

Year Group: 2	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Class Theme	Castles and Monarchs		Nurturing nurses	The World From Above	By the Seaside	
English	Descriptive writing- castles Story writing- adventure Commas in a list Word types Twinkl Phonics Level 5 Revision	Recounts Non-chronological reports Twinkl Phonics Level 6	Diary of a soldier Simple biography Spooky stories Traditional Tales from other cultures Questions, commands, statements and exclamations Twinkl Phonics Level 6	Healthy Leaflets Riddles Instructions Commands, imperative verbs, exclamation sentences, similes Twinkl Phonics Level 6	Recounts Explanation Texts – linked to science (Life Cycle) SATS Twinkl Phonics Level 6	Adventure stories- island adventures Seaside Poetry Beach safety/sun safety leaflets Exclamation sentences Twinkl Phonics Level 6
Quality Texts	The Paper Bag Princess The Dragon Machine Journey Return Quest The Last Castle		The Tear Thief Hoorah for Mary Seacole Hansel and Gretel The Last Wolf		The Lighthouse Keeper’s Lunch series Katie Morag island Seaside Poetry The Secrets of Black Rock	
Maths	Place Value Addition and Subtraction Shape		Money Multiplication and Division Length and Height Mass, Capacity and Temperature		Statistics Fractions Position and Direction Time Problem Solving	
Science	Materials -Comparative testing -Observation over time -Classifying and grouping		Animals including humans (includes keeping healthy and good hygiene) -Pattern seeking -Secondary sources	Living Things and their Habitats -Classifying and grouping - Pattern seeking	Life Cycles -Research - Observation over time	Plants -Observation over time -Classifying and grouping

	(planting bulbs in preparation)			-Researching from secondary sources -Observation over time		
Skills for Life	Rights, Rules and Responsibilities E-safety	Managing Hurtful Behaviour and Bullying (Anti bullying week)	Children's Mental Health Week	Staying Healthy	Aiming High Ourselves, Growing and Changing	Keeping Safe
Geography		-Recap Geography of the UK -Locating castles around the UK -Castle features and why		Revision of continents and oceans of the world Looking at The North and South Poles and The Equator Aerial photographs Map skills and the use of an atlas	Physical and human geography Describe places and features using simple geographical vocabulary. Make observations about features that give places their character. Locating seaside towns in the UK	
History	Queen Elizabeth I Queen Victoria Significant people from the past	Black History Week	Florence Nightingale Mary Seacole Comparing Hospitals/healthcare/technology Significant individuals LS Lowry			Seasides past and present How places have changed over time Magic Grandad
Art	Portraits (Picasso, Klee, Warhol)		City/Town Scapes (Lowry)		Sculpture	

	Watercolour, oil pastels, pencils, crayons		Colour mixing (powder paint), painting seascapes, perspective (printing), collage, matchstick figures		(Marc Quinn, Jill Towneley, Brendan Jamison) Bread hands, sugar cube sculptures, plastic spoon sculpture, clay tile souvenirs	
D T		Textiles – Puppets		Food -Fruit Smoothies		Mechanisms- Bathing Machine
PE	Locomotion: Dodging Gymnastics: Linking	Ball Skills: Hands 1 Gymnastics Pathways	Ball Skills: Feet Dance: Water	Ball Skills: Hands 2 Dance: Explorers	Locomotion: Jumping Games for Understanding	Health and Wellbeing 1 Health and Wellbeing 2
Computing	IT Around Us	Programming – Robot Algorithms	Digital Photography	Pictograms	Making Music	(Programming – Introduction to quizzes) Programming B – Introduction to Animation
Music	Exploring Simple Patterns	Performing as a Group - Nativity songs	Exploring Feelings Through Music	Inventing a Musical Story	Music that makes you Dance	Exploring Improvisation
RE	Key Question: Is it possible to be kind to everyone all of the time?	Key Question: Why do Christians believe God gave Jesus to the world?	Key Question: Does praying at regular intervals help a Muslim in his/ her everyday life?	Key Question: How important is it to Christians that Jesus came back to life after His crucifixion?	Key Question: Does going to a Mosque give Muslims a sense of belonging?	Key Question: Does completing Hajj make a person a better Muslim?
Special events or visits		Anti Bullying Week KS1 Nativity		World Book Day 2 nd March 2023 Y3/4 concert	Deaf Awareness Day - May	Y5/6 Performance