

Year 2: Autumn Curriculum Topic Overview (15 weeks)

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Topic	Julia Donaldson				Emergency 999			Science week	Poles Apart				Christianity			
Topic Maths	Co-ordinates. Turns / right angles. Bee bots, maps, compass points.				Bonds and +/- word problems			Graphs, tables.	Reading scales, unmarked scales, intervals				Problem solving investigations; Mastery examples.			
History									Ernest Shackleton expedition							
Geography	Geographical vocabulary, simple maps, key symbols, coordinates, directions. Compare and contrast places.							Trees and plants.	Investigate where the Poles are and names of continents, differences, compare to UK.							
Art	Axel Scheffler style of pictures; shading with different tones.				Adding white to coloured paint to create tones.			Winter tree sketching	Shackleton boat stuck in the ice. Penguin card / flap							
Design and Technology					Make an emergency vehicle				Bird fat balls. Bags and cookies							
Science	Observe seasonal changes: sketching / photograph				Seasonal changes			Materials and their properties.	Keeping warm, temperature experiment, thermometers							
RE	Discovery RE scheme				Discovery RE scheme				Christianity: Christmas story, parables.				Christianity: Christmas, parables. Church visit.			
ICT	Computer skills: keyboard, mouse, word processing skills, art skills. Dance Mat typing. Mathletics.				Espresso Coding 2a				Espresso Coding 2b Insert, copy and paste pictures and words about animals.				Computer skills: keyboard, mouse, word processing skills, art skills. Dance Mat typing.			
PSHE	Jigsaw: Being me in my world				Jigsaw: Being me in my world				Jigsaw: Celebrating difference Remembrance Day				Jigsaw: Celebrating difference			
Music	Charanga				Charanga				Charanga Katie Perry Firework				Singing Christmas play songs			
PE	REAL gym				REAL gym			Team games	REAL PE Bat and ball skills, team games				REAL PE Bat and ball skills, team games			