

Overview of the Cross-Curricular Themes

Our themes listed below primarily include history, geography, art and design, design technology and cross-curricular literacy. Other subjects may be included in the themes as appropriate over the year.

Year Group	A1	A2	Sp1	Sp2	Su1	Su2
Year One	<p>Our World</p> <p>Our world is where we live – our home, our family, our school. It is the places that we go, the people that we meet, the things that we can see, smell, hear, taste and touch. Our world is important, because we share it with lots of other living things. We need to treat our world with respect – to ensure that it is well looked after – so that every person, animal and plant can live healthily and enjoy it.</p>	<p>The Magic Toymaker</p> <p>Toys come in many shapes and sizes. They are made of different materials but all are designed for us to have fun with, to learn new skills and to exercise our bodies and our imagination.</p>	<p>A day in the Life of</p> <p>It can be fun to imagine what we want to do when we grow up. The world is full of lots of different and exciting jobs. But we should remember to celebrate the things we can do now – the hobbies and interests that we enjoy, and the learning we do at school to help us achieve our goals.</p>	<p>Wonderful Weather</p> <p>The weather is ever changing and differs across the world. Each season brings us different weather that we can explore.</p>	<p>The Circus is Coming to Town</p> <p>Have you heard the saying 'laughter is the best medicine'? Laughing and having fun are such an important part of our lives. We all love being entertained and enjoying ourselves. For a very long time, the circus has been a special place where people, from many parts of the world, go to be entertained, laugh and have fun.</p>	

Year 1 – Long Term Planning Overview – Thematic Links

Subject	A1	A2	Sp1	Sp2	Su1	Su2
Key Themes	Welcome to my World	Tick Tock Toy Box	A day in the Life of	Wonderful Weather	The Circus is Coming to Town	
English	Read Write, Inc	Traditional tales, narratives	Read Write Inc	Non-fiction texts	Fantasy Worlds, Poetry	Stories from other cultures
Spoken Language	<p>I can speak clearly and confidently in front of people in my class.</p> <p>I can re-tell a well-known story and remember the characters.</p> <p>I can hold attention when playing and learning with others.</p> <p>I can keep to the main topic when we are talking in a group.</p> <p>I can ask questions in order to get more information.</p> <p>I can start a conversation with an adult I know well or my friends.</p> <p>I listen carefully to the things other people have to say in the group.</p> <p>I join in with conversations in a group.</p> <p>I join in with role play.</p>					
Speaking and Listening	Negotiation Talk	Persuasive Talk	Discussion Talk	Reasoning Talk	Explanation Talk	Reasoning Talk
	Narrative Talk (on going)					

Mathematics	Number, place value, length, mass/weight, addition and subtraction	Sequencing and sorting, addition, subtraction, multiplication	Number, place value, mass, weight, 2D shape, 3D shape, counting, multiplication, division.	Length, mass, weight, fractions, position, direction, time. fractions, capacity, volume, money, time.	Number, place value, addition, subtraction, capacity, volume, fractions, position, direction, time, 2D and 3D shape.	Time, multiplication, division, subtraction (difference), measurement, sorting.
Science	The Human Body	Materials	Scientists and Investigators	Weather Seasonal changes (spring and summer)	Animals Seasonal changes (summer)	Animals
	Seasonal Changes – ongoing throughout the year					
History		Comparing Toys the and now	Significant People – people in the past		History of the Circus	
Geography	Our Country			Wonderful Weather		Circus around the World
R.E	God's Great Plan	Mary Mother of God	Families and Celebrations	Following Jesus	Resurrection	Miracles
ICT	Taking photos				Digital Media Designing Circus Posters	
Art	Drawing and Painting Self Portraits		Close observational drawings		Digital Media Designing Circus Posters	
D.T		Designing a Puppet using a push and pull mechanism			Sensational Saldas! Making an fruit and	Construction Circus performer
PSHE	Relationships Body awareness	How to look after myself	Aspirations What do I want to be when I grow up?	Family and friendship	Changes	Getting on and falling out
Music	Kool Keys	Kool keys	Singing Pitch and tone	Rhythm Instruments	Composition Story telling through music	
P.E	Gymnastics	Dance	Games	Dance	Games	Games
Suggested Visits out or visitors to school	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ School grounds ▪ Local area Walk ▪ Library Visit 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Eureka Children's Museum • Jobs Fair 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Circus Day ▪ Zoo Visit 	

Topic Texts / film links	<p>Stories with Familiar Settings The Tiger who came to tea, Not Now Bernard</p> <p>Peace at Last</p> <p>5 Minutes Peace</p>	<p>The Toy Museum Toy's in Space The Lost Toys Pinocchio Toys Galore</p>	<p>You Choose The Jolly Postman</p> <p>A picture book of Florence Nightingdale – Adler</p> <p>My Daddy the amazing nurse – Jacobsen</p> <p>Ness the Nurse – Sharratt</p> <p>Nurse – Clementine James</p>	<p>Cyril the cloud</p>	<p>Leon and the Place between The Circus is Coming Charlie Chaplin Greatest Showman The Circus Ship Paddington goes to the Circus</p>
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