

Year Long Term Plan 2026-27

	Autumn 1- 7weeks +1 day	Autumn 2-7 weeks	Spring 1-6 weeks	Spring 2-4 weeks + 4 days	Summer 1-7 weeks	Summer 2-7 weeks+1 day
Diversity/PSHE text and learning intention	Hidden Figures – celebration of influential black women	Anne Frank – to challenge racism and discrimination.	The Great Kapok Tree – to justify actions and understand the impact of humans on nature.	Dreams of Freedom – to recognise my freedom	Wonder – accepting people’s differences and developing compassion.	Stella Brings the Family – to promote diversity (same sex parents)
Class Reader	Letters from the Lighthouse		The Explorer		Wonder	
Big Question	Why was the Battle of Britain a significant turning point in British history?		Why are Rainforests Crucial to Mankind?		Why is Derby an interesting place to live?	
Science	Physics - Electricity	Physics – Light and Shadows	Biology – Living things and their habitats	Biology – Evolution and inheritance	Biology – Animals including humans	
Computing	Networks	Blogging	Coding (to include crumbles)	3D modelling	Spreadsheets using Excel	Graphing
RE	Expressing – If God is everywhere, why go to a place of worship? (Christianity and Sikhism)		Believing – Why do some people believe God exists? (Christianity and Hinduism)		Living – What does it mean to be a Sikh living in Britain today?	
PSHE (RSE/Drugs/ Managing Risk)	Being Me In My World	Celebrating Differences	Dreams and Goals	Healthy Me	Relationships	Changing Me
History	Study an aspect of British history – WWII (Battle of Britain)				Local History Study linked to Derby	
Geography			Study of Brazil and rainforest – human and physical features, time zones, measure rainfall, temp, wind speed. Atlas work		Derby Project – using OS map symbols and 6 figure grid references	
Music	Recorders (composition and notation) World War II Music (Vera Lynn/Glenn Miller)		Samba Exploring graphic scores, using the samba drums and linking to Brazil.		Composer Study Musical Effects and Moods (Out of the Ark)	Production Singing

Art	Still-life Painting Glass Jar Painting	Drawing Sketching (still-life) and shading skills – link to World War II	Pastels – rainforest animals, animal patterns	Digital Art	Clay Sculptures - Mascots	Painting skills/ ceramic painting Linked to Clarice Cliff
DT	Food and Nutrition – linked to World War II	Structures/Shelters linked to World War II.	Mechanisms – electronic buggies			
PE	Invasion games – tag rugby Football	OAA Hockey (Premier Sports)	Gymnastics Netball	Invasion Games - basketball Netball	Dance Striking and Fielding - Cricket	Athletics Striking and Fielding - Rounders
Spanish	Meet and Greet	My Body	Time to Eat	The People Around Me	All About School	Tell Me When