





## Medium Term Planning

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Curriculum Drivers			
Use of technology 	The Natural World 	Diversity 	Values Health and Well-being 
Topic Name: Ourselves			
Key Question: Who am I?			
English		Maths	
Week 1: Simple sentences Week 2: Simple sentences Week 3: Simple sentences Week 4: Simple sentences Week 5: Simple sentences Week 6: Simple sentences Week 7: Simple sentences		Week 1: Place value within 10 Week 2: Place value within 10 Week 3: Place value within 10 Week 4: Place value within 10 Week 5: Place value within 10 Week 6: Geometry Week 7: Geometry	
Science		History	
Human body: Week 1: Name body parts Week 2: Draw and label body parts Week 3: Name organs Week 4: Describe organs functions Week 5: Name the 5 senses Week 6: Senses investigation Week 7: Review		•	
Geography		PSHE	
Locational Knowledge: Week 1: United Kingdom Week 2: England Week 3: Scotland Week 4: Wales Week 5: Northern Ireland Week 6: Harrogate Week 7: Review		Family and Relationships: Week 1: Setting ground rules Week 2: What is a family? Week 3: What are friendships? Week 4: Recognising other people's emotions Week 5: Working with others Week 6: Friendship problems Week 7: Healthy relationships	
Religion and World Views		PE	
Who is a Christian and what do they believe?: Week 1: Talk about simple ideas about simple Christian beliefs. Introduce Christian artefacts (bible, cross, pic of a church)		Fitness: Week 1: Changing direction Week 2: Jumping Week 3: Keeping control Week 4: Combining movements Week 5: What is circuit training?	

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<p><b>Week 2:</b> Talk about simple ideas about simple Christian beliefs. Introduce Christian artefacts (bible, cross, pic of a church)</p> <p><b>Week 3:</b> What do Christians believe about God?</p> <p><b>Week 4:</b> Their special book</p> <p><b>Week 5:</b> What does the bible teach us about God? Why is it special to Christians?</p> <p><b>Week 6:</b> Why is Jesus important to Christians?</p> <p><b>Week 7:</b> Why is Jesus important to Christians?</p>	<p><b>Week 6:</b> The complete circuit</p> <p><b>Week 7:</b> Improve your score</p>
Art	Design and Technology
<p><b>Drawing – Portraits:</b></p> <p><b>Week 1:</b> Understanding drawing tools and media</p> <p><b>Week 2:</b> Telling a story through art</p> <p><b>Week 3:</b> Looking at media – ink</p> <p><b>Week 4:</b> Looking at media – charcoal</p> <p><b>Week 5:</b> Self-portraits</p> <p><b>Week 6:</b> Choose tools and media to create a self-portrait</p> <p><b>Week 7:</b> Talk like an artist</p>	
Computing	Music
<p><b>Introduction to technology:</b></p> <p><b>Week 1:</b> Technology in our classroom</p> <p><b>Week 2:</b> Using technology</p> <p><b>Week 3:</b> Using a keyboard</p> <p><b>Week 4:</b> Using a computer responsibly</p> <p><b>Grouping Data:</b></p> <p><b>Week 5:</b> Label and match</p> <p><b>Week 6:</b> Describe, group and count</p> <p><b>Week 7:</b> Comparing groups and answering questions</p> <p><b>Computing Champions:</b> Mary Lou Jepson Steve Jobs</p>	<p><b>Keeping the pulse:</b></p> <p><b>Week 1:</b> Introduction to music lessons</p> <p><b>Week 2:</b> Finding the pulse</p> <p><b>Week 3:</b> Singing a sound pattern</p> <p><b>Week 4:</b> Using a thinking voice</p> <p><b>Week 5:</b> Reading sound patterns</p> <p><b>Week 6:</b> Practice makes perfect</p> <p><b>Week 7:</b> Review</p>

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Key Texts	Launch Event
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• PSED texts – Responding to children’s needs.</li> <li>• FunnyBones</li> </ul>	Children will bring their brown bag into school to share their special objects with the class.
Trips, Events & Visitors	Whole School Events
<p>23.09.25 – KS1 Parent Stay and Read ~ 8:45 a.m. – 9:15 a.m.</p> <p>24.09.25 – Year 1 Valley Gardens Visit ~ a.m.</p> <p>07.10.25 – KS1 virtual author visit ~ 10:30 a.m.</p>	<p>01.09.25 – Training Day</p> <p>02.09.25 – Training Day</p> <p>03.09.25 – School opens</p> <p>10.09.25 – Welcome to KS1 Meeting ~ 5 p.m.</p> <p>19.09.25 – Individual school photographs</p> <p>23.10.25 – School closes for Half Term</p>
Significant Individuals	Characteristics of Learning
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Computing Champion: Steve Jobs</li> <li>• Jack Laugher</li> </ul>	Resilience

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