

Year 2 Medium Term Plan – Autumn Term 2026

Week	English	Maths	Science	Computing	P.E	R.E	Music	PSHE	Geography	History	Art and Design	Design Technology
1 (2-day week)	Recounts	Number	Animals Including Humans Growing and Changing	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	How can we be Ready, Respectful and Safe?		n/a	n/a	
2	Narrative 'The Frog and the Stranger' Phonics and Get Writing	Place Value Reading and Writing Numbers to 100	Animals Including Humans Animal Babies	Organise, store, retrieve and manipulate data	Swimming Gymnastics	Respectful Religion and World Views	'Hands, Feet, Heart' Listen and appraise	Introductory Lesson: Setting rules		How was School Different in the Past? Were schools different in the past?	Artist Study Frida Kahlo	
3	Narrative 'The Frog and the Stranger' Phonics and Get Writing	Place Value Partitioning Numbers to 100	Animals Including Humans Lifecycles	Organise, store, retrieve and manipulate data	Swimming Gymnastics	Why do we need to give thanks?	'Hands, Feet, Heart' Learning a new song	My Healthy Self How can we look after our bodies?		How was School Different in the Past? How have schools changed within living memory?	Drawing How do you draw faces?	
4	Narrative 'The Frog and the Stranger' Phonics and Get Writing	Place Value Estimating and Comparing Numbers	Animals Including Humans Lifecycles	Organise, store, retrieve and manipulate data	Swimming Gymnastics	Why do we need to give thanks?	'Hands, Feet, Heart' Glockenspiels	My Healthy Self How can we look after our bodies?		How was School Different in the Past? How were schools different in the 1900s?	Painting How do make skin tones with paint?	
5	Poetry 'Fantastic Book of First Poems' Phonics and Get Writing	Place Value Counting in steps of 2, 3, 5 and 10	Animals Including Humans Basic Needs	Organise, store, retrieve and manipulate data	Swimming Gymnastics	Why do we need to give thanks?	'Hands, Feet, Heart' Glockenspiels	My Healthy Self How can we look after our bodies?		How was School Different in the Past? How have schools changed?	Painting Drawing a Family Portrait	

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6	Instructions 'How to Make Friends with a Ghost' Phonics and Get Writing	Addition and Subtraction Number Bonds to 10, 20 and 100	Animals Including Humans Basic Needs	Organise, store, retrieve and manipulate data	Swimming Gymnastics	Why do we need to give thanks?	'Hands, Feet, Heart' Performance	My Healthy Self How can we look after our bodies?		How was School Different in the Past? What is similar and different about schools now and in the past?	Painting How do make skin tones with paint?	
7	Instructions 'How to Make Friends with a Ghost' Phonics and Get Writing	Addition and Subtraction Addition	Animals Including Humans Exercise	Organise, store, retrieve and manipulate data	Swimming Gymnastics	Why do we need to give thanks?	Harvest Festival Songs	My Healthy Self How can we look after our bodies?		How was School Different in the Past? Would you prefer to have gone to school in the past?	Painting How do you paint a portrait?	
8	Instructions 'How to Make Friends with a Ghost' Phonics and Get Writing	Addition and Subtraction Subtraction	Animals Including Humans Keeping Clean	Organise, store, retrieve and manipulate data	Swimming Gymnastics	Why do we need to give thanks?	Harvest Festival Songs	My Healthy Self How can we look after our bodies?		Remembrance Lesson What can we learn from a soldier's story?	Whole School Art Project	
Half Term												
9	Narrative 'Last Stop on Market Street' Phonics and Get Writing	Addition and Subtraction Adding and Subtracting 2-digit numbers	Animals Including Humans Healthy Eating	Keyboard skills	Multi Skills Dance	Why is light important to people?	Christmas Concert Songs	Connecting with Others How can I build safe, kind and caring relationship?	Would you Prefer to Live in a Hot or Cold Place? Where are the continents?			Mechanisms Design a Fairground Wheel
10	Narrative 'Last Stop on Market Street' Phonics and Get Writing	Addition and Subtraction Adding and Subtracting 2-digit numbers	Animals Including Humans Teeth	Keyboard skills	Multi Skills Dance	Why is light important to people?	Christmas Concert Songs	Connecting with Others How can I build safe, kind and		MK Museum School Trip		Mechanisms Planning the Build

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11	Narrative 'Last Stop on Market Street' Phonics and Get Writing	Shape 2D Shapes	Animals Including Humans Knowledge Organisers	Keyboard skills	Multi Skills Dance	Why is light important to people?	Christmas Concert Songs	Connecting with Others How can I build safe, kind and caring relationship?	Would you Prefer to Live in a Hot or Cold Place? Where are the coldest places on Earth?			Mechanisms Building the Frame and Wheels
12	Narrative 'Last Stop on Market Street' Phonics and Get Writing	Shape 3D Shapes	Animals Including Humans Assessment	Write and test simple programs	Multi Skills Dance	Why is light important to people?	Christmas Concert Songs	Connecting with Others How can I build safe, kind and caring relationship?	Would you Prefer to Live in a Hot or Cold Place? Where is the Equator?			Mechanisms Surveying Design Options
13	Letters 'Santa Post' Phonics and Get Writing	Shape Sorting Shapes	Scientist Study	Write and test simple programs	Multi Skills Dance	Why is light important to people?	Christmas Concert Songs	Connecting with Others How can I build safe, kind and caring relationship?	Would you Prefer to Live in a Hot or Cold Place? What is life like in a hot place?			Mechanisms Adding Pods and Decoration
14	Letters 'Santa Post' Phonics and Get Writing	Assessment	Scientist Study	Write and test simple programs	Multi Skills Dance	Why is light important to people?	Christmas Concert Songs	Connecting with Others How can I build safe, kind and caring relationship?	Would you Prefer to Live in a Hot or Cold Place? Do we live in a hot or cold place?		Christmas Cards Calendars Wrapping Paper	
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