Lawn Primary and Nursery School

Lawn Primary and Nursery School Year 2 Curriculum Overview 2025 -26

Excellence Resilience Confidence Respect

Term	1	2	3	4	5	6
Trips	**Oxenwood-GFOL trip**					
English Writing	**Legend** George and the Dragon by Christopher Wormell **Report –** The Great Fire of London Diary	**Meerkat Christmas** Postcard **Shape and Diamante Poem**	**The Lighthouse Keepers Lunch –** Story **Unusual animal** Information Report Writing (	**Adventure stories** A Lion in Paris by Beatrice Alemagna **Non-chronological Report** Pirates **Character Description** Pirates	**Family adventure story** The Building Boy by Ros Montgomery and David Litchfield **Persuasive letter** The Day the Crayons Quit – Drew Darwell	**The Owl Who Was Afraid of the Dark** **Repeating Patterns Poems** Poetry Shed
English Reading **Phonics every morning**	**George and The Dragon** **The Great Fire of London**	**Meerkat Christmas**	**The Lighthouse Keepers Lunch**	**A Lion in Paris**	**The Building Boy** **The Day the Crayons Quit**	**The Owl Who Was Afraid of The Dark**
Maths – **Arithmetic to be built in once a week**	Composition of multiples of 10 Counting and representing the numbers 20 to 99 Comparing, ordering and partitioning 2-digit numbers Secure fluency of addition and subtraction facts within 10	Calculating within 20 Adding and subtracting ones and tens to and from 2-digit numbers Grouping objects in different ways and relating to multiplication	Representing counting in 2s, 5s and 10s as the 2, 5 and 10 times tables Representing counting in 5s as the 5 times table and link to the 10 times tables Multiplying by 2, doubling and halving (factors and products)	Introduction to division structures Shape: discuss and compare 2D and 3D shapes	Addition and subtraction of two 2-digit numbers Money: recognise coins and use £ and p symbols Fractions: identify equal parts and be familiar with halves, thirds and quarters	Time: write and tell the time to five minutes Position and direction Doubling, halving, quotative and partitive division Sense of measure – capacity, volume and mass

Science	**Living Things and Habitats**	**Materials**	**Animals including humans**	**Science Week**	**Plants**	**Plants**
History	**The Great Fire of London** How did life in London change because of the Great Fire of London?		**Travel Through Time** How has travel changed the way we live?		**Lives of significant people in the past** Who made the biggest difference to soldiers during the Crimean War?	
Geography		**Let's Explore Wiltshire** (Fieldwork trip)		**Hot Places (Deserts)**		**Countries and Continents**
Art		**Drawing:** Understanding Tone and Texture		**Painting and mixed media:** Life in colour		**Sculpture and 3D:** Clay houses
DT	**Mechanisms:** Making Monsters		**Textiles:** Pouches		**Cooking and nutrition:** A balanced diet	
Computing	**Computing systems and networks** – IT around us **E-safety:** self-image and identity. Privacy and security	**Creating media** – Digital Photography **E-safety:** Online relationships	**Programming A –** Robot algorithms **E-safety:** Online bullying	**Data and information –** Pictograms **E-safety:** Online reputation. Copyright and Ownership	**Creating media –** Digital music **E-safety:** Managing online information	**Programming B –** Programming quizzes **E-safety:** Health, Well-being and lifestyle
Music	**Charanga** Pulse, rhythm & pitch Question: How Does Music Help Us to Make Friends?	**Charanga** Playing in an Orchestra Question: How Does Music Teach Us About the Past?	**Charanga** Inventing a musical story Question: How Does Music Make the World a Better Place?	**Charanga** Recognising different sounds Question: How Does Music Teach Us About Our Neighbourhood?	**Charanga** Exploring improvisation Question: How Does Music Make Us Happy?	**Charanga** Our Big Concert Question: How Does Music Teach Us About Looking After Our Planet?
RE	**1.3 Who are Jewish people and what do they believe?** Judaism	**1.8 How should we care for others and the world, and why does it matter?** Christianity, Islam & Judaism	**1.7 What does it mean to belong to a faith community?** Christianity, Islam & Judaism		**1.4 How can we learn from sacred books?** **8 Lessons** Christianity, Islam & Judaism	

PE	**Dance** **Animals** **Net and Wall Games Skills 2**	**Dance** **Fire of London** **Real PE: Social Unit**	**Gymnastics** **Pathways – Small & Long** **Real PE: Fitness Unit**	**Gymnastics** **Spinning, twisting and turning** **Fundamental movement skills 2**	**Striking and fielding Games Skills 2** **Fundamental movement skills 3**	**Target Games 3** **Real PE: Personal Unit**
PSHE	**Being Me in My World**	**Celebrating Differences**	**Dreams and Goals**	**Healthy Me**	**Relationships**	**Changing Me**