

Year 2 curriculum map 2025-2026

Year 2	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
School values	Growing Together Thankfulness	Courage Joy	Respect Love	Forgiveness Hope	Hope Friendship	Peace Wisdom
Core texts	Flooded The Bear and the Piano The Dragon Machine	The Bear Under the Stairs The Journey Home The Polar Express	We are Water Protectors Grandad's Camper	Wolves The Minpins	The Great Fire of London Lizzy and the Cloud	Tadpole's Promise Rosie Revere Engineer, Architect The Owl and the Pussycat
Science	Living things - microhabitats	Making connections - Plant based materials	Plants - plant growth	Living things - habitats	Materials - Used of everyday materials	Animals including humans - life cycles and health
History	Why is our world wonderful?	How did we learn to fly?	What is it like to live by the coast?	How was school different in the past?	What is a monarch?	Would you prefer to live in a hot or cold place?
Geography						
RE	CREATION:Who made the world?	INCARNATION: Why does Christmas matter to Christians?	Muslim faith: Who is Muslim,what do they believe and how do they do it?	SALVATION: Why does Easter matter to Christians?	Who is an Inspiring person? Stories that inspire Christians, Muslims, Jewish people	GOSPEL: What's The Good news Jesus brings?
Art	Drawing - tell a story	Mechanisms - fairground wheel	Painting and mixed media - Life in colour	Cooking and Nutrition- Balanced Diet	Sculpture and 3D - Clay houses	Mechanisms - making a moving monster
DT						
Computing	We are astronauts Using programmable toys -Beebots Programming on a screen	We are researchers Researching a topic	We are Photographers Taking better photos	We are game testers Exploring how computer games work	We are Zoologists Collecting data	We are Detectives Collecting Clues
Music	Tony Chestnut		Orawa	Trains	<i>Tanczymy labada</i>	

PSHE	Being me in my world	Celebrating difference	Dreams and Goals	Healthy me	Relationships	Changing me
Enrichment opportunities		Year 2 Christingle Collective Worship in Church / Singing with Y1	Watford Schools Trust		Forest School	Year 2 Retreat Day & Collective Worship to Parents