

Gorsefield Primary School Year 2 Curriculum Overview

	Autumn Term 1	Autumn Term 2	Spring Term 1	Spring Term 2	Summer Term 1	Summer Term 2
Read, Write, Inc	Please click on this link to see the Year 2 Read, Write, Inc Overview					
Literacy and Language	<p>Fiction Picture book – Cottonwool Colin by Jeanne Willis and Tony Ross A story with a familiar setting</p> <p>Non-fiction Explanation</p> <p>Grammar Capital letters Question marks Suffixes (-ful, -less)</p>	<p>Fiction Picture book – The Fish Who Could Wish by John Bush and Korky Paul Poems</p> <p>Non-fiction Non-chronological text</p> <p>Grammar Commas in lists Suffixes (-ing, -er, -est)</p>	<p>Fiction Picture book – Little Croc’s Purse by Lizzie Finlay A playscript</p> <p>Non-fiction Persuasive writing</p> <p>Grammar Sentences with different forms (exclamation and command) Adjectives, nouns, noun phrases</p>	<p>Fiction Picture book – Billy Monster’s Daymare by Alan Durant and Ross Collins A traditional tale</p> <p>Non-fiction Instruction text</p> <p>Grammar Conjunctions (for coordination) Adverbs</p>	<p>Fiction Picture book – The Night Shimmy by Gwen Strauss and Anthony Browne A story with a familiar setting</p> <p>Non-fiction Communication texts</p> <p>Grammar Conjunctions (for subordination) Apostrophes for contractions</p>	<p>Fiction Picture book – G.E.M. by Jane Clarke and Garry Parsons A story set in a fantasy world</p> <p>Non-fiction Information text</p> <p>Grammar Verb tenses Tenses in texts</p>
Inspire Maths	<p>Number place value, counting, representing and estimating numbers. Comparing and ordering to 100 using < = > Addition and subtraction.</p>	<p>Addition and subtraction. Inverse relationship, checking calculations, solving missing number problems. Multiplication (commutative</p>	<p>Choose and use appropriate standard units to estimate and measure length & height in any direction (m/cm); mass (kg/g); temperature (°C); capacity (litres/ml). Use rulers, scales,</p>	<p>Recognise, find, name and write fractions of a length, shape, set of objects or quantity Equivalence of $\frac{2}{4}$ and $\frac{1}{2}$ Compare and sequence intervals of time. Tell and write time to five minutes, including quarter</p>	<p>Revision of units, targeting identified gaps in learning. Lines.</p>	<p>Models and problem solving Investigations. Skip counting forwards and backwards from any number in 2s, 3s, 5s, 10s, and forward in 4s. Recall multiplication and division facts 2, 5 10 x tables, odd & even</p>

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International Primary Curriculum Topics	Brainwave (x2 weeks) Time Travellers Focussing on History, International and Technology whilst creating timelines, being a history detective, and exploring food and festivals.	A Day in the Life? Focussing on Art, Geography, History, International, Music, Society and Technology whilst exploring different jobs, hobbies and interests.	Our World Focussing on Art, Geography, International, Music, and technology whilst learning about our home, family, school, people and places.	ICT and Computing Focussing on digital technology is part of our everyday life, at home and at school, learning and connecting with people and places across the world.	Hooray Let's go on Holiday Focussing on Art, Geography, History, ICT & Computing, International, and Society whilst learning about past and present holidays and travel.	The Circus is coming to Town Focussing on Art, Geography, History, ICT & Computing, International, Music, Society and Technology whilst exploring laughter, fun entertainment and the Circus.
International Primary Curriculum Science	The Earth: Our Home Focussing on all living things – plants, animals and humans and learning about different habitats.	How are you? Focussing on what makes us healthy, exercise, food, sleep, germs and protecting ourselves.	Freeze It Focussing on solids and liquids, change including freezing and melting, investigating ice lollies.	Look and Listen Learning about sound and light, our senses and how sound can be changed.	Flowers and Insects Learning about how flowers and insects needs each other, insect and plant life cycles and conditions for growth.	Water World Focussing on how we use water, changing state, solids, liquids and gases including the water cycle.
PSHCE Jigsaw	Being In My World <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hopes and fears • Rights and 	Celebrating Difference <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Boys and girls 	Dreams and Goals <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Goals to 	Healthy Me <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Being healthy • Being relaxed 	Relationships <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Families • Keeping safe- 	Changing Me <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Life cycles in nature

	responsibilities <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Rewards and consequences Our own learning charter 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Why does bullying happen? Standing up for myself and others Making a new friend Celebrating difference and still being friends 	success <ul style="list-style-type: none"> My Learning strengths Learning with others A group challenge Celebrating our achievement 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Medicine safety Healthy eating 	exploring physical contact <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Friends and conflict Secrets Trust and appreciation Celebrating my special relationships 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Growing from young to old The changing me Boys' and girls' bodies Assertiveness Looking ahead
Music (Charanga)	Unit: Hands, Feet, Heart Style: South African styles	Unit: Ho Ho Ho Style: Christmas, Big Band, Motown, Elvis, Freedom Songs	Unit: I Wanna Play In A Band Style: Rock	Unit: Zootime Style: Reggae	Unit : Friendship Style: Friendship songs	Unit: Reflect, Rewind and Replay Style: Western Classical Music and your choice from Year 2
Discovery Religious Education	Theme: What did Jesus teach? Key Question: Is it possible to be kind to everyone all of the time? Religion: Christianity	Theme: Christmas - Jesus as gift from God Concept: Incarnation Key Question: Why do Christians believe God gave Jesus to the world? Religion: Christianity	Theme: Passover Key Question: How important is it for Jewish people to do what God asks them to do? Religion: Judaism Theme: Prayer at home Key Question: Does praying at regular intervals	Theme: Easter - Resurrection Concept: Salvation Key Question: How important is it to Christians that Jesus came back to life after His crucifixion? Religion: Christianity	Theme: The Covenant Key Question: How special is the relationship Jews have with God? Religion: Judaism Theme: Community and Belonging Key Question: Does going to a	Theme: Rites of Passage and good works Key Question: What is the best way for a Jew to show commitment to God? Religion: Judaism Theme: Hajj Key Question: Does completing Hajj make a person a better

			help a Muslim in his/ her everyday life? Religion: Islam		Mosque give Muslims a sense of belonging? Religion: Islam	Muslim? Religion: Islam
Computing	Full coverage of Computing objectives are taught through IPC units					
Physical Education	KPES.-Gymnastics/6 weeks. (Supporting body weight on hands, Stretching&tucking&sin king, Spring, Bridge, Points&Patches) PERB- Dance/ 6 weeks	KPES.- Gymnastics/6 weeks. (Shapes, Pathways, Floor&Apparatus &Sequences) PERB- Invasion games / 6 weeks	KPES.-Quickness, Speed & Agility. 6 Weeks (Varied games on SOW) PERB- Gymnastics/ 6 weeks	KPES.-Parachute Games 6 Weeks (Varied games on SOW) PERB- Invasion games/ 6 weeks	KPES.-Football 6 Weeks (Control, Awareness, Running with ball, Dribbling, Passing) PERB-Athletics and Sports Day Games/ 6 weeks	KPES.-Hockey 6 Weeks (Awareness, Skills, Passing, Dribbling, Receiving) PERB-Striking and fielding Games/ 6 weeks