

Theme Overview 2023 – 2024 CYCLE B

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Reception and Year 1							
Autumn 1	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6	Week 7
Theme	Routines and Expectations	Theme 1B – Science Seasons – Autumn and Winter: What happens when the weather gets colder?				Creative 1B Drawing and Painting	Theme 2B - History Past and Present: Family and Me
Music	Music 1B: Introducing Tempo and Dynamics - How does music make the world a better place?						
Computing	e-safety introduction						Computing 1B: Data and Information – Grouping Data
R.E	Unit F4: Being special: where do we belong?						
PSHE	Myself and My Relationships 5: My Emotions						
P.E	Games Unit 1 – Focus on Ball Skills and Games Gymnastics Unit D - Flight						

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Autumn 2	Week 8	Week 9	Week 10	Week 11	Week 12	Week 13	Week 14	Week 15
Theme	Assessment and Retrieval	Theme 2B - History Past and Present: Family and Me			Design Technology 1B Mechanisms: Sliders and Levers	Theme 3B – Geography Our Village Environment		
Music						Music 2B: Christmas Performance		
Computing	Computing 1B: Data and Information – Grouping Data							
R.E	Enrichment Day Unit F1: Why is the word 'God' special to Christians?	Unit F2: Why is Christmas special for Christians?						
PSHE	Myself and My Relationships 2 and 7 Anti-Bullying	Healthy and Safer Lifestyles 9: Personal Safety						
P.E	<p align="center">Games Unit 2 – Throwing and Catching, Aiming Games</p> <p align="center">Dance Unit 1 – Streamers, Conkers and Playing with a Ball</p>							

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Spring 1	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6	Week 7	
Theme	Theme 3B – Geography Our Village Environment	Creative 2B Drawing and Collage	Theme 4B – Science Animals: Who lives in a house like this?				Design Technology 2B Structures: Freestanding Structures	
Music	Music 2A: Instrumental Teaching							
Computing			Computing 2B: Programming – Moving a Robot					
R.E	Unit 1.7: Who is Jewish and how do they live? (Part 2)							
PSHE	Healthy and Safer Lifestyles 3 and 7: Healthy Lifestyles							
P.E	Dance Unit 2 – March, March. March and Jack and the Beanstalk Gymnastics Unit E – Points and Patches							

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Spring 2	Week 8 27.02.23	Week 9 06.03.23	Week 10 13.03.23	Week 11 20.03.23	Week 12 27.03.23
Theme	Assessment and Retrieval Theme 5B – History Beyond Living Memory: Burn and Build	Theme 5B – History Beyond Living Memory: Burn and Build			Creative 3A Drawing and 3-D
Music	Music 3B: Combining Pulse, Rhythm and Pitch - How does music help us to understand our neighbours?				
Computing					
R.E	Enrichment Day Unit F6: What times/stories are special and why?	Unit F3: Why is Easter special to Christians?			
PSHE	Healthy and Safer Lifestyles 5: Digital Lifestyles	Healthy and Safer Lifestyles 2 and 8: Keeping Safe, Drug Education			
P.E	Gymnastics Unit F – Rocking and Rolling Dance Unit 3 - Fog and Sunshine, Washing Day and Handa's Surprise				

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Summer 1	Week 1 17.04.23	Week 2 24.04.23	Week 3 02.05.23 (no Mon)	Week 4 08.05.23	Week 5 15.05.23	Week 6 22.05.23
Theme	Theme 6B – Geography Our Special Country			Assessment and Retrieval KS2 SATs	Assessment and Retrieval KS1 SATs	Theme 6B – Geography Our Special Country
Music						
Computing	Computing 3B: Programming – Introduction to Animation					
R.E	Unit 1.1: What do Christians believe God is like?					
PSHE	Healthy and Safer Lifestyles 10: Relationships and Sex Education			Economic Wellbeing 1: Financial Capability		Healthy and Safer Lifestyles 10: Relationships and Sex Education
P.E	Athletics Unit 1 Games Unit 3 – Bat and Ball Skills and Games					

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Summer 2	Week 7	Week 8	Week 9	Week 10	Week 11	Week 12
Theme	Design Technology 3B Food: Preparing Fruit and Vegetables	Theme 7B – Science Materials: What happens if we add hot or cold to it?				End of Term
Music		Music 4A: Having Fun with Improvisation – What songs can we sing to help us through the day?				
Computing	Computing 3B: Programming – Introduction to Animation					
R.E	Unit 1.1: What do Christians believe God is like?					
PSHE	Citizenship 2 and 4: Me and My World, Diversity and Communities					
P.E	Athletics Unit 1 Games Unit 4 – Developing Partner Work					

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Years 2 and 3							
Autumn 1	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6	Week 7
Theme	Routines and Expectations	Theme 1B – Science Use of Everyday Materials and Rocks: Why are there different materials and rocks?				Creative 1B Drawing and Painting	Theme 2B - History Significant Local Events: Rules and Schools
Music	Music 1B: Developing Notation Skills - How does music bring us closer together?					Music 2B: Sharing Musical Experiences - How does music help us to get to know our community?	
Computing	e-safety introduction						Computing 1B: Computing Systems and Networks – Connecting Computers
R.E	Unit 1.4: What is the 'good news' Christians say Jesus brings?						
PSHE	Myself and My Relationships 5 and 10: My Emotions						
P.E	Games Unit 1- Ball Skills Gymnastics Unit L and M – Stretching, Curling and Symmetry						

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Autumn 2	Week 8	Week 9	Week 10	Week 11	Week 12	Week 13	Week 14	Week 15
Theme	Assessment and Retrieval	Theme 2B - History Significant Local Events: Rules and Schools			Design Technology 1B Structures: Shell Structures	Theme 3B – Geography All Around the World		
Music						Music 3B: Christmas Performance		
Computing	Computing 1B: Computing Systems and Networks – Connecting Computers				Computing 2B: Creating Media – Animation			
R.E	Enrichment Day Unit L2.2: What is it like for someone to follow God?	Unit 1.4: What is the 'good news' Christians say Jesus brings?						
PSHE	Myself and My Relationships 7 and 12 Anti-Bullying	Healthy and Safer Lifestyles 9 and 16: Personal Safety						
P.E	Dance Unit 2 – The Explorers Games Unit 3 – Net, Court and Wall Games							

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Theme	Theme 3B – Geography All Around the World	Creative 2B Drawing and Collage	Theme 4B – Science Plants and Animals including Humans: How do living things grow?				Design Technology 2B Food: Healthy and Varied Diet
Music	Music 4B: Composing Using Your Imagination – How does music make the world a better place?						
Computing			Computing 3B: Creating Media – Desktop Publishing				Computing 4B: Data and Information – Branching Databases
R.E	Unit L2.9 How do festivals and worship show what matters to a Muslim?						
PSHE	Healthy and Safer Lifestyles 12: Safety Contexts						
P.E	Dance Unit 3 – The Eagle and the Fish Swimming						

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Spring 2	Week 9	Week 10	Week 11	Week 12	Week 13
Theme	Assessment and Retrieval Theme 5B – History Roman Britain: Romans and Celts	Theme 5B – History Roman Britain: Romans and Celts			Creative 3A Drawing and 3-D
Music	Music 5B: Enjoying Improvisation - What stories does music tell us about the past?				Music 6B: Learning More About Musical Styles - How does music make a difference to us every day?
Computing					
R.E	Enrichment Day Unit L2.4: What kind of world did Jesus want?	Unit 1.5: Why does Easter matter to Christians?			
PSHE	Healthy and Safer Lifestyles 5: Digital Lifestyles and e-safety	Healthy and Safer Lifestyles 8 and 15: Drug Education			
P.E	Gymnastics Unit O - Travelling Swimming				

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Theme	Theme 6B – Geography From Source to Sea			Assessment and Retrieval KS2 SATs	Assessment and Retrieval KS1 SATs	Theme 6B – Geography From Source to Sea
Music						
Computing	Computing 5B: Programming – Sequence in Music					
R.E	Unit L2.10: How do festivals and family life show what matters to Jews?(Part 2)					
PSHE	Healthy and Safer Lifestyles 10 and 17: Relationships and Sex Education, Sex and Relationship Education			Economic Wellbeing 2: Financial Capability		Healthy and Safer Lifestyles 10 and 17: Relationships and Sex Education, Sex and Relationship Education
P.E	Athletics Unit 1 Games Unit 2 – Creative Game Making					

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Theme	Design Technology 3B Textiles: 2-D shape to 3-D product	Theme 7B – Science Forces and Magnets: How does a magnetic force work?				End of Term
Music		Music 7B: Recognising Different Sounds – How does music connect us with our planet?				
Computing	Computing 6B: Programming – Events and Actions					
R.E	Unit L2.12: How and why do people try to make the world a better place?					
PSHE	Citizenship 4 and 7: Diversity and Communities					
P.E	Athletics Unit 2 Games Unit 4 - Striking					

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Years 4, 5 and 6							
Autumn 1	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6	Week 7
Theme	Routines and Expectations	Theme 1B – Science Properties and changes of materials: How do I separate a mixture?				Creative 1B Drawing and Painting	Theme 2B - History Ancient Greece: Achievements and Legacy
Music	Music 1B: Getting Started with Music Tech – How does music bring us together?					Music 2B: Introducing Chords – How does music teach us about our community?	
Computing	e-safety introduction						Computing 1B: Computing Systems and Networks – Sharing Information
R.E	Unit U2.1: What does it mean for Christians to believe that God is holy and loving?						
PSHE	Myself and My Relationships 10 and 15: My Emotions						
P.E	Games Unit 2 – Invasion and Target Gymnastics Unit T and U – Bridges and Flight						

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Autumn 2	Week 8	Week 9	Week 10	Week 11	Week 12	Week 13	Week 14	Week 15
Theme	Assessment and Retrieval	Theme 2B - History Ancient Greece: Achievements and Legacy			Design Technology 1B Food: Celebrating Culture and Seasonality	Theme 3B – Geography Californian Climate		
Music						Music 3B: Exploring Key and Time Signatures – How does music improve our world?		
Computing	Computing 1B: Computing Systems and Networks – Sharing Information				Computing 2B: Creating Media- Vector Drawing			
R.E	Enrichment Day Unit L2.3: What is the Trinity and why is it important for Christians?	Unit L2.8: What does it mean to be a Hindu in Britain today?						
PSHE	Myself and My Relationships 12 and 17 Anti-Bullying	Healthy and Safer Lifestyles 16 and 23: Personal Safety						
P.E	Games Unit 3 – Invasion Games Dance Unit 2 – Theseus and the Minotaur							

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Spring 1	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6	Week 7
Theme	Theme 3B – Geography Californian Climate	Creative 2B Drawing and Collage	Theme 4B – Science Animals and Humans: How do our lifestyle choices affect our circulatory system? Living Things: How can we categorise different plants?				Design Technology 2B Electrical Systems: More complex switches and circuits
Music	Music 3B: Exploring Key and Time Signatures – How does music improve our world?	Music 4B: Words, Meaning and Expression – How does music shape our way of life?					
Computing			Computing 3B: Creating Media – Video Editing				Computing 4B: Data and Information – Flat-file Databases
R.E	Unit L2.6: For Christians, what was the impact of the Pentecost?						
PSHE	Healthy and Safer Lifestyles 12 and 19: Safety Contexts						
P.E	Dance Unit 2 – What a Card Gymnastics Unit V – Functional Use of the Limbs						

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Theme	Assessment and Retrieval Theme 5B – History Chronological Study: Conflict and Suffering	Theme 5B – History Chronological Study: Conflict and Suffering			Creative 3A Drawing and 3-D
Music	Music 5B: Emotions and Musical Styles – How does music connect us with our past?				Music 6B: Identifying Important Musical Elements – How does music connect us with the environment?
Computing					
R.E	Enrichment Day Unit U2.5: What do Christians believe Jesus did to 'save' people?	Unit U2.9: Why is the Torah so important to Jewish people?			
PSHE	e-safety	Healthy and Safer Lifestyles 15 and 22: Drug Education			
P.E	Gymnastics Unit W – Spinning and Turning Dance Unit 1 - Rubbish				

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Theme	Theme 6B – Geography Trade, Resources and Economy			Assessment and Retrieval KS2 SATs	Assessment and Retrieval KS1 SATs	Theme 6B – Geography Trade, Resources and Economy
Music						
Computing	Computing 5B: Programming – Selection in Physical Computing					
R.E	Unit U2.10: What matters most to Humanists and Christians?					
PSHE	Healthy and Safer Lifestyles 17 and 24: Relationships and Sex Education, Sex and Relationship Education			Economic Wellbeing 3: Financial Capability		Healthy and Safer Lifestyles 17 and 24: Relationships and Sex Education, Sex and Relationship Education
P.E	Athletics Unit 1 Games Unit 1 – Net, Court and Wall					

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Theme	Design Technology 3B Structures: Frame Structures	Theme 7B – Science Earth and Space: What is the role of the Earth in the Solar System?				End of Term
Music		Music 7B: End of Term Performance				
Computing	Computing 6B: Programming – Selection in Quizzes					
R.E	Unit U2.12: How does faith help people when life gets hard?					
PSHE	Citizenship 7 and 10: Diversity and Communities					
P.E	Athletics Unit 2 Games Unit 4 – Striking and Fielding					