**Literacy**

Writing basic sentences

Developing sight vocabulary and phonic decoding skills

Extending sentences using simple connectives

Including full stops and capital letters to punctuate writing

FICTION

Story writing – making simple story maps and comics

Using speech bubbles in comics

Including dialogue in texts

Writing accounts and newspaper reports

NON FICTION

Labelling pictures

Writing simple captions to pictures

Alphabetical order

Glossaries

FOCUS TEXTS

Gawain and the Green Knight

Legends of King Arthur

Tales of Robin Hood

Non-Fiction texts related to knights and castles

**Maths/Numeracy**

Money – Counting at coins / coins and notes

Giving an appropriate note / coin or note/coin combination to pay for something

Giving change

Time – ordering events

Telling the time to o’clock / half past

Telling the time to the nearest quarter of an hour i.e. o’clock, quarter past, half

past and quarter to

Measures –Comparing and ordering objects for length

Measuring length using non-standard units and also standard units such as

metres and centimeters

Choosing appropriate units

2D shapes – naming and describing 2D shapes

Identifying 2D shapes in the everyday world

Number operations- addition and subtraction and solving simple verbal problems

Number sequences – counting in 2s, 5s and 10s

Number operations & problem solving

Data handling – Sorting objects into simple sets and also using Venn diagrams

Drawing and interpreting simple block diagrams

Looking at ‘how many more? Questions’



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**Computing and Online Safety**

1st half term – E safety

How to keep safe on line

Use of Social media,

What is appropriate / inappropriate information to share on social media

Cyber bullying

The need to keep personal details private (name, address, school etc) and not to share them

Security – passwords

2nd half term – animation

Using powerpoint animations to make short animations with PNG character files

Making characters move

Changing the speed of movement

Having multiple animations

Managing the order of the animations

Making speech bubbles appear

Using web cams to make stop frame animations using objects, Lego figures and cut out pictures

**Science – Bodies**

1st half term - Bodies - Circulation & Respiratory system

Basic 7 life processes that all living things do

Different ways that different animals achieve the life processes

Organs of the body

Function of the heart

Components of blood and their function

Effect of exercise of heart rate

Function and structure of the lungs

2nd half term – Bodies Digestion and muscles and bones

Parts and function of the digestive tract

Digestion and enzymes

Absorption of food into the blood

Food groups & a healthy diet

Bones and the skeleton

Function of key bones for protection of body parts – skull, ribs, spine, pelvis

Need for joints and muscles for movement

**PSHE**

1st half term - Keeping Healthy

What is a Healthy Diet

Different Food groups; proteins, carbohydrates and fats and what the body needs them for

Well-being plate and the healthy proportion of different foods on the plate

Hidden sugar in different foods

Importance of exercise

2nd half term – Keeping safe – First aid

First Aid – St Johns ambulance Bronze & Silver award

Making 999 calls

Basic survey – Checking for Danger, Response, Airway is open, Breathing and Circulation

Putting someone into the recovery position and when to do this

Keeping an airway open

Choking

Asthma

Burns and scalds

Minor and severe cuts & bleeding

Broken bones

**Life Skills/ Community Visit/QUEST**

Shopping

Finding items within the shop

Identifying appropriate people within the shop for help

Asking a question / for some help

Scanning items at the self-service checkout

Selecting an appropriate amount of money to pay with

**Trips and key events**

Castle visit

Book Week

Read-a-thon

**Geography / History**

**Geography**

Mapping skills, Mapping basic routes

Basic Ordnance survey map symbols,

Compass directions

Grid coordinates for maps

Comparison of Britain and India

Continents of the world, Hills and mountains of Britain and India Himalayan Mountains of North India

How fold mountains form,

The Ganges – the biggest river in India

Different climate regions of India

Contrast between new urban India and rural India

Houses. buildings schools farmers and work in India

**History – the Normans**

Bailey and Motte wood castles

Norman Conquest, The battle of Hastings an 1066

Bayeux tapestry as evidence

Building of stone castles

Castle design - key defensive features

Weapons of attack – battling rams, catapults

Life in Norman times

**RE/Citizenship**

Citizenship 1st half term – Rights and responsibilities

Looking at individual rights

Looking at personal behavior and responsibilities to ensure that individual rights are maintained for others

Looking at how laws and rules are there to ensure that people are safe and that their individual rights are maintained

RE – 2nd half term - Christianity and Easter

The Easter story

Resurrections and new beginnings

**Art/DT**

**1st half – DT**

**2nd half – Art**  ‘Line, Shape and Colour’

Students will look at the controlled repetition of lines and shapes to create **Pattern**. This will help with pattern recognition and positive and negative space. Work will lead from pure monochrome to explore light and dark and will progress to colour.

Students will use artists such as Hunterwasser and Paul Klee as inspiration.

**Essential questions:** What is pattern? How do we use the world around us to see pattern and copy pattern?

**Cooking**

1st half term – cooking breads

Basic skills = mixing, kneading, shaping

Looking at a range of non-yeast breads

No yeast focaccia Pizza

Cheese and courgette soda bread Potato bread

2nd half term – cooking with pastry

Basic skills -= Rubbing in, Rolling out Chopping, Grating

Cheese straws Cheese (and ham) pinwheels

Cheese & leek pasties Apple &berry turn overs

Cinnamon swirls Mini quiches

**Physical Skills**

Bikes and trikes

Riding a trike

Developing steering ability

Signalling

Developing balance on the balance bike

Developing ability on a two wheeler bike

Signalling on a two wheeler bike

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**PE**

The focus activity this term will be table tennis. The objectives are

* Practicing fine & gross motor skills to support with control
* Developing understanding of how the game is played
* Develop social communication skills through modified games
* Applying numeracy skills to real life context