals.			
Art	Drawing - self portraits I know how to critique famous paintings I know the history of self portrait artwork.	Drawing - self portraits I know how to create lines of different: size, thickness, orientation and density.	Drawing - self portraits I know how to create a 4 box scaled of light to dark using linear and hatching using HB/3B/3H pencils.	Drawing - self portraits I know how to create a simple drawing then use linear and hatching to show light and shadow.	Drawing - self portraits I know how to draw a self-portrait using careful observation of features and proportions	Drawing - self portraits I know how to critique my own work. I know how to critique my peers' work.
Computing	The Internet I know how the internet, the World Wide Web and a browser work together.	The Internet I know the different types of hardware used to access the internet and their functions.	The Internet I know the difference between a website and a webpage and can use the school website to find information.	The Internet I know the difference between a browser and a search engine. I know how to practise searching for information safely.	Online Safety Online relationships	Online Safety Online relationships
DT						
French	Seasons It's warm	Seasons It's hot	Seasons It's cold	Seasons It's cool	Seasons It's wet	Seasons Consolidation
Geography						
History	Space exploration and flight I know and understand the basic concept of flight and its importance.	Space exploration and flight I know and understand how aeroplanes have changed since the early 1900s.	Space exploration and flight I know key figures in space exploration and their contributions.	Space exploration and flight I know the impact of space technology on daily life.	Space exploration and flight I know the contributions of women and diverse figures to space exploration and flight.	Space exploration and flight I know, in basic terms, how aeroplanes and rockets work.
Music	Carnival	Carnival	Carnival	Bird song	Bird song	Bird song

	I know how to play tuned and untuned instruments musically	I know how to listen with concentration and understand a range of high-quality live and recorded music	I know how to experiment with, create, select, and combine sounds using the inter-related dimensions of music	I know how to play tuned and untuned instruments musically.	I know how to listen with concentration and understand a range of high-quality live and recorded music.	I know how to experiment with, create, select, and combine sounds using the inter-related dimensions of music.
PE	Dance I know how to remember, repeat and link actions to tell the story of my dance. I know how to develop an understanding of dynamics and how they can show an idea.	Dance I know how to use counts of 8 to stay in time with the music. I know how to copy, remember and repeat actions using facial expressions to show different characters.	Dance I know how to explore pathways and levels. I know how to remember and rehearse our circus show dance showing expression and character.	Dance I know how to copy, repeat and create actions in response to a stimulus. I know how to copy, create and perform actions considering dynamics.	Dance I know how to create a short dance with a partner showing clear changes of speed. I know how to copy, repeat and create movement patterns in response to the theme.	Dance I know how to create and perform using unison, mirroring and matching with a partner. I know how to remember and repeat actions and dance as a group.
PSHE	Celebrating difference I know and understand that sometimes people make assumptions about boys and girls (stereotypes)	Celebrating difference I know and understand that sometimes people make assumptions about boys and girls (stereotypes)	Celebrating difference I know that bullying is sometimes about differences.	Celebrating difference I know and can recognise what is right and wrong and know how to look after myself.	Celebrating difference I know that it is ok to be different from other people and to be friends with them.	Celebrating difference I know some ways that I am different from my friends.
RE	Islam - Life Journey I know and recognise key Muslim Beliefs	Islam - Life Journey I know and recognise the term Ummah	Islam - Life Journey I know how prayer (Salah) creates a sense of belonging for Muslims	Islam - Life Journey I know how to explore how a Muslim baby is welcomed (aqiqah)	Islam - Life Journey I know how to explore how a Christian baby is welcomed	Islam - Life Journey I know how to compare and contrast birth rites in Christianity and Islam
Personal Development	KS1 Christmas performance					