

Year 2 Long Term Plan 2026-2027



Griffin Park
Primary School

Year 2	Autumn Term 1	Autumn Term 2	Spring Term 1	Spring Term 2	Summer Term 1	Summer Term 2
ENGLISH	Phonics Phase 5 Narrative: Corin's First Day Bridging Unit: The Way Home For Wolf Talk Unit: Traditional Tales: The Great Fairy Tale Disaster Poetry: four seasons Instructions: How to make a hand puppet.		Non-Fiction – Incredible birds Non- chronological report Poetry -Riddles Narrative: The Owl Who Was Afraid of the Dark Persuasive poster		Talk Unit – Narrative Classic Story :The Wind in the Willows Recount Diary: The Great Fire Of London Talk Unit – Narrative : Aladdin Explanation: If you want to be healthy	
MATHS	Baseline Number: Place Value Number: Addition and Subtraction	Number: Addition and Subtraction Geometry: Shape Fractions	Measurement Number: Money Number: Multiplication and Division	Measurement: Length and Height Measurement: Mass, Capacity & Temperature Time Number: Fractions	Number: Fractions Measurement: Time SATS	Statistics Geometry: Position and direction/Shape
SCIENCE	Match the animal /plant to its habitat. Explain why a habitat/microhabitat for a particular plant or animal is suitable. Carnivores, herbivores and omnivores-food chains. Observe and describe the effect of exercise on the body	Healthy eating Hygiene – washing hands Materials – grouping/properties Weather and seasons-day length	Seasons: Deciduous and evergreen trees Electricity: Appliances/circuits Materials: Properties and suitability of Basic needs of humans including animals Explain the main differences between adult animals and their offspring.	Living, dead and never been alive Describe why the plant is suited to its environment. Describe the similarities and differences of a seed and a bulb Describe the growth of seeds and plants.	What do plants need to stay healthy? Categorise animals/plants according to the conditions they require.. Show how plants and animals in a habitat depend on each other	Healthy diet Hygiene : Brushing teeth Changing materials. Light sources Forces: How different objects move
HISTORY	Toys Changes over time-two generations		The Plague		The Great Fire Of London	

	Communication/ Technology/ fashion The Gunpowder Plot Remembrance Day		Music: How music has evolved over the last 60 years (from grandparent's generation to now) Significant Individuals: Ibn Battuta		Learie Constantine: What made Sir Learie Constantine famous?	
GEOGRAPHY	Aerial photographs and surrounding areas of school, OS symbols, compass work and co0ordinates. Four countries of the UK, characteristics, capital cities The Lake District, human and physical features, comparing with Blackburn. Weather, collecting data in Blackburn and Windermere.		Four countries of the UK, characteristics, capital cities. London landmarks. Continents and oceans. 7 continents and 5 oceans Australia, Northern Territory human and physical features Lake District. Compare and contrast with Blackburn		Animals in the Northern Territory Land use in the Northern Territory Extreme weather Weather: Compare Blackburn/Australia/Windermere's weather	
PE	Gymnastics Might Movers Running	Gymnastics Throwing and catching.	Dance Ball skills	Multi-skills x 2	Rounders (striking and fielding games)	Team Games
ART		Tell A Story Mark making : Techniques, textures, Observational drawings Illustrate a character Imaginary scenes		Life In Colour Mixing secondary colours Texture with paint Collage: Romare Bearden Evaluate and improve		Clay house Tools to create a smooth surface Impressing and joining techniques 3D design Evaluate
DESIGN TECHNOLOGY	Textiles: Puppets		Mechanisms: Moving Monsters		Food: Healthy eating	
MUSIC	Animals	Production	Traditional Western Stories	Musical Me	Space	Myths and Legends
RSHE	Me and My Relationships Valuing Difference		Keeping Safe Rights and Respect		Being My Best Growing and changing	
COMPUTING	Online Safety Programming	Programming With Scratch Junior	Online Safety Animation	Data Handling	Online Safety E-book	Recognise uses of IT
RE	The Bible Why is the Bible such a special book?	Christmas Why was the birth of Jesus such good news?	Jesus Why did Jesus welcome everyone?	Easter How do symbols help us understand the Ester story?	The Church Why is the church a special place for Christians?	Ascension and Pentecost

	Islam, Hinduism or Judaism				Islam, Hinduism or Judaism	What happened at the Ascension and Pentecost?
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