English Overview 2021-2022

We will always be building on previous skills. This overview shows areas of a particular significance and ensures National Curriculum coverage.

Year 1	Autumn	Spring	Summer
Class Reading Book including (changes according to cohort)	A range of picture books. Fiction and non-fiction.	A range of picture books. Fiction and non-fiction.	A range of picture books. Fiction and non-fiction.
		also 'The Jungle Book'	
Key Class Text	'No Place Like Home' by Ronojoy Ghosh Man on the Moon by Simon Bartram 'Harvey Slumfenburger's Christmas Present'	'Traction Man' 'Supertato' 'The Everywhere Bear' 'Cheer up your Teddy Bear Emily Brown.' 'Stanley's Stick' 'Roaming in the Rainforest' 'Over in Jungle' 'The Go Away Bird' 'Flip-Flap Jungle' 'Poo in the Zoo'	'There's a T-Rex in Town' 'Dear Dinosaur' The Wondrous Dinosaurium' The Girl and the Dinosaur Day at the Beach Milo Goes to the seaside Message in a Bottle Wave
Grammar,	Word work each day	Word work each day	Word work each day
punctuation	Daily phonics lessons inc tricky words	Daily phonics lessons inc tricky words	within English lessons, daily phonics lessons and
and word focus	Perfect Pig letters Spider space Conjunctions, suffixes	Capital Cat, Freddy full stop Conjunctions, suffixes, prefixes.	English flash sessions. Marvellous Monkey(Wow words/adjectives)
Spelling Focus	Year 1 spelling patterns HF and tricky words. Weekly spellings. Spelling morning activity. spelling activities Homework	Yr 1 spelling patterns HF and tricky words. Weekly spellings. spelling activities. Spelling check weekly Homework	Yr 1 spelling patterns HF and CE words. Weekly spellings. Spelling morning activity. spelling activities Homework
Writing (genres/opportunities/focus)	Perfect letter/finger spaces Homes: Write about their home/ other environments. Writing a short narrative-looking for a new home. Space: Writing a short narrative - based on a day on the moon. Independent writing- Christmas: Harvey Slumfenburger's Christmas present, Letter to Santa Explain Christmas to an alien based on John Lewis advert. Once-a-term- Writing about the Sleeping Beauty pantomime.	Full-stops/capital letters Toys: Write about a Christmas gift. Write a story based on Traction man's adventures Lost toy poster Labelled story map Whole school writing task - Lost Cat Writing sentences in speech bubbles/ writing lists, using full stops and capital letters when writing sentences. Short narratives.	Adjectives/consolidation of skills Writing using adjectives Writing letters. (Some learning still to be planned) Whole school non-fiction writing task - independent

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Handwriting	Daily worksheet to practise	Handwriting taught in a	Children are confident
	single letters, a-z taught in	handwriting session daily;	with pre-cursive letters;
	handwriting families.	single letters, a-z taught in	some children will use
		handwriting families.	cursive writing in their
		Children practise their	own writing. (Most will
		letters in a handwriting	still use printed)
		book.	
Reading (promoting a love of reading; developing comprehension)	Daily story read by	Daily story read by	Focus on reading pseudo
	teacher/LSA at end of day.	teacher/LSA at end of day.	and real words to
	Reading session weekly	Reading comprehension	prepare children for the
	8.30-8.50	activity once a week	phonics screening check.
	Reading activity once a	based on a story from the	(Intervention where
	week based on a story from	current topic story-	appropriate)
	the current topic story-	comments/evidence to go	Reading/comprehension
	comments/evidence to go	in class reading journal	sessions each week.
	in class reading journal	Appreciating rhymes and	Reading activities 8.40
		poetry through topic	(Some learning still to be
		stories.	planned)
Individual	Reading with:	Reading session 8.20-8.50	Reading session
	-Teacher at least once a	Teacher at least once a	8.20-8.50
Reading to	fortnight.	fortnight (morning	Teacher at least once a
a dulta	-LSA where possible	session)	fortnight (morning
adults	- in phonics sessions with	-LSA -at least once a	session)
(structure; content; frequency)	adult lead.	fortnight (morning	-LSA -at least once a
	- Church volunteers at least	session)	fortnight (morning
	twice a week, priority	Priority readers with	session)
	readers daily.	teacher/LSA daily	Priority readers with
		- in phonics sessions with	teacher/LSA daily
		adult lead.	- in phonics sessions with
		- Church volunteers at	adult lead.
		least twice a week,	- Church volunteers at
		priority readers daily.	least twice a week,
			priority readers daily.