




2025 to 2026


Autumn

<p>EY</p> 	<p><u>Marvellous Me</u></p> <p><i>Who am I? What makes me similar/different to others? How do I grow and change? What are my senses? We also explore the Autumn season.</i></p> <p><u>Key knowledge and skills:</u></p> <p>Understanding the World:- Look at similarities and differences between ourselves and others. Explore change in ourselves and in our environment. Exploring personal past and present events and sequence how we change over time.</p> <p>English:- Looking at features of a book and mark making.</p> <p>Maths:- Number</p> <p>PE:- Finding space and controlling body parts.</p>	<p><u>Celebrating Change</u></p> <p><i>Does everyone in the World celebrate Christmas? Explore different celebrations from a range of cultures including Diwali, Bonfire night, Christmas and Hanukkah.</i></p> <p><u>Key knowledge and skills:</u></p> <p>Understanding the World:- Exploring maps and begin to locate where we live. Comparing our local environment with a contrasting locality. Begin to identify similarities and differences between our own beliefs and the beliefs of others'.</p> <p>English:- Blending and segmenting.</p> <p>Maths:- Number and numerical patterns</p> <p>PE:- Ball skills</p>
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Spring

<p>EY</p> 	<p><u>Does Chocolate Grow on Trees?</u></p> <p><i>Did Willy Wonka discover chocolate? How is chocolate made? Take a trip around the World as we go from 'Bean to Bar'.</i></p> <p><u>Key knowledge and skills:</u></p> <p>Understanding the World:- Exploring maps and locating where we live. Describing similarities and differences of a contrasting locality. Showing care and concern for living creatures and the environment.</p> <p>English:- Retell, instructions and information.</p> <p>Maths:- Comparing mass and capacity and composition of numbers to 5.</p> <p>PE:- Dance and body control.</p>	<p><u>Do you Know?</u></p> <p>Explore different materials and their properties. Can you save Humpty from his fall? Does it float/sink? Can you design a boat for the Three Billy goats? Is it magnetic? A topic full of scientific awe and wonder.</p> <p><u>Key knowledge and skills:</u></p> <p>Understanding the World:- exploring similarities differences, patterns and change. Asking questions about why things happen and how things work. Using scientific language to describe what has been observed. Make simple observations of animals and plants and explain why some things happen.</p> <p>English:- Labels and captions, rhyming, recount and instructions.</p> <p>Maths:- Combining two groups, length and height and time and comparing numbers to 10.</p> <p>PE:- Ball skills.</p>
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Summer




<p>EY</p> 	<p><u>It's a Kind of Magic!</u></p> <p>A topic full of magic and mystery beyond your wildest imagination. Create your own wand, learn a magic trick, mix your very own disappearing potion and write a letter to a genie. What are your 3 wishes?</p> <p><u>Key knowledge and skills:</u></p> <p>Understanding the World:- Looking at people and events in our own history. Exploring changes in materials.</p> <p>English:- Reading and understanding simple sentences and writing simple sentences using a capital letter and full stop. Exploring fairy tales and other magical stories.</p> <p>Maths:- Understanding numbers to 10 and beyond.</p> <p>PE:- Dance and exploring ways to travel.</p>	<p><u>Commotion in the Ocean</u></p> <p>Take a trip beneath the waves to explore the magnificent creatures that live under the sea? Write a riddle, find Nemo and retell some of the greatest underwater stories ever to be told!</p> <p><u>Key knowledge and skills:</u></p> <p>Understanding the World:- Explore maps to begin to locate the oceans around the World. Comment and ask questions about some of the things they have observed. Identify similarities and differences between relations to places and living things.</p> <p>English:- Reading and understanding simple sentences and writing simple sentences using a capital letter and full stop. Exploring and retelling stories with an under the sea theme.</p> <p>Maths:- Doubling and sharing, odds and evens, number bonds to 5 and 10.</p> <p>PE:- Gymnastics and ball skills.</p>
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Year 1



Cornerstones Curriculum (single age) – Year 1

Cornerstones		Term 1			Term 2			Term 3		
Year 1	Driver project	 Childhood History			 Bright Lights, Big City Geography			 School Days History		
	Linked English packs	Autobiographies	Non-chronological reports	Riddles	Information posters	Directions	Narratives	List poems	Diaries	Letters
	Linked book study	Wilfrid Gordon McDonald Partridge by Mem Fox			Topsy and Tim Visit London by Jean and Gareth Adamson			Whiffy Wilson: The Wolf who wouldn't go to school by Caryl Hart		
	Science	Everyday Materials		Human Senses	Seasonal Changes			Plant Parts		Animal Parts
	A&D	Mix It		Funny Faces and Fabulous Features	Rain and Sunrises			Street View		
	D&T	Shade and Shelter			Taxi!			Chop, Slice and Mash		
	Geography	Our Wonderful World			Geography covered in the main project			Geography revision and retrieval practice		
	RE	Harvest Christianity	Milad un Nabi Islam	Diwali Hinduism	Purim Judaism			Naam Karan Sikhism		Esala Perahera Buddhism

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Year 1	Maths		Autumn White Rose Maths v2.0 Autumn White Rose Maths v3.0	Spring White Rose Maths v2.0 Spring White Rose Maths v3.0	Summer White Rose Maths v2.0 Summer White Rose Maths v3.0 (coming soon)
	Computing		Barefoot Computing Year 1		

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Year 2

Cornerstones Curriculum (single age) – Year 2



Cornerstones		Term 1				Term 2				Term 3		
Year 2	Driver project	 Movers and Shakers History				 Coastline Geography				 Magnificent Monarchs History		
	Linked English packs	Biographies	Newspaper reports	Posters	Speeches	Descriptions	Adventure narratives	Non-chronological reports	Persuasive writing	Information leaflets	Kenning's poems	Comic strips
	Linked book study	Rosa Parks (Little People, Big Dreams) by Lisbeth Kaiser				Katie Morag and the New Pier by Mairi Hedderwick				Queen Victoria's Bathing Machine by Gloria Whelan		
	Science	Human Survival		Habitats		Uses of Materials		Plant Survival		Animal Survival		
	A&D	Mix It		Still Life		Flower Head				Portraits and Poses		
	D&T	Remarkable Recipes				Beach Hut				Cut, Stitch and Join		Push and Pull
	Geography	Let's Explore the World				Geography covered in the main project				Geography revision and retrieval practice		
	RE	Navratri Hinduism	Hanukkah Judaism	Christmas Christianity		Losar Buddhism		Anand Karaj Sikhism		Jumu'ah Islam		

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Year 2	Maths		Autumn White Rose Maths v2.0 Autumn White Rose Maths v3.0	Spring White Rose Maths v2.0 Spring White Rose Maths v3.0	Summer White Rose Maths v2.0 Summer White Rose Maths v3.0 (coming soon)
	Computing		Barefoot Computing Year 2		

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Year 3



Cornerstones Curriculum (single age) – Year 3

Cornerstones		Term 1				Term 2				Term 3				
Year 3	Driver project	 Through the Ages History				 Rocks, Relics and Rumbles Geography				 Emperors and Empires History				
	Linked English packs	Narratives	Instructions	Cinquains	Chronological reports	Non-chronological reports	Poetry	Newspaper reports	Diaries	Biographies	Letters	Myths	Poetry	
	Linked book study	Stig of the Dump by Clive King				The Firework-Maker's Daughter by Philip Pullman				Roman Tales: The Goose Guards by Terry Deary				
	Science	Animal Nutrition and the Skeletal System				Forces and Magnets				Plant Nutrition and Reproduction		Light and Shadows		
	A&D	Contrast and Complement		Prehistoric Pots		Ammonite		People and Places		Beautiful Botanicals		Mosaic Masters		
	D&T	Cook Well, Eatwell				Making It Move				Greenhouse				
	Geography	One Planet, Our World				Geography covered in the main project				Geography revision and retrieval practice				
	RE	Ganesh Chaturthi Hinduism		Guru Nanak Gurburab Sikhism		Lent Christianity				Vesak Buddhism		Shavuot Judaism		Hajj Islam

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Year 3	Maths	 Autumn White Rose Maths v2.0 Autumn White Rose Maths v3.0	Spring White Rose Maths v2.0 Spring White Rose Maths v3.0	Summer White Rose Maths v2.0 Summer White Rose Maths v3.0 (coming soon)
	Computing	 Barefoot Computing Year 3		

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Year 4

Cornerstones Curriculum (single age) – Year 4



Cornerstones		Term 1				Term 2				Term 3		
Year 4	Driver project	 Invasion History				 Misty Mountain, Winding River Geography				 Ancient Civilisations History		
	Linked English packs	Anglo-Saxon poetry	Playscripts	Norse myths	Non-chronological reports	Diaries	Leaflets	Explanations	Narrative poetry	Free verse poetry	Instructions	Stories from other cultures
	Linked book study	The Saga of Erik the Viking by Terry Jones				King of the Cloud Forests by Michael Morpurgo				Secrets of a Sun King by Emma Carroll		
	Science	Food and the Digestive System		Sound		States of Matter		Grouping and Classifying		Electrical Circuits and Conductors		
	A&D	Contrast and Complement		Warp and Weft		Vista		Animal		Statues, Statuettes and Figurines		Islamic Art
	D&T	Fresh Food, Good Food				Functional and Fancy Fabrics				Tomb Builders		
	Geography	Interconnected World				Geography covered in the main project				Geography revision and retrieval practice		
	RE	Janmashtami Hinduism		Kathina Buddhism		Vaisakhi Sikhism		Holy Week and Easter Christianity		Shabbat Judaism		Eid ul-Adha Islam

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Year 4	Maths	 Autumn White Rose Maths v2.0 Autumn White Rose Maths v3.0	Spring White Rose Maths v2.0 Spring White Rose Maths v3.0	Summer White Rose Maths v2.0 Summer White Rose Maths v3.0 (coming soon)
	Computing	 Barefoot Computing Year 4		

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Year 5/6

Cornerstones Curriculum (single age) – Year 5



Cornerstones		Term 1			Term 2				Term 3			
Year 5	Driver project	 Dynamic Dynasties History			 Sow, Grow and Farm Geography				 Groundbreaking Greeks History			
	Linked English packs	Narrative poems	Biographies	Stories from other cultures	Non-chronologic reports	Diaries	Leaflets	Balanced arguments	Greek myths	Balanced arguments	Playscripts	Odes
	Linked book study	Bronze and Sunflower by Cao Wenxuan			The Secret Garden by Frances Hodgson Burnett				Who Let the Gods Out? by Maz Evans			
	Science	Forces and Mechanisms		Earth and Space	Human Reproduction and Ageing				Properties and Changes of Materials			
	A&D	Tints, Tones and Shades		Taotie	Line, Light and Shadows		Nature's Art		Mixed Media		Expression	
	D&T	Moving Mechanisms			Eat the Seasons				Architecture			
	Geography	Investigating our World			Geography covered in the main project				Geography revision and retrieval practice			
	RE	Dharma Day Buddhism			Holi Hinduism	Ramadan and Eid al-Fitr Islam		Passover Judaism	Pentecost Christianity		Guru Arjan Gurburab Sikhism	

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Year 5	Maths	 Autumn White Rose Maths v2.0 Autumn White Rose Maths v3.0	Spring White Rose Maths v2.0 Spring White Rose Maths v3.0	Summer White Rose Maths v2.0 Summer White Rose Maths v3.0 (coming soon)
	Computing	 Barefoot Computing Year 5		