

Curriculum	Autumn 1 Learning
English	Star in a Jar In this unit, pupils will read <i>Star in the Jar</i> by Sam Hay and use the story as inspiration to create their own narrative about discovering a special object. They will develop their ideas, vocabulary and storytelling skills while using Rainbow Grammar to support sentence structure and create clear, well-structured sentences. Autumn is Here In this writing unit, children will explore language and features of poetry and write their own seasonal poem. Grammar will be woven throughout these lessons and our weekly grammar lesson will be linked to the learning in our writing lessons. During reading lessons, we will read and explore our reading skills of Explain, Retrieve, Interpret and Choice through the poem <i>Fireplace</i> by Ted Koosner.
Mathematics	Maths Place value: children will learn how to represent, partition, estimate, compare and order numbers to 1000. Addition and Subtraction: children will use their place value knowledge to begin our addition and subtraction unit. Children will be learning to add and subtract 1s, 10, 100s.
Science	Animals: movement and nutrition In this unit children will be taught that animals and humans need the right types and amount of nutrition, and that they cannot make their own food; they get nutrition from what they eat. Identify that humans and some other animals have skeletons and muscles for support, protection and movement.
History	Would you prefer to have lived in Stone, Bronze or Iron Age? Children will learn about prehistoric man, the impact of the Bronze Age on prehistoric man, how trade changed lives in Iron Age in Britain and changes being Stone Age and Iron Age.
PE	Ball skills –outdoor In this unit, children will have the opportunity to develop ball skills. They will develop tracking a ball when dribbling with hands, feet, throwing and catching and kicking. Fundamental skills indoor In this unit, children will develop the fundamental skills of balancing, running, jumping, hopping and skipping. Children will develop their ability to change direction with balance and control. They will be given the opportunity to explore how the body moves at different speeds as well as how to speed up and slow down.
Computing	Email <i>This unit allows children to explore electronic communication using 2Email. Children learn how to respond to, compose and add attachments to emails as well as consider the safety aspects of email communication.</i>
Music	Chilled Out Clap Rap This unit is built around a laid-back rap with accompanying clapping patterns and plenty of dynamic contrast. It offers opportunities for physical and creative activities that will help children develop their understanding of beat and rhythm.

PSHE	My Healthy Self <i>In this unit the children will learn about the importance of healthy eating, physical activity, sleep and personal hygiene. They will explore how these choices help keep their bodies and minds healthy and how to make positive, healthy choices.</i>
Languages	French greetings with puppets In this unit, pupils will learn how to greet others in French using simple words and phrases. They will practise greetings through fun puppet activities, building confidence in speaking and listening.
Art	Gestural Drawing In this unit, children will discover how to make drawings that capture a sense of drama or performance using charcoal.