

Ashurst Church of England Aided Primary School

Curriculum Map



EYFS

Year A

2025-2026

Topics	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
	All about me	How do we celebrate?	What does it take to be a Superhero?	Is Goldilocks really naughty?	What do we need to grow?	What lives in the jungle?
Group Text	Harry and the Dinosaurs go to School (Ian Whybrow)	The Jolly Christmas Postman (Janet and Allan Alhberg)	Supertato (Sue Hendra)	The Gingerbread Man	The Growing Story (Ruth Krauss and Helen Oxenbury)	Giraffes Can't Dance (Giles Andreae)
Daily Phonics	We follow the RWI program and incorporate the Jolly Phonics Actions The children are grouped according to phonic ability					
	Ongoing consolidation throughout the year, embedded through practise - Joined Handwriting / Spellings / Sentence work / Use of Whole school literacy non-negotiables					
	Using Makaton with singing - Nursery rhymes and Carols					
Communication and Language	Role-play area What does good listening look like? Following simple instructions Taking Turns	Following a story without pictures Responding to how and why questions Retell stories in correct order	Talk about past and present events Begin to retell stories	Answer questions about stories Retell stories in correct order	Anticipate key events in stories Listen in a range of situations	Answer how and why questions about experiences and in response to stories and events
Physical Development	Following rules Movement: exploring body parts Developing special awareness Stopping and starting	Shape movement Climbing	Fast and slow movements Tunnels and bridges Rolling Running Balancing	Move freely Jump off an object Travel around, under, over and through balancing and climbing equipment	Experiment with different ways of moving Run skilfully negotiating space Understand rolling	Running Travelling Catching Sports Day
Personal, Social and Emotional Development	Turn Taking Sharing Making New Friends Introduce Larry	Enjoys responsibilities Confident to speak to new people	Working as a team	Accept needs of others Aware of boundaries set	Asking questions, being inquisitive	Talk about ideas and share plans Talk in a familiar group
Jigsaw	Jigsaw Y1 Being Me in my World	Jigsaw Y1 Celebrating Difference	Jigsaw Y1 Dreams and Goals	Jigsaw Y1 Healthy Me	Jigsaw Y1 Relationships	Jigsaw Y1 Changing Me
Literacy	RWI phonics Name writing Initial sounds Listening and	RWI phonics Extending vocabulary Letter formation Recognising words and	RWI phonics Extending vocabulary Rhymes Captions / labels	RWI phonics Extending vocabulary Captions / labels Short sentences	RWI phonics Extending vocabulary Captions / labels Short sentences	RWI phonics Extending vocabulary Short sentences Narrative writing

	responding to stories	reading captions Talking about stories, characters, settings Cards / Invitations Lists / Letters	Reading sentences with tricky words	Reading sentences with tricky words	Narrative writing Reading with fluency	Reading with fluency and expression
Maths	Baseline Counting reliably Using numbers Recognising 1 - 5 2D Shape naming - circle, square, rectangle, triangle	Recognise and name 2D shapes Repeating patterns Ordering numbers More and less	Counting reliably Using numbers Recognising numbers 1-10 Counting in steps Ordering items by weight or capacity Positional language	Addition and subtraction Comparing Estimating Counting 3D shapes Ordering items by length and height Sequencing events / time	Counting reliably 1-20 Counting and recognising numbers Using numbers in problems Addition and subtraction Doubling Halving / sharing Shapes Sequencing events/time	Addition and subtraction Number problems Counting in steps Doubling Halving / sharing Money
Understanding the World	Body parts / Senses Autumn (seasons) My family When I was a baby	Christmas Diwali Bonfire night How celebrations are celebrated in different countries Changes (Seasons) Toys from the past	People who help us Chinese New Year Seasons	Chicks Easter Seasons Life Cycles	How much have I grown? Creatures, different animals, looking after, nature Life cycle of a butterfly Seasons Planting seeds	Animals around the world Barnaby Bear Grouping animals
Emmanuel Project	Computing - Ongoing weekly sessions - PurpleMash					
	Why is the word 'God' so important to Christians?	Why do Christians perform nativity plays at Christmas?	How can we help others when they need it?	Why do Christians put a cross in an Easter garden?	What makes every single person unique and precious?	How can we care for our wonderful world?
Expressive Art and Design	Naming colours Singing songs from memory Choosing resources Printing	Colour mixing Pattern making Pastels Paint blowing	Models Masks Choosing/ selecting own resources Making up/ acting out stories	Printing Making up songs and dances Textures Choosing colours for a purpose	Den making Instruments Learning a dance routine Life drawing	Role-play jungle / animal themes
Music	All about me	Rhythm	Pitch	Timbre	Habitats	Pulse and Metre

