

Y2 'Life-Long Learners' Curriculum Plan – Spring 2026

English

Range of Texts

Grandad's Camper, My Name is not Refugee.

Writing

Story and diary entry.

Grammar and Punctuation

Capital letters, finger spaces, full stops, adjectives, conjunctions, question marks, exclamation marks, past and present tense, verbs and nouns and a range of sentence types (statement, question, exclamation and command).

Mathematics

Money

Recognise and use symbols for pounds (£) and pence (p); combine amounts to make a particular value.

Find different combinations of coins that equal the same amounts of money.

Solve simple problems in a practical context involving addition and subtraction of money of the same unit, including giving change.

Multiplication and Division

Recall and use multiplication and division facts for the 2, 5 and 10 multiplication tables, including recognising odd and even numbers.

Calculate mathematical statements for multiplication and division within the multiplication tables and write them using the multiplication (×), division (÷) and equals (=) signs.

Show that multiplication of two numbers can be done in any order (commutative) and division of one number by another cannot.

Solve problems involving multiplication and division, using materials, arrays, repeated addition, mental methods, and multiplication and division facts, including problems in contexts.

Length and Height

Choose and use appropriate standard units to estimate and measure length/height in any direction (m/cm);

Mass, capacity and temperature

Choose and use appropriate standard units to estimate and measure length/height in any direction (m/cm); mass (kg/g); temperature (°C); capacity (litres/ml) to the nearest appropriate unit, using rulers, scales, thermometers and measuring vessels.

Science

Animals including humans

Notice that animals, including humans, have offspring which grow into adults.

Find out about and describe the basic needs of animals, including humans, for survival (water, food and air).

Describe the importance for humans of exercise, eating the right amounts of different types of food, and hygiene.

Computing

Programming A – Computing

Data and Information – Pictograms

PE

Dance
Fitness
Invasion Games

RE

Religious leaders – What makes some people inspiring to others?

Being a Christian in Notts – What does it mean to belong?

The Easter Story



Acer



Pine



History

Queen Victoria – A witness to important inventions – true or false?

- To know about the lives of significant individuals in the past who have contributed to national achievements.

Geography

How does life in tropical places compare to life in the United Kingdom?

- To name and locate the world's seven continents and five oceans.
- To use geographical vocabulary to describe the weather and climate in a tropical place.
- To begin to understand how humans can affect the world we live in.

Art/DT

Access Art - Working in Three Dimensions: Be an Architect

DT - Bagel Bruschetta

PSHE

Is it right or wrong? How can I compromise? What are rights and responsibilities?

How do I contribute? How can I save the planet? Where could my money come from?

Music

Charanga Scheme

I wanna play in a band.

Zootime

Spelling/Phonics

We will be following Rocket Phonics which recaps year 1 content and introduces new spelling rules taught in year 2. Some children will have smaller phonics interventions which will recap previously taught sounds.