



St Winefride's Curriculum 2024-25

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Weekly Themes (Word of the Week)	Beginnings Welcome Encounter Identity Understanding Solidarity Rosary Poverty	Service Compassion Accompaniment Remembrance Youth Kingdom Hope Peace Joy	Epiphany Baptism Discipleship Scripture Humility Diversity	Belonging Temperance Prayer Fasting Almsgiving Sacrifice Journey	Mercy Faith Vocation Witness	Communication Pentecost Missionary Trinity Eucharist Missionary Discipleship Support
Whole School PD themes	Mission Protected characteristics	Gender roles and stereotypes Anti-bullying (protected characteristics)	Different Families	Race	Disability	Religion and Belief
Trips, Events and Culture	Residential Warning Zone NSPCC visit	Anti-Bullying Week Panto	World Book Week Safer Internet Day		Careers Week	
Whole School RE Themes:	Creation and Covenant	Prophecy and Promise	Galilee to Jerusalem	Desert to Garden	To the Ends of the Earth	Dialogue and Encounter

Notes

EYFS	Advent		Lent		Pentecost	
PSHE	Module 1, Unit 1 5 x 5-10 minute sessions over 5 days KAPOW: Eco Wellbeing Unit	Module 2, Unit 1 2 x 15 minute sessions Module 2, Unit 2 3 x 20 minute sessions	Module 2, Unit 3 2 x 20 minute sessions Module 2, Unit 4 4 x 20 minute sessions	Module 3, Unit 1 2 x 20 minute sessions Module 3, Unit 2 1 x 20 minute session	Module 1, Unit 2 3 x 20 minute sessions Module 1, Unit 3 3 x 20 minute sessions	Module 1, Unit 4 1 x 20 minute session
English	Fairy tales Bible stories		Traditional stories from around the world Interactive PowerPoints		Interactive PowerPoints Short films	



	Fiction Rhyming Non-fiction PSHE Interactive PowerPoints Short films Auto/biographies	Short films Bible stories Fiction Rhyming Non-fiction PSHE Auto/biographies	Bible stories Fiction Rhyming Non-fiction PSHE Auto/biographies
Texts	Eric and the Red Planet Neil Armstrong The Girl Who Went into Space On the Moon Zoom, Rocket, Zoom Roaring Rockets The Nativity How to Catch a Star A Place for Pluto Rocket Girl The Way Back Home Solar Systems Amazing Adventures The Darkest Dark What We'll Build Once Upon a Star How to Catch the Star The Nativity	The World Came to My Place for Tea Today Dear Earth Noah's Ark Diary of a Wombat My First Chinese New Year Anansi the Spider The Emperor's Eggs Rumble in the Jungle The Easter Story The Terrible Chenoo Where on Earth Blue Planet 2 An Atlas of Imaginary Places	The Boat Noah's Ark Once Upon a Raindrop David Attenborough The Rhythm of the Rain Douglas Drip The Water Princess A River A Planet Full of Plastic Hey Water Dear Earth Paper Boat presents, Hope, the Boat
Maths	Number and place value: Numbers to 5 Addition and subtraction: Sorting Number and place value: Comparing groups Addition and subtraction: Change within 5 Measurement: Time	Addition and subtraction: Numbers to 5 Number and place value: Numbers to 10 Addition and subtraction: Addition to 10 Geometry: Shape and space	Geometry: Exploring patterns Addition and subtraction: Count on and back Number and Place Value: Numbers to 20 Multiplication and division: Numerical patterns Measurement: Measure
History	Through the use of stories, the language of the past will be developed: A long time ago, many years ago, in the past. The children will look at how things change over time. Questioning: What's the same? What's different? This will be developed through the termly themes		
Geography	Geography in Early Years is developed through outdoor experiences which foster curiosity and exploration. This is done through play, creativity and risk taking. Understanding our culturally, socially, technologically, and ecologically diverse world is explored through things like story, non-fiction books, maps, globes, and photographs. This will be developed using the themes of water and continents		



Topic	Space Our solar system, how the world began (RE link), day and night Changes over time – planet status, tech discoveries, exploration, ISS Planet habitat/evolution over time Food types, food preparation, home economics Movement (friction) Me and my family Who helps us Family tree – changes over time Primary colours through natural resources Mini topics based on pupil's interest Fundamental movement techniques – running, stopping, chasing, changing direction and navigating space Gym – ways of moving, over, under, on top and around The seasons throughout the year Planting, growing and harvesting throughout the year	Continents The 7 continents Key landmarks, geographic landmarks, significant people Past and present, where we get different foods from and how farming has changed Comparisons of different places and people How our world has changed over time, continents moving, weather patterns, environmental differences, animal evolution and extinction Food types, food preparation, home economics WWF Recycling and upcycling Making secondary colours using primary colours Mini topics based on pupil's interest Improving key manipulation skills – throwing, rolling, bouncing, catching Dance – improving gross motor skills The seasons throughout the year Planting, growing and harvesting throughout the year	H2O Changing states of water The Water Cycle Growing – what is needed? Frog lifecycle in our pond Our environment, sewing, pouring, caring for and harvesting food/plants Food types, food preparation, home economics Scientists that have shaped our understanding Expressing yourself through materials and textures Mini topics based on the pupil's interest Games – skills development, different equipment and games Games – cooperative group-based exercises The seasons throughout the year Planting, growing and harvesting throughout the year
Art	Physical Development Develop their small motor skills so that they can use a range of tools competently, safely and confidently. Using their core muscle strength to achieve a good posture when sitting at a table.	Expressive Arts and Design Explore, use and refine a variety of artistic effects to express their ideas and feelings. Create collaboratively, sharing ideas, resources, and skills. Physical Development Hold a pencil effectively using the tripod grip. Use a range of tools, including scissors and paint brushes	Expressive art and design Safely use and explore a variety of materials, tools, techniques, experimenting with colour, design, texture, form and function. Share their creations, explaining the process they have used.
D+T	Design and technology is a key part of the 'Expressive Arts and Design' area of the EYFS curriculum (although there are also key links to the Physical Development and Maths areas of the EYFS Curriculum). Within continuous provision, the children in EYFS will have opportunities to explore the making of products using a wide variety of materials. They will cut, stick, draw and paint. The chance to practise their cutting skills is permanently on offer. The children will also be provided with opportunities to prepare food, including the cooking of food.		



PE	Gymnastics – flight, bouncing, jumping and landing Dance – Jungle Object manipulation Fine motor skills Personal challenges					
Each ELG involves the assumption that children will have experienced, investigated and wondered about the following, throughout the year: Growing: what is needed to create life, maintain life, grow, flourish/live, seasonal changes and finally death, extinction, myself, colours and representing growing through music, movement and natural resources Movement: developmental stages in fine and gross motor skills, friction, changing matters of state, capacity, physical development, positional language, music, drawing using different materials throughout the year showing progression of fine motor skills, Life: climate, seasons, what's needed for life, day and night, time, extinction, hibernation, populations, evolution, my family, family tree, recycling, pollution, environmental damage Past and present: timelines and evolution, discoveries, significant people, RE, farming and food, music, cultures, landmarks, geographic landmarks, money, how me and my family has changed this year, extinction						
Year 1	Advent		Lent		Pentecost	
English	Phonics Practise Reading Practice Writing Recount Prediction Books by the same author Non-Fiction Autobiography Setting description Character description Story writing Bible Stories	Phonics Practise Reading Practice Writing Recount Prediction Books by the same author Non-Fiction Setting description Character description Story writing Bible Stories	Phonics Practise Reading Practice Writing Recount Prediction Books by the same author Non-Fiction Rhyming Setting description Character description Story writing Bible Stories	Phonics Practise Reading Practice Writing Recount Prediction Books by the same author Non-Fiction Rhyming Setting description Character description Story writing Bible Stories	Phonics Practise Reading Practice Writing Recount Prediction Books by the same author Non-Fiction Rhyming Setting description Character description Story writing Bible Stories	Phonics Practise Reading Practice Writing Recount Prediction Books by the same author Non-Fiction Rhyming Setting description Character description Story writing Bible Stories



Texts	Here We Are The Way Back Home The Marvellous Moon Map You are Stardust Up and Down Mae Jemison	What We'll Build Once upon a Star The Nativity How to Catch a Star	The World Came to My Place Today Dear Earth Paper Dolls Once Upon an Ordinary School Day The Tiger who Came for Tea Chinese New Year What a wonderful world poem	Anansi the Spider The Rumble in the Jungle The Easter Story Where on Earth: Europe Where on Earth Africa	The Boy who Grew a Forest The Boat Noah's Ark Once Upon a Raindrop David Attenborough (Little People Big Dreams)	The Water Princess A River The Journey Home A Planet Full of Plastic The Rhythm of the Rain Water: Project Freshwater to Save Life on Earth Jesus and the fisherman
Maths	Number: Place Value (within 10) (5) Number: Addition and subtraction (within 10) (5) Geometry: Shape (1) Number: Place value (within 20) (2)	Number: Place value (within 20) (2) Number: Addition and subtraction (within 20) (3) Number: Place Value (within 50, multiples of 2, 5, and 10 included) (2) Measurement: Length and height (2) Measurement: Weight and volume (2) Geometry: Position and Direction (1) Measurement: Money (1)	Number: Multiplication and division (reinforce multiples of 2, 5 and 10 included) (3) Number: Fractions (2) Number: Place Value (within 100) (2) Measurement: Time (2)	Number: Place Value (within 10) (5) Number: Addition and subtraction (within 10) (5) Geometry: Shape (1) Number: Place value (within 20) (2)	Number: Place value (within 20) (2) Number: Addition and subtraction (within 20) (3) Number: Place Value (within 50, multiples of 2, 5, and 10 included) (2) Measurement: Length and height (2) Measurement: Weight and volume (2) Geometry: Position and Direction (1) Measurement: Money (1)	Number: Multiplication and division (reinforce multiples of 2, 5 and 10 included) (3) Number: Fractions (2) Number: Place Value (within 100) (2) Measurement: Time (2)
Science	Plants	Animals including humans	Everyday materials	Seasonal change	Animals including humans Plants	Consolidation Plants
History	Famous nurses		Within living memory			Significant people in UK



Geography		What do I know about where I live?		Hot and cold places	What's the weather like today?	
.PE	Fundamental movement skills 1 Striking and fielding games 1 Target games 2 Gymnastics – balancing & spinning on points & patches		Dance – under the sea Net & wall game skills 1 Gymnastics, wide narrow & curled rolling & balancing Invasion game skills 1		Target games 2 Locomotion 2 Athletics 2	
Music	Vocal sounds	Body sounds	Musical manners	Build the band	Meet the orchestra	Join the orchestra
Art	Drawing – making your mark	Painting & mixed media: colour splash		Art Sculpture & 3d paper play		
D&T	Mechanisms – Making a moving story book	Textiles – Christmas				Structures- Constructing a windmill
PHSE	Module 1, Unit 1 5 x 5-10 minute sessions over 5 days KAPOW: Eco Wellbeing Unit	Module 2, Unit 1 1 session Module 2, Unit 2 3 sessions	Module 2, Unit 3 2 sessions Module 2, Unit 4 5 sessions (3 to be covered)	Module 2, Unit 4 5 sessions (2 to be covered) Module 3, Unit 1 2 sessions Module 3, Unit 2 1 session	Module 1, Unit 2 4 sessions	Module 1, Unit 3 3 sessions Module 1, Unit 4 2 sessions
Computing – inc online safety	Computing Systems and Networks – Technology around us	Creating Media – Digital Painting	Programming A – Moving a Robot	Data and Information – Grouping Data	Creating Media – Digital Writing	Programming B – Programming Animations
Year 2	Advent		Lent		Pentecost	



English	Own version fantasy world narrative Own version dragon stories	Persuasive Letters Environmental campaign	Information booklets Information Texts	'A Walk in...' tour guide	Own version adventure narratives	Sequel Stories Non-chorological leaflets
Texts	Toys in Space by Mini Grey The Dragon Machine by Helen Ward	The Journey Home by Frann Preston-Gannon We are Water Protectors by Carole Linstrom	The Great Fire of London by Emma Adams The Bear Under the Stairs by Helen Cooper –	A Walk in London by Salvatore Rubbino The Owl and the Pussy-cat by Edward Lear	The Minpins by Roald Dahl	Jim and the Beanstalk by Raymond Briggs Wolves by Emily Gravett
Maths	Number: Place Value (4) Number: Addition and subtraction (5) Geometry: Properties of shape (3) Measurement: Money (2)		Number: Multiplication and division(5) Measurement: Length and height (2) Measurement: Mass, capacity, temperature (2) Statistics (2)		Number: Fractions (3) Measurement: Time (3) Geometry: Position and direction (2)	
Science	Living Things and Habitats – Plants	Animals, including humans- being healthy Plants Revisit habitats	Uses of everyday materials Plants Revisit habitats	Animals, including humans- animal babies and life cycles. Plants	Plants To be explored throughout the year Revisit habitats	Materials
History	Great Fire of London		Who were the Victorians?			History of space travel
Geography		Locality – which is the best route?		Why is London our capital city?	Where would you want to live: Kenya or England?	
PE	Fundamental movement skills 2	Gymnastics – pathways: straight, zigzag & curving Target games 3	Net and wall game skills 2 Dance – animals	Gymnastics – spinning,	Target games 3 Personal challenges	Athletics 2



	Striking and fielding games 2			turning and twisting Invasion games skills 2		
Music	Vocal sounds	Musical me	Rhythmic Rainbow	Musical Inspiration	Continental influence	The music inside
Art	Drawing: Tell a story	Craft and design: map it out		Painting and mixed media: Beside the seaside		
D&T	Cooking and Nutrition – Balanced diet	Mechanisms – Moving Monster				Textiles - Pouches
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Computing	Information technology around us	Creating Media – Digital photography	Making Music	Data and Information Pictograms	Robot algorithms	An introduction to Quizzes
Year 3	Advent		Lent		Pentecost	
English	Version “dilemma” narratives Own historical narratives	Persuasive information leaflets	Non-Chronological report Extended narratives from extended perspectives	Newspaper Reports	Own version mystery narratives Prequels	Narrative Poems Own version narratives



		Own version fantasy narratives		Myths/Legends		
Texts	The Heart and the Bottle by Oliver Jeffers The First Drawing by Mordicai Gerstein	The Tin Forest by Helen Ward The BFG by Roald Dahl	Cloud Tea Monkeys by Mal Peet & Elspeth Graham Small in the City by Sydney Smith	Escape from Pompeii by Christina Balit The Pied Piper of Hamelin by Michael Morpurgo	The Mysteries of Harris Burdick by Chris Van Allsberg How to Live Forever by Colin Thompson	Jim, A Cautionary Tale by Hilarie Belloc The Day I Swapped my Dad for Two Goldfish by Neil Gaiman
Comprehension	The Lost Spells by Robert MacFarlane	The BFG by Roald Dahl	The White Fox by Jackie Morris	Earth Shattering Events by Robin Jacobs	I am the Seed that Grew the Tree	A Necklace of Raindrops
Maths	Number: Place Value (3) Number: Addition and subtraction (5) Number: Multiplication and division (4) Statistics (2)		Number: Multiplication and division (3) Number: Fractions (3) Measurement: Mass and capacity (3) Measurement: Length and perimeter (3)		Number: Fractions (2) Measurement: Money (2) Geometry: Properties of shape (2) Measurement: Time (3)	
Science	Plants To be revisited through the year	Rocks	Light	Animals including humans	Magnets & Forces	Plants
History	Stone age		Ancient Greeks			Early Britons (Celts)
Geography		The UK – Where is Shepshed?		Volcanos	European country - Italy	
PE	Cricket Hockey	Basketball	Badminton Dance – Egyptians	Tag Rugby Invasion Games skills 3	Danish longball Rounders	Athletics



		Gymnastics – symmetry and asymmetry (partners)				
Music	Sound around us	Read the rainbow	Melodic me	Pentatonic me	Pentatonic dimensions	Sounds for effect
Art	Drawing: Growing artists	Sculpture and 3D: Abstract shape and space		Art Ancient scrolls		
D&T	Cooking and Nutrition – Eating Seasonally (to include elements of Year 4 adapting a recipe)	Digital World – Wearable technology				Structures – Constructing a castle
Language	Meet the Family!	Food, Glorious Food!	. Work, Work, Work.	The Best Days of your Life	Romans and Britons.	Off to Town
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Computing	Images, video & animation	Programming	Digital research	Programming	Electronic communication	Images, video & animation
Year 4	Advent		Lent		Pentecost	
English	Explanations Narrative retelling as a play script	Own version narratives (set in other worlds) Nonsense poems	Tutankhamun biographies Tourist Brochure	Own version narratives	Newspaper reports	



				Retellings – alternative perspective		
Texts	Varmints Tar Beach by Faith Ringgold	The Lion the Witch and the Wardrobe by C.S. Lewis Jabberwocky by Lewis Carroll	The Story of Tutankhamun by Patricia Cleveland-Peck The Baker by the Sea by Paula White	The Selfish Giant Odds and the Forest Giants	Shackleton's Journey – William Grill	
Maths	Number: Place Value (4) Number: Addition and subtraction (3) Measurement: Area (1) Number: Multiplication and division (3) Statistics (1)		Number: Multiplication and division (3) Number: Fractions (4) Number: Decimals (3) Measurement: Length and Perimeter (2)		Number: Decimals (2) Measurement: Money (2) Measurement: Time (2) Geometry: Properties of shape (2) Geometry: Position and Direction (1)	
Science	Living things and their habitats	Animals including humans	States of matter	Sound	Electricity	Review
History	Romans		Ancient Egypt			The Plague
Geography		Earthquakes		Rivers	Mountains	
PE	Cricket Gymnastics – partner work – pushing and pulling		Dance – dance around the world Handball		Dodgeball Athletics	
Music	Make a sound	Musical melodies	Together in harmony	Composing in harmony	Performing in harmony	Listening to harmony
Art	Drawing: Power print	Painting and mixed media: Light and dark		Craft and Design: Fabric of nature: Ancient Egyptian scrolls		



D&T	Mechanisms – Making a slingshot car	Textiles - Fastenings				Electrical systems-torches
Language	The Military Machine.	Clean and Healthy.	How Beautiful!	A Soldier's Life.	A Sad Day.	Gods! Hear our Prayers!
PHSE	Module 1, Unit 1 5 x 5-15 minute sessions over 5 days 1 x 40 minute session KAPOW: Eco Wellbeing Unit	Module 2, Unit 1 4 x 15 minute sessions Module 2, Unit 2 2 sessions	Module 2, Unit 3 2 sessions Module 2, Unit 4 3 sessions	Module 3, Unit 1 2 sessions Module 3, Unit 2 1 session Module 1, Unit 3 3 sessions	Module 1, Unit 4 2 sessions	Module 1, Unit 2 Year 4 – all five sessions (puberty unit)
Computing	Computing systems & networks	Photo editing	Audio editing	Data logging	Programming in Shapes	Programming in Games
Year 5/6	Advent		Lent		Pentecost	
English	Own Version Narratives Biographies	Newspaper Article Discussion Texts	Persuasive campaign Playscript	Dystopian narratives Traditional Tales	Writing Workshops	Poetry
Texts	The Arrival – Shaun Tan The Invention of Hugo Cabret- Brian Selznick	The Last Bear- Hannah Gold Can we save the tiger?- Martin Jenkins	Suffragette: The Battle for Equality David Roberts Romeo and Juliet- Shakespeare	The Last Wild Grimm Tales for Young and Old- Phillip Pullman		Night Mail W H Auden



Maths Year 5	Number: Place Value (3) Number: Addition and subtraction (2) Number: Multiplication and division (3) Number: Fractions (4) Statistics (2)		Number: Multiplication and division (3) Number: Fractions (2) Number: Decimals and Percentages (3) Measurement: Perimeter and area (2) Geometry: Properties of shape		Geometry: Properties of shape Geometry: Position and Direction (2) Number: Decimals (3) Number: Negative numbers (1) Measurement: Volume (1) Measurement: Converting units (2)	
Maths Year 6	Number: Place Value (2) Number: Addition and subtraction, Multiplication and division (5) Number: Fractions A and B (4) Measurement: Converting units (1) Number: Algebra (2)		Number: Decimals (2) Number: F/D/P (2) Measurement: Perimeter, area and volume (2) Statistics (2) Geometry: Position and Direction (1)		Geometry: Properties of shape (3) Number: Ratio (2)	
Science	Classification	Electricity <i>Classification</i>	Animals including humans	Light	Evolution and inheritance	Healthy living
History	Crime & punishment		Local Study – WW2			Tudors
Geography	Residential	Diversity and world maps		South America	Natural Resouces	
PE	Cricket Netball	Gymnastics, matching, mirroring and contrast	Dance – dance through the ages Tennis	Invasion games skills 4 Tag rugby	Hockey Danish Longball	Athletics
Music	Sounds of the orchestra Are musical make-up	Creating sound The music in me	Developing sounds Our age of music	SoundSSS Our age of music	My soundSSS HarmonicSSS	Sounds of musical families The music around me
Art	Drawing: Make my voice heard	Craft and design: Photo opportunity	Art Painting & mixed media: Artist study			
D&T	Digital World – Navigating the world	Electrical Systems – Steady hand game				Structures- Playgrounds
Language	Iulius: Last Days at Vindolanda	Augustus: Iulius Joins the Army	September: On the Move	October: A New Way of	November: News from Near and Far	December: Time for Celebration



	Augustus: Iulius Joins the Army September: On the Move	November: News from Near and Far		Life in Eboracum		
PHSE	Module 1, Unit 1 5 x 5-15 minute sessions over 5 days Module 2, Unit 1 1 session KAPOW: Eco Wellbeing Unit	Module 2, Unit 2 4 sessions Module 2, Unit 3 2 sessions	Module 2, Unit 4 4 sessions Module 3, Unit 1 2 sessions	Module 3, Unit 2 1 session Module 1, Unit 2 4 sessions puberty unit	Module 1, Unit 3 4 sessions	Module 1, Unit 4 4 sessions Year 5 – Sessions 3 and 4 only Year 6 – all sessions (making babies sessions 1 and 2)
Computing	Computing systems and networks - Communication and collaboration	Creating media – 3D Modelling	Creating media – Web page creation	Programming A – Variables in games	Data and information – Spreadsheets	Programming B - Sensing movement