



PARKLANDS PRIMARY SCHOOL

Curriculum Overview

Year 2

2023 - 2024

	<p>Narrative</p> <p>Traditional Tales – Myths (creation stories)</p> <p>Non-Fiction</p> <p>Instructions</p> <p>Poetry</p> <p>Structure - Calligrams</p>	<p>Narrative</p> <p>Traditional Tales – Fairy Tales</p> <p>Non-Fiction</p> <p>Report – Healthy Eating</p> <p>Poetry</p> <p>Vocabulary Building – List Poems</p>	<p>Narrative</p> <p>Traditional Tales – Myths & Creation Stories</p> <p>Non-Fiction</p> <p>Report on a Country</p> <p>Poetry</p> <p>Calligrams</p>	<p>Narrative</p> <p>Stories with Recurring Literary Language</p> <p>Non-Fiction</p> <p>Explanations</p> <p>Poetry</p> <p>Vocabulary Building – Free Verse</p>	<p>Narrative</p> <p>Stories with Recurring Literary Language</p> <p>Non-Fiction</p> <p>Explanations</p> <p>Poetry</p> <p>Vocabulary Building – Nonsense Poems</p>	<p>Narrative</p> <p>Diary Writing</p> <p>Non-Fiction</p> <p>Recount – Newspaper Reports (linked to History)</p> <p>Poetry</p> <p>Structure – Recite & Respond</p>
Mathematics	<p>Number - Place Value</p> <p>Number - Addition and Subtraction</p> <p>Geometry - Shape</p>		<p>Measurement - Money</p> <p>Number - Multiplication and Division</p> <p>Measurement - Length and Height</p> <p>Measurement - Mass, Capacity and Temperature</p>		<p>Number - Fractions</p> <p>Measurement - Time</p> <p>Statistics</p> <p>Geometry - Position and Direction</p> <p>Consolidation</p>	
Science	Plants		Animals including humans	Everyday Materials	Living things and their habitats	
Art	Sculpture		Craft and design		Woodlands texture	
	Clay		Map it out		Tell a story	
Computing	We are animators	We Are Typers	We are astronauts	We are game testers	We are zoologists	We are safe researchers
D & T		Food & Nutrition		Mechanisms - Wheels and Axles		Textiles
		Planning a Banquet				Making Paddington Bears / Teddies



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Geography		Hot and Cold Places	Continents and Oceans		Mugumareno Village, Zambia	
History	Significant Individuals Comparison of Walt Disney & Ed Catmull			History of Transport		The Great Fire of London
Music	<i>Junior Jam</i> Boom Whackers Lite (Level 1)	<i>Junior Jam</i> Music Theory Lite with Keyboards (Level 2)	<i>Junior Jam</i> Percussion Instruments Lite (Level 1)	<i>Junior Jam</i> Singing Lite (Level 2)	<i>Junior Jam</i> Songwriting with Glockenspiels Lite (Level 2)	<i>Junior Jam</i> Keyboards Lite (Level 1)
P.E.	Outdoor - Games - Fundamental Movements Indoor - Gymnastics - Spinning, Turning and Twisting	Outdoor - Games - Striking and Field Games Indoor - Dance - Pirates	Outdoor - Games – Target Games Indoor - Gymnastics - Stretching, Curling and Arching	Outdoor - Games - Invasion Games Skills Indoor - Dance - Minibeasts	Outdoor - Games – Athletics Indoor - Gymnastics - Pathways	Outdoor - Games – Net and Wall Games Skills Indoor - Dance - Fire of London
PSHE	Me and My Relationships	Valuing Difference	Keeping Myself Safe	Rights and Responsibilities	Being My Best	Growing and Changing
R.E	How do the stories of Jesus inspire Christians today?	Who influences our lives?	Who is a Muslim and what do they believe? (first half of unit)	What do Christians do at Easter and why is it important to them?	Who is a Muslim and what do they believe? (second half of unit)	What ways are a church/mosque etc. important to believers? (mosque focus)

Curriculum Information

- Phonics, reading, writing and mathematics are taught daily.
- Computing, PSHE, PE, music and RE, are taught weekly.
- Science, art, design and technology, history and geography are taught discretely and where possible as part of the termly theme. Cross-curricular links are embedded.



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Assemblies and Acts of Worship take place daily. These consist of the following:

- Celebration Assembly
- Votes for Schools
- Singing Assembly
- assemblies focusing on specific themes, religious festivals and national or international days/events.

A wide range of extra-curricular clubs take place each week.