Curriculum Overview

Year 2	Subject – Mathematics	Term – Michaelmas

Topics covered	• Revision of numbers to 100 • Place value in 2 digit numbers • Make and write amounts of money • Money - change • Addition and subtraction facts to 20 • How many to the next multiple of 10 • Add and subtract 10 / 20 • Add and subtract 11 / 21 • Add and subtract using number facts and place value • Add and subtract numbers bridging 10 • Counting in 2s, 5s, 10s • 2x, 5x, 10x tables / corresponding division facts • Understand multiplication as sets • Doubles and halves to 20 • Measuring length, weight, capacity • Begin to tell the time to 5 minutes • Left, right, clockwise, anticlockwise • Draw and describe 2D shapes and polygons • Sort shapes using Venn and Carroll diagrams • Word Problems
Exam	45 minutes covering all topics

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Curriculum Overview

Year 2	Subject – English	Term – Michaelmas

Topics covered	**Phonic Sounds** Revision of the following Set 2 and 3 Read, Write, Inc sounds: • Set 2: ay, ee, igh, ow, oo, oo, ar, or, air, ir, ou, oy • Set 3: ea, oi, a-e, i-e, o-e, u-e, aw, are, ur, er, ai, oa, ew, ire, ear, ure **Spelling** • Revision of Year 1 common words • Long vowel sound: a, i, o, e, oo • Adding ing and ed • Doubling letters before ing and ed • Adding ing and ed to words ending in y **Reading** • The Tempest **Grammar and punctuation** • Writing in sentences • Sentence punctuation • Joining words • Statements, questions, exclamations, commands • Nouns, adjectives, verbs (past and present) **Writing** • Recount / newspaper report • Letter • Invitation • Poetry • Describe a setting • Story mountains • Story introduction • Comprehension
Exam	30 minutes comprehension 30 minutes grammar & punctuation 30 minutes composition

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Curriculum Overview

Year 2	Subject – Science	Term – Michaelmas
Topics covered	• Alive, dead and never alive • Characteristics of living things • Habitats • Extreme habitats • Food chains • Types of teeth • Structure of the tooth • Teeth decay • Healthy Eating	
Exam	No exam	

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Curriculum Overview

Year 2	Subject – Class Music	Term – Michaelmas
Topics covered	**Singing and Percussion** • Songs from The Tudors (Green/Stanley) • Using body percussion to learn rhythms • Reading notes off the stave using xylophones • Basic music theory, identifying musical features on a score **Listening** • Greensleeves (Henry VIII) • Pastime with Good Company (Henry VIII) • Mass for Four Voices (Byrd) **Performance** • Years 2/3 choir • Nativity	

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Curriculum Overview

Year 2	Subject – Religious Studies	Term – Michaelmas
Topics covered	**Creation and Covenant** • The Bible – Old Testament and New Testament • Symbols in story of Noah • Why we care for creation • Psalms – prayers of praise • Psalm 139 – reflect on God's love • Baptism **Prophecy and Promise** • The annunciation to Zechariah • The annunciation to Mary • The visitation and links to the Magnificat • Preparing for Jesus' coming at Christmas Prayers • Hail Mary • The Our Father	
Exam	No exam	

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Curriculum Overview

Year 2	Subject – Topic	Term – Michaelmas
Topics covered	**The Tudors** **History** • Introduction to the kings and queens of England • The wars of the roses • Henry VII and the battle of Bosworth • Henry VIII • Henry VIII's wives and children • Elizabeth I • Tudor family tree • Sir Francis Drake • Tudor ships – The Mary Rose • The Tudor world: houses, clothes, education, Christmas • Writing with a quill • Tudor Christmas – Pomanders **Geography** • Oceans of the world • Ancient and modern maps	
Exam	No exam	

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Curriculum Overview

Year 2	Subject – Art & DT	Term – Michaelmas
Topics covered	• Create and paint a 3D Tudor Rose • Tudor portraits • Autumn watercolour painting • Tudor entertainment – masks • Elizabeth I Monoprint • 3D Tudor houses (DT) • Armada collage	

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Curriculum Overview

Year 2	Subject – ICT	Term – Michaelmas

Topics covered	**E-safety** • Understanding the need for e-safety • Understanding the importance of only using a computer when in the presence of a parent or teacher **Microsoft Word** • Typing a sentence • Changing the font • Using the underline/bold/italic functions • Bullet points **Touch typing practice**

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