** St Leonard’s CE Primary Academy**

**Year 2 Curriculum Overview 2023-2024**

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| **Subject** | **Term 1****Here We Are!** | **Term 2****Fire! Fire!** | **Term 3****Brilliant Brunel!** | **Term 4****Help is on the Way!**  | **Term 5****Food, Glorious Food!** | **Term 6****Unsinkable!** |
| **English Text** | Pattan’s PumpkinMeerkat MailDear Earth | Vlad and the Great Fire of LondonFire Poetry | Traction ManRosie Revere: Engineer | Jim and the BeanstalkJourney | The Dragon MachineDragon World | The Tunnel The Owl and The Pussycat |
| **Genres** | *Instructions**Non-chronological report**Letter* | *Writing in Role**Narrative**Poetry* | *Letter**Non-chronological report**Recount* | *Narrative**Descriptions**Writing in Role* | *Newspaper report*InstructionsLetter | *Descriptions**Narrative* *Poetry* |
| **GPS** | Capital letters and full stopsCommasSentence types – questions and statements | Conjunctions – coordination and subordination Expanded noun phrases  | Use of -ly to turn adjectives into adverbs  Apostrophes – contraction and possession | Sentence types –exclamation Tenses – past and present  | Suffixes: -ness, -er, -ful, -less, -est Sentence types – command | Consolidation of GPS skills |
| **Guided Comprehension** | *RWI Grey Books* | *RWI Grey Books* | *RWI Grey Books**The bear and the Piano* | *The Tear Thief* | *Fantastic Mr Fox* | *National Geographic: Titanic* |
| **Maths** | Number and Place ValueGeometry : Properties of ShapeAddition | SubtractionGeometry : Properties of ShapeDivisionGeometry : Position and Direction | Multiplication and DivisionMeasurement : Mass and Length | FractionsMeasurement : TimeMeasurement : Money | StatisticsMeasurement : Capacity and Temperature | Place ValueAddition and SubtractionGeometry and MeasurementMultiplication and DivisionFractions |
| **Science** | Habitats from around the world | Everyday Materials | Living things and their habitats | Animals including humans: Life Cycle | Plants: Growth and care | Animals including humans: growth |
| **Computing** | Data and Information - Pictograms | Creating Media – Digital Photography | Computing Systems and Networks – IT Around Us | Creating Media – Making Music | Programming A – Robot Algorithms | Programming B – Introduction to Quizzes |
| **Geography** | Locational Knowledge of the WorldA study of India – a contrasting locality |  | Local studyBrunel and Swindon - Study of how Brunel’s railway provided transport links within the UK |  | Where does our food come from?A study of how we source our food and the effect this has on our environment  |  |
| **History** |  | How do we know about the Great Fire of London? A focus on historical accounts of this event |  | Florence Nightingale and Mary Seacole What did they do for nursing? |  | The Sinking of the TitanicWhy was this event so significant? |
| **Music** | **Exploring Simple Patterns**How Does Music Help Us to Make Friends? | **Focus on Dynamics and Tempo**How Does Music Teach Us About the Past? | **Exploring Feelings Through Music**How Does Music Make the World a Better Place? | **Inventing a Musical Story**How Does Music Teach Us About our Neighbourhood? | **Music that Makes You Dance**How Does Music Make Us Happy? | **Exploring Improvisation**How Does Music Teach Us About Looking After our Planet? |
| **Art/DT** | ARTDrawing: Tell a Story | DTTextiles: Pouches | ARTPainting and Mixed Media: Life in Colour | ARTSculpture and 3D: Clay House | DTFood: A balanced diet | DTMechanisms: Making Moving Monsters |
| **P.E.** | Gym/Netball | Dance/Hockey | Golf/Yoga | Orienteering / Archery | Rounders/Tennis | Athletics/ Handball |
| **R.E.** | *Creation*Who made the world? | *Incarnation* (Digging Deeper)Why does Christmas matter to Christians? | *Who is Jewish and what do they believe?* | *Salvation*(Digging Deeper)Why does Easter matter to Christians? | W*ho is a Muslim and what do they believe?* | *How can we learn from sacred books?* |
| **PSHE** | Being me in my world | Celebrating Difference | Dreams and Goals | Healthy Me | Relationships | Changing Me |