



## Year 2 - Curriculum map

Planned half term	Year 2	Subject focus	Memorable experience	Innovate challenge	Love to Investigate	English	Art & Design	Computing	D&T	Geography	History	Mathematics	Music	PE	PSHE	Science
1	Wriggle and Crawl	Science	Visit a Salsbury Woodland and visit from the Creepy Crawlie Roadshow	Minibeast experts	Do insects have a favourite colour? Do snails have noses? What is the life cycle of the ladybird? Where do snails live?	Poetry, Information books, James and the Giant Peach	Observational drawing; Model making	Databases	Origins of food; Selecting natural materials	Fieldwork	Discrete	Symmetry	Play tuned and untuned instruments	Dance	Feeling positive	Living Things and their Habitats; Animals, including Humans; Working Scientifically
2	Land Ahoy!	Geography	Visit Blackpool RNLi station	Find pirate treasure - pirate day	Why do boats float? Can you find the treasure?	Recount, Postcards and Letters, Narrative (adventure stories), Poetry	Observational drawing; Printing	e-safety	Mechanisms; Structures	Using and making maps; Location knowledge; Using and giving directions	Significant historical people - Captain James Cook, Grace Darling; Famous pirates	Mass; Position; Direction and movement	Sea shanties	Discrete	Feeling positive about themselves	Everyday materials; Working scientifically
3	Towers, Tunnels and Turrets	D&T	Visit a local castle	Make a fortress for the Three Little Pigs	Can you make a paper bridge? Where do worms like to live?	Reviews, information texts, Narrative	Sculpture using natural materials	Multi-media, i-movies	Making models of towers, bridges and tunnels	Amazing structures around the world; Towers and bridges in the local area	Castles and castle life; Significant individuals - Isambard Kingdom Brunel	Measures (height)	Discrete	Defend and attack games; Balance and co-ordination	Dilemmas	Living things and their habitats; Use of everyday materials; Working scientifically
4	Beachcombers	Science	A trip to the seaside	Create a sea creature	How many arms does an octopus have? Will it degrade?	Instructions, Narrative	Sketchbooks; 3-D modelling; Sand art; Seascapes	Programming	Finger puppets	Coastal features	Discrete	Measures (mass)	Discrete	Discrete	Caring for the environment	Habitats; Living and Non-living Things; Food Chains; Basic Needs of Animals; Working Scientifically
5	The Scented Garden	Science	Visit a garden centre or florist	Make a fragranced gift	What's on your wellies? Can seeds grow anywhere? How does grass grow?	Poetry, information texts, narrative	Observational Drawing; Sculpture; Flower-pressing	Stop frame animation	Making fragrant products	Plants in the local environment; Plants of the world	Discrete	Measurement	Action rhymes	Discrete	Discrete	Plants
6	Muck, Mess and Mixtures	Art & Design	Messy mixtures day	Messy art exhibition	Which stuff is stickier? How is mud made? What shape is a bubble?	Traditional tales, recipes	Printing; Food landscapes; Mixed media pictures and collages; Colour mixing; Using clay	Instructions and presentations	Food tasting; Origins of food; Healthy meals; Following recipes; Designing an outdoor kitchen	Discrete	Discrete	Measurement (capacity and mass)	Discrete	Discrete	Safety around medicines and household products	Everyday Materials; Working Scientifically