

Learning Themes- 2025-2026

Year R/1 Apple Tree Class SM

	Advent Term 1/2	Lent Term 3/4	Pentecost Term 5/6
R.E.	Creation and Covenant Prophecy and promise	Galilee to Jerusalem Desert to Garden	To the ends of the Earth Dialogue and encounter
Mathematics Reception	Match and Sort Compare Amounts Compare size, mass and capacity Representing, comparing and composition of 1,2&3 Circles and Triangles Positional Language	Introducing 0 Comparing numbers to 5 Composition of 4&5 Compare mass and capacity 6,7 & 8 Making pairs Combining 2 groups 9&10 Comparing numbers to 10 Bonds to 10 Length & Height Time 3D shapes	Building numbers and counting patterns past 10 Spatial reasoning Adding and Taking away Doubling, Sharing and Grouping Even and Odd Patterns and Relationships
Year 1	Place Value (within 10) Addition and Subtraction Geometry Shape	Place Value (within 20) Addition and Subtraction Place Value (within 50) Measurement Length and Height Mass and Volume	Multiplication and division Fractions Geometry Position and Direction Place Value (within 100) Measurement Money Time
English: Opportunities for reading and writing	Phonics Familiar Settings- Families and Me Non-Fiction: Labels and Captions	Phonics Non-Fiction: Letters and Postcards	Phonics Non-Fiction: Information texts. Non-Fiction: People who help us

	Non-Fictions: Lists and Instructions Descriptive writing by famous authors. Poetry: Seasonal poems.	Traditional Tales and Fables Non-Fiction: Dinosaurs Fiction: Stories on a theme.	Fiction: Adventure stories. Fiction: Issue awareness.1
Art	Drawing- Tell a story	Painting and mixed media- colour splash	Craft and design- woven wonders
D and T	Making a moving story book		Making smoothies
Geography		What is it like to live in the Arctic?	Do you like to be beside the seaside?
History	How have toys changed over time?	Who was Mary Anning?	
Computing	Technology around us	Digital painting	Moving a robot
Science	Seasonal changes Materials	Seasonal changes Animals including Humans	Seasonal changes Plants
Music	Specialist music teacher	Specialist music teacher	Specialist music teacher
PSHE	Ten Ten	Ten Ten	Ten Ten
French Reception & Year 1 Year 2	Little Languages- Reception Little Languages- Year 2	Little Languages- Reception Little Languages- Year 2	Little Languages- Reception Little Languages- Year 2
PE	Games	Dance	Athletics