

## Curriculum Plan 2024 - 2025

YEAR 1								
PSHE	History/Geography	Art	DT	RE	Science	Music	Cultural Capital	ICT
<p><b>Autumn 1</b> Introduction lesson and Citizenship unit.</p> <p>Clever Never Goes</p>	<p>Unit 1 How am I making History?</p>	<p>Painting and mixed media - colour splash</p>		<p>Where do I belong?</p>	<p>Forces and Space: Seasonal Changes.</p>	<p>Sing focus: Menu Song</p>	<p>Primary Leadership Team Friend Champions Sports Leaders Speak Out Stay Safe</p>	<p>Programming</p>
<p><b>Autumn 2</b> Health and Wellbeing</p> <p>BHM - Harriet Tubman</p>	<p>Unit 1 How am I making History?</p>		<p>Structures - windmills</p>	<p>Who celebrates what and why?</p>	<p>Materials: Everyday Materials.</p>	<p>Listen focus: Colonel Hathi's March</p> <p>Compose focus: Magical Musical Aquarium</p>	<p>Visit Anti-bullying Church Leader visits Church Visit</p>	<p>Video Creation &amp; Animation</p>
<p><b>Spring 1</b> Economic Wellbeing</p>	<p>What is it like here</p>	<p>Drawing - making your mark</p>		<p>Beginning to learn from Hindu people</p>	<p>Animals: Sensitive Bodies.</p>	<p>Football unit- composition and instrumental.</p>		<p>Animation &amp; Data Handling</p>

	BIG CONCEPT: Belonging - where I live							
Spring 2 Family and Relationships  NSPCC Pants Rule	Unit 2 How has Leicester changed since the 1950s?		Cooking and nutrition - Smoothies.	Living in harmony; how do we show we care?	Animals: Comparing Animals.	Listen focus: The sea: 'Dawn' from Sea Interludes  Listen and composition focus: Musical conversations- timbre and graphic score.	Local area walk to Thurncourt shops  Meet the Creatures	Sound
Summer 1 Safety and the changing body	Unit 2 What is the weather like in the UK?  BIG CONCEPT: Belonging - my place in the UK	Sculpture and 3D - paper play		Who is an inspiring person?	Plants: Introduction to plants	Listen and composition focus: Dancing and Drawing to Nautilus  Composition focus: Cat and Mouse	Virtual Tour of London	Presentation
Summer 2	Unit 3 How have explorers		Mechanisms - wheels and axles	Visiting a place of worship	Plants: Introduction to plants	Sing and composition focus: Come		Presentation

Safety and the changing body  Transition lesson	changed the world?			Christ Church Visit		Dance with Me.		
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YEAR 2								
PSHE	History/Geography	Art	DT	RE	Science	Music	Cultural Capital	ICT
<b>Autumn 1</b> Introduction lesson and Citizenship unit.  Clever Never Goes	Unit 1 Continents & Oceans  BIG CONCEPT - The World	Drawing - Tell a story		Who is a Christian and what do they believe?	Living things: Habitats	Sing focus: Tony Chestnut	Primary Leadership Team Friend Champions Sports Leaders	Programming
<b>Autumn 2</b> Health and Wellbeing  BHM - Mary Seacole	Unit 1 How was school different in the past?		Structures: Baby Bear's Chair	The beginning of the world. What can we learn from stories Christians tell?	Living things: Microhabitats.	Listen focus: Carnival of the Animals  Compose focus: music inspired by birdsong.	Speak Out Stay Safe Anti-bullying Church Leader visits Church Visit	AR & VR

<p><b>Spring 1</b> Economic Wellbeing</p>	<p>Unit 2 What is a monarch?</p>	<p>Sculpture and 3D- Clay houses</p>		<p>Symbols</p>	<p>Materials: used of everyday materials.</p>	<p>Sing focus: Grandma Rap</p>	<p>Bradgate Park Visit</p>	<p>Data Handling Animation</p>
<p><b>Spring 2</b> Family and Relationships  NSPCC Pants Rule</p>	<p>Unit 2 Would you prefer to live in a hot or cold place?  BIG CONCEPT: Adaptability</p>		<p>Cooking and Nutrition - A balanced diet</p>	<p>What can we learn about what is special for Muslims?</p>	<p>Animals: Life cycles and health.</p>	<p>Listen focus: Orawa  Composition focus: Trains</p>	<p>Digital LCC visit - Mrs Tiggy-Winkles wash day</p>	<p>Photography Presentations</p>
<p><b>Summer 1</b> Safety and the changing body</p>	<p>Unit 3 How did we learn how to fly?</p>	<p>Craft and Design - Map it out</p>		<p>Ideas about God</p>	<p>Plants: Plant growth.</p>	<p>Listen focus: Swing- a-long with Shostakovich  Composition focus: Charlie Chaplin</p>		<p>Video Creation</p>
<p><b>Summer 2</b> Safety and the changing body  Transition lesson</p>	<p>Unit 3 Why is our world wonderful?  BIG CONCEPT: Landmarks Local Habitats</p>		<p>Textiles - pouches</p>	<p>Beginning to learn about Sikhs</p>	<p>Plants: Plant growth.</p>	<p>Sing focus: Tanczymy Labada</p>	<p>Sikh Visitor Or Gudwara Tour</p>	<p>Presentation</p>

Year 3

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<p><b>Autumn 1</b> Introduction lesson and Citizenship unit.</p> <p>Clever Never Goes</p> <p>Throughout Year - Thurnby Special Show &amp; Tell - Mead 20 Number 19</p>	<p>Unit 1 Climate Zones</p> <p>BIG CONCEPT: Climate Zones</p>		<p>Mechanical systems: Pneumatic toys</p>	<p>Welcoming new life into the world</p>	<p>Animals: Movement and nutrition.</p>	<p>Sing focus: I've been to Harlem</p>	<p>Primary Leadership Team Friend Champions Sports Leaders</p>	<p>Sound Computer Networks</p>	<p>French Greetings with Puppets.</p>
<p><b>Autumn 2</b> Health and Wellbeing</p> <p>BHM - Rosa Parks</p>	<p>Unit 1 What did the Ancient Egyptians believe?</p>	<p>Craft and Design - Egyptian scrolls</p>		<p>What are the deeper meanings of celebrations?</p>	<p>Forces and space: Forces and Magnets.</p>	<p>Listen focus: Nao chariya de/ Mingulay boat song</p> <p>Compose focus: Sound Symmetry</p>	<p>Speak Out Stay Safe Anti-bullying Emergency services visits Church Leader visits</p>	<p>Enhancing the Curriculum - Ancient Egypt</p>	<p>French Adjectives of colour, size and shape.</p>

							Church Visit - Christmas Workshop		
							Egyptian Workshop Leicester Museum		
Spring 1 Economic Wellbeing	Unit 2 Why do people live near volcanoes?  BIG CONCEPT: Natural Disaster		Textiles - Egyptian collars	How do Christians follow Jesus?	Materials: Rocks and Soil.	Composition focus: Latin Dance	Eye-witness accounts of Natural Disaster  Rock Investigators CLS Workshop	AR & VR Data Handling	French Playground Games-numbers and age.
Spring 2 Family and Relationships  NSPCC Pants Rule  Mix & Mingle with Reception -	Unit 2 Would you prefer to live in the Stone Age, Bronze Age or Iron Age?	Painting & Mixed Media - prehistoric painting		Easter  Easter Workshop from Christ Church	Energy: Light and shadows.	Listen focus: 'March' from The Nutcracker  Composition focus: From a railway carriage	Stone Age Workshop	Enhancing the Curriculum - Stone Age Timelines Programming Physical Computing	In a French classroom.

Mead 20 planting									
Summer 1 Safety and the changing body	Unit 3 Why did the Romans settle in Britain?		Structures - Castles	Creation and Green issues	Plants: Plant Reproduction	Composition and sing focus: Just three notes.  Composition and sing focus: Samba with Sergio	Dress as a Roman Day		French Transport.
Summer 2 Safety and the changing body  Transition lesson	Unit 3 Are all the settlements the same?  Contrasting with New Delhi	Drawing - Growing Artists		Creation and Green issues	Plants: Plant Reproduction	Composition focus: Fly with the stars.	Thurnby Mead School Sleepover	Presentation Presentation Video Creation	A circle of life in French.
Year 4									
PSHE	History/Geography	Art	DT	RE	Science	Music	Cultural Capital	ICT	French
Autumn 1 Introduction lesson and Citizenship unit.  Clever Never Goes	Unit 1 How hard was it to invade and settle in Britain?	Drawing - power prints		Who is my neighbour?	Animals: Digestion and food.	Brass sessions taught by Leicestershire Music	Primary Leadership Team Friend Champions Sports Leaders	Computer Networks  Physical Computing  Presentation Sound	French Greetings with Puppets.

							CLS History Workshop- Digging Up the Dead (Anglo-Saxons)		
Autumn 2 Health and Wellbeing  BHM- Pablo Fanque  Write Christmas cards to residential home - Mead 20 Number 6	Unit 1 Rivers  BIG CONCEPT: Precious Resources		Electrical systems - making torches	Light and dark; making signs and symbols fascinating?	Energy: Electricity and circuits.	Brass sessions taught by Leicestershire Music	Speak Out Stay Safe Anti-bullying  Church leader visit to school	Programming	French Adjectives of colour, size and shape.
Spring 1 Economic Wellbeing	Unit 2 What was the role of Baghdad on early Islamic civilisation?	Painting & Mixed Media - light and dark		Places of Worship	Materials: States of Matter	Brass sessions taught by Leicestershire Music Brass' Sessions.	Place of Worship Visit- mosque?	Data Handling	French Playground Games- numbers and age.
Spring 2 Family and relationships.	Unit 2 Why are rainforests important to us?		Mechanisms - slingshot car	Who inspires me?  Warm Space Volunteering	Energy: Sound and vibrations.	Brass sessions taught by Leicestershire Music	Botanic Garden- Rainforests and make connections	Presentation Posters	In a French classroom.





Year 5

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PSHE	History/Geography	Art	DT	RE	Science	Music	Cultural Capital	ICT	French
<p><b>Autumn 1</b> Introduction lesson and Citizenship unit.  Clever Never Goes</p>	<p>Unit 1 What was the impact of WW2 on the people of Britain?</p>		Structures - bridges	Interfaith dialogue: what will make our city a more respectful place?	Materials: Mixtures and separation.	Tabla sessions taught by Leicester shire Music	<p>The Victory Show at Croft  Primary Leadership Team Friend Champions Sports Leaders  Street Awareness Workshop</p>	<p>Video Creation  Enhancing the Curriculum - World War II</p>	French Greetings with Puppets.
<p><b>Autumn 2</b> Health and Wellbeing  BHM - Martin Luther King  Harvest Donations &amp; Food Bank Volunteering -</p>	<p>Unit 1: Mountains  BIG CONCEPT: Powerful Earth Adversity</p>	Painting & Mixed Media - portraits		What does it mean to be a Hindu?	Materials: Properties and changes.	Tabla sessions taught by Leicester shire Music	<p>Evacuees workshop  Speak Out Stay Safe Anti-bullying  Virtual Hindu Temple Visit</p>	Programming	French Adjectives of colour, size and shape.

Mead 20 number 5 & number 17									
Spring 1 Economic Wellbeing	Unit 2: Why do Oceans matter?  BIG CONCEPT: Climate Change Marine Pollution Impact on aquatic creatures	Craft and Design - architectur e		Justice and poverty	Forces and Space: Earth and Space.	Tabla sessions taught by Leicester shire Music	Beacon Hill - Geology Study	Data Handling	French Playground Games- numbers and age.
Spring 2 Family and Relationships  NSPCC Pants Rule	Unit 2 What did the Greeks ever do for us?		Mechanical Systems - pop up books	Justice and poverty  The Peace Centre Food Bank Project	Living things and their habitats: Life cycles and reproduction.	Tabla sessions taught by Leicester shire Music	Greek Workshop Church Visit - Easter Workshop	Animation AR & VR	In a French classroom.

Summer 1 Safety and the changing body	Unit 3: How did the Maya civilisation compare to		Digital world: monitoring devices.	How does a Christian follow Jesus?	Forces and Space: Unbalanced forces.	Tabla sessions taught by Leicestershi re Music	Church Leader Visit	Sound	French Transport.
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	the Anglo-Saxons?								
<p>Summer 2</p> <p>Safety and the changing body</p> <p>Transition lesson</p> <p>World of Work Day - Mead 20</p> <p>Number 2 - shake a visitors hand</p>	<p>Unit 3: Would you like to live in the desert?</p> <p>BIG CONCEPT: Biomes</p> <p>Distribution of natural resources</p>	<p>Sculpture &amp; 3D - interactive installation</p>		<p>What is so special about marriage?</p>	<p>Forces and Space: Unbalanced forces.</p>	<p>Tabla sessions taught by Leicestershire Music</p>	<p>Visit from a refugee/ migrant</p>	<p>Presentation</p>	<p>A circle of life in French.</p>
Year 6									
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<p><b>Autumn 1</b> Introduction lesson and Citizenship unit.</p> <p>Clever Never Goes</p> <p>Warning Zone</p> <p>Strong Girls Can Workshop</p> <p>Respectful Boys Workshop</p>	<p>Unit 1 United Kingdom</p> <p>BIG CONCEPT: Inter-dependency Natural Resources &amp; Sustainability</p>		<p>Textiles - waistcoats</p>	<p>What can we learn from religions about temptation?</p>	<p>Living things: classifying big and small.</p>	<p>Strings sessions taught by Leicestershire Music</p>	<p>Caythorpe Residential</p> <p>Primary Leadership Team</p> <p>Friend Champions</p> <p>Sports Leaders</p> <p>Street Awareness Workshop</p>	<p>Programming</p>	<p>French Greetings with Puppets.</p>
<p><b>Autumn 2</b> Health and Wellbeing</p> <p>BHM - Michelle Obama</p> <p>Reflect on Panto - Mead 20 Number 8</p>	<p>Unit 1 What does the Census tell us about our local area?</p>	<p>Drawing - make my voice heard</p>		<p>What does it mean to be a Muslim?</p>	<p>Energy: Light and reflection.</p>	<p>Strings sessions taught by Leicestershire Music</p>	<p>Speak Out Stay Safe</p> <p>Anti-bullying</p> <p>Visit to Central mosque</p>	<p>Animation</p>	<p>French Adjectives of colour, size and shape.</p>
<p><b>Spring 1</b> Economic Wellbeing</p>	<p>Unit 2</p>			<p>How do you find your way through</p>	<p>Living Things: Evolution</p>	<p>Strings sessions taught by</p>	<p>Mini-bus Tour of</p>	<p>AR &amp; VR</p>	<p>French Playground Games-</p>

	Why does population change?  BIG CONCEPT: Society			a moral maze?	and inheritance.	Leicestershire Music	Local Area & Amenities  Comedy Festival		numbers and age.
Spring 2 Family and Relationships  NSPCC Pants Rule Comic Relief Fundraiser - Mead 20 Number 18	Unit 2 Why is King Richard III Significant to Leicester?		Electrical Systems - steady hand game	What can we learn from reflecting on Sikh, Christian and Muslim wisdom?	Energy: Circuits, batteries, and switches.	Strings sessions taught by Leicestershire Music		Enhancing the Curriculum	In a French classroom.
Summer 1 Safety and the changing body	Unit 2 Why is King Richard III Significant to Leicester?	Painting & Mixed Media - artist study		What happens when we die?	Animals: Circulation and health.	Strings sessions taught by Leicestershire Music	Cathedral & King Richard III Visitor Centre	Presentation	French Transport.
Summer 2 Safety and the changing body	Unit 3 Fieldwork enquiry		Cooking and Nutrition - come dine with me	Transition unit: Religious Stories	Animals: Circulation and health.	Strings sessions taught by Leicestershire Music	Cathedral & King Richard III Visitor Centre	Video Creation	A circle of life in French.

Transition lesson	BIG CONCEPT: Change Relationships Confidence Opportunity Performance Managing Mental Health								
Come dine with me - share part with family & reflect - Mead 20 Number 9 Leavers Performance - Mead 20 Number 11									

Whole School Events	<p>Chinese Dance  Moving Together  Pantomime  Character Champion - Top Table  Christmas Carol Service  Christmas Nativity/Performance  Trust Christmas Choir  Sports Tournaments  Sports Competitions  Creative Library Services Visits &amp; Workshops  Creative Library Services Topic &amp; artefact boxes  Mix and Mingle sessions - making learning stick  Assembly Take Over  Earth Day</p>
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Whole School Approaches	<p>Marvellous Mistakes  SMART - e-safety  Character Muscles  Speak Out Stay Safe  Clever Never Goes  NSPCC Pants Rule  Wonderful Walking  Wonderful Welcomes  Zones of Regulation  3 Rules</p>
PSHE Tailored Events	<p>Warning Zone  Strong Girls Can  Boys Respecting Girls  Magistrates in the City  Violence Reduction Mentors</p>
Religious Events	<p>Harvest Festival  Diwali  Christmas  Chinese New Year (bi-annual) cycle 1  Eid &amp; Ramadan  Holi (bi-annual) cycle 1  Vaisakhi (bi-annual) cycle 2  Easter</p>
Community & Charity Events	<p>Community Swap Shop  Developmental Language Delay Awareness  Children in Need  Sports Relief  Comic Relief  Response to World Events  Peace Centre Food Bank Project  British Red Cross Disaster Relief Fund Welfare Walk  Coffee Mornings</p>



Spring fair  
School Disco  
Cultural Celebration Assemblies

Clubs

Football  
Football league Teams  
Board Games  
Badminton  
Tennis  
Basketball  
Arts & Craft  
Sketching  
STEM  
Choir