



## Year 1 Curriculum Overview

	Autumn		Spring		Summer	
	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Topics	Marvelous Me What makes me marvelous?	People who help us	Castles and Dragons Where should you build a castle?		Going on safari Where would you prefer to live: England or Africa?	Katie's Travels What makes Britain Great
Enrichment Activity	Local area walk Cannon Hill Common Sensory Walk	St James' Christingle	Windsor Castle		Visiting Zoo	Hindu Temple
Equality and Diversity	Children learn about and celebrate the diversity of families, including blended and different family types.	Children learn about diverse people who have inspired and advocated for positive change.	Children explore how different communities around the world live and have lived together.		Children explore African history and art, celebrating diversity through the lives and works of Nelson Mandela and Edward S. Tingatinga.	Children explore the diversity of Britain and the wider world, celebrating different cultures, beliefs, and communities.
English	Narrative: Familiar Stories Non-Fiction: Persuasion Poetry: A List Poem	Narrative: Traditional Tales (Fable) Non-Fiction: Non-chronological report Poetry: Rhyming couplets	Narrative: Fantasy Non-Fiction: Instructions Poetry: A Conversation Poetry	Narrative: Stories with Dilemmas Non-Fiction: Discussion Poetry: Rhyming Couplets	Narrative: Traditional Tales Non-Fiction: Explanation Poetry: Free Verse Poetry	Narrative: Adventure Non-Fiction: Recount Poetry: Poetry Appreciation
Key Texts	My Beautiful Voice How to Find Gold The Jolly Postman	The Fox and the Star The Magic Paintbrush	The Adventures of Egg Box Dragon	The Lonely Beast	Lila and the Secret of Rain One Day, on our Blue Planet	Katie's Travels Puffin Book of Fantastic First Poems
Maths	Place value (within 10)	Addition and subtraction (within 10) Shape	Place value (within 20) Addition and subtraction (within 20)	Place value (within 50) Length and height Mass and volume	Multiplication and division Fractions Position and direction	Place value (within 100) Money Time
Science	The Human Body (biology)	Materials (chemistry)  Seasonal Changes (biology)	Growing and cooking (sustainability)  Planting (biology)  Seasonal Changes (biology)	Planting (biology)  Animals (biology)	Animals (biology)  Caring for the Planet (biology)  Planting (biology)	Plants (biology)  Seasonal Changes (biology)
History	History of the local area	Significant Individuals	Homes through history		Important people in South African History	
Geography	Our Local Area: Joseph Hood Primary School, Merton			Where to build a Castle and why.	Going on Safari: Comparing Our Environment to Africa	What makes Great Britain a special place to live?
PSHE & RSE	Recognising what makes me unique and special.	Roles of different people. Families and feeling cared for.	Keeping healthy. Food and exercise. Hygiene routines.	Recognising privacy. Staying safe. Seeking permission pants rule.	What rules are. Caring for others' needs Looking after the environment-plants and animals.	Strengths and interests. Jobs in the community.
Art and Design	Drawing: Exploring line and shape		Sculpture and 3D: Paper play			Painting and mixed media: Colour splash
Design and Technology		Moving pictures	Healthy packed lunch	Build a castle	Animal hand puppets	
PE	Games: Technique	Games: Strategy	Gymnastics & Games: Strategy	Gymnastics & Games: Technique	Athletics	Athletics
Computing	Computing Systems and Networks: Improving Mouse Skills	Programming: Commands Unplugged	Rocket to the moon	Programming: Bee-Bots	Data Handling: Introduction to Data	Creating Media: Digital Imagery
Online Safety	Using the Internet Safely	Online Emotions	Always be Kind and Considerate	Posting and Sharing Online	How much time should we spend on technology?	
RE	New life: how is a new child welcomed?	Jesus: why is he so important to Christians?	Communities: what does it mean to belong?	Caring: how do stories inspire actions?	Stories: how do different people find deeper meanings?	Places of worship: what makes them sacred?
Music	Hey You! by Joanna Mangona	Rhythm In The Way We Walk and Banana by Joanna Mangona and Jane Sebba	In The Groove by Joanna Mangona	Round And Round, a Bossa Nova Latin style.	Your Imagination by Joanna Mangona and Pete Readman	Reflect, Rewind and Replay