



Rushall Primary School

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Year 1

	Autumn	Spring	Summer	Summer
CYCLE 1	I Remember	Ice Worlds	The Americas	Africa
History	Changes within living memory Autumn 1: Toys and School Autumn 2: Guy Fawkes and The Great Fire of London	<i>Geography led topic</i>	Christopher Columbus & Northern American Indians	<i>Geography led topic</i>
Geography	Simple maps (classroom and school) Comparison of human and physical geographical features	Polar Regions of the World Map work, human and physical geographical features, associated vocabulary.	Oceans, Continents, Weather Patterns, human and physical geographical features.	Countries within the African Savannah Map work, human and physical geographical features, associated vocabulary.
Art	Drawing and Painting	Print making and sculpture	Ceramics and Textiles	

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CYCLE 2	Knights, Castles and Dragons	H2O and Beyond	Journeys
History	Famous Castles Key features, their locations and the people who lived in them.	The Titanic, Grace Darling and The RNLI	Sister Dora and Florence Nightingale
Geography	Castle Locations Map work, human and physical geographical features, associated vocabulary.	Weather Patterns, Tides, Currents and Oceans. Journey of the Titanic.	Fieldwork and observational skills of the local area

Art	Illustrations Drawing and Painting Lauren Child – Illustrator of The Princess and the Pea Wayne Anderson – Illustrator of In the Tin Forest	Illustrations Drawing and Painting Ruth Brown – Illustrator of The Lighthouse Cat Artists who painted Grace Darling: Thomas Brooks, John Wilson	Illustrations Drawing and Painting Raymond Briggs – Illustrator of Jim and the Beanstalk
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STAND ALONE	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Science	Seasonal Changes		Everyday Materials		Plants	Animals including humans
DT	Aspect: Mechanisms Focus: Sliders and Levers		Aspect: Mechanisms Focus: Wheels and Axles		Aspect: Food Focus: Preparing fruit and vegetables	
RE	How do people celebrate?		How do we say thank you for the Earth?		Stories & Prayers about Jesus	Beginning to learn about Sikhism
PSHE	Health & Well-Being		Relationships		Living in the Wider World	
Computing	Computer Use		Scratch Jr.		Keeping Information Private	
PE	Games (1) Dance (1&2)		Gymnastics (1) Dance (1&2)		Athletics (1)	Sports Day Training
Music	Ourselves Musical focus: Exploring sounds 1 Number Musical focus: Beat 1	Animals Musical focus: Pitch 1 Weather Musical focus: Exploring sounds 2	Machines Musical focus: Beat 2 Seasons Musical focus: Pitch 2	Water Musical focus: Pitch 3 Our school Musical focus: Exploring sounds 3	Story time Musical focus: Exploring sound 4 Pattern Musical focus: Beat 3	Our bodies Musical focus: Beat 4 Travel Musical focus: Performance 1
Languages	Appreciate the similarities and differences between different cultures.	Understand that language is used to communicate.	Demonstrate a knowledge of different languages	Understand that languages go along side expression, gesture and convey meaning in different social and cultural settings.	Appreciate the similarities and differences between a range of cultures.	Games