



The Good Shepherd Catholic Primary Academy  
Year 2



	ADVENT 1	ADVENT 2	LENT 1	LENT 2	PENTECOST 1	PENTECOST 2
Key Question	<i>How has nursing changed?</i>	<i>Why did the fire spread so easily?</i>	<i>Is everywhere in the world like Woodthorpe?</i>	<i>Is there any other place like home?</i>	<i>What makes a coastal settlement different to an inland settlement?</i>	<i>How can we protect our land and oceans?</i>
Curriculum Enhancement	Caterpillar life cycle growing	Firefighters/engine visit		Yorkshire Wildlife Park/Twycross Zoo  Pizza Express bread making	Sherwood Forest	
Curriculum Driver	History	History	Geography	Science	Geography	Science
Literacy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• First person narrative (meeting tale)</li> <li>• Biography</li> <li>• Explanation – life cycle of a butterfly</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Recounts – newspaper article</li> <li>• Poetry – acrostic</li> <li>• Character description</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Recounts – postcard</li> <li>• Poetry – free verse</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Non-chronological report</li> <li>• Instructions – bread making</li> <li>• Third person narrative (animal tale)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Poetry – shape poems</li> <li>• First person narrative (finding tale)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Persuasive text (advert) – Seaside</li> <li>• Explanation ‘how’ – Use less plastic</li> </ul>
Reading	<p><b>Study:</b> Zog and the Flying Doctors – Julia Donaldson</p> <p>Mary Seacole Biography (online)</p> <p>‘What is the Life Cycle of a</p>	<p><b>Study:</b> ‘London is Burning’ – Grammarsaurus model text</p> <p>Bow-tie pasta: acrostic poems (‘Fire Truck’) – Brian P. Cleary</p>	<p><b>Study:</b> ‘Seaside Postcard’ – Grammarsaurus model text</p> <p>Various travel brochures/leaflets</p> <p>Blog - <a href="https://www.wheressharon.com/count">https://www.wheressharon.com/count</a></p>	<p><b>Study:</b> ‘All About Lions’ – Grammarsaurus model text</p> <p>‘Revoltng Recipes’ – Grammarsaurus model text</p> <p>The Tale of Peter</p>	<p><b>Study:</b> ‘A tree’ – James Carter</p> <p>Apes to Zebras: A-Z of shape poems</p> <p>Where the Forest Meets the Sea – Jeannie Baker</p>	<p><b>Study:</b> ‘Visit the Caribbean’ – Grammarsaurus model text</p> <p>Teacher made environmental explanation text</p> <p><b>Comprehend:</b> What a waste! –</p>

	<p>Butterfly?’ – Grammarsaurus model text</p> <p><b>Comprehend:</b> Zog – Julia Donaldson</p> <p>Little Leaders: Bold Women in Black History – Vashti Harrison</p> <p>The Extraordinary life of Mary Seacole – Naida Redgrave</p> <p>The Amazing Life Cycle of Butterflies – Kay Barnham</p> <p><b>Pleasure:</b> Dr. Doolittle – Hugh Lofting</p> <p>Charlotte’s Web – E.B. White</p>	<p>Toby and the Great Fire of London – Margaret Nash</p> <p><b>Comprehend:</b> Toby and the Great Fire of London – Margaret Nash</p> <p>Other examples from Bow-tie pasta: acrostic poems – Brian P. Cleary</p> <p><b>Pleasure:</b> Vlad and the Great Fire of London – Kate Cunningham</p>	<p><a href="http://ry/usa-travel-blog/">ry/usa-travel-blog/</a></p> <p>Even my ears are smiling – Michael Rosen</p> <p><b>Comprehend:</b> Road Trip of the USA – National Geographic</p> <p>Other Michael Rosen poetry</p> <p><b>Pleasure:</b> Diary of a Wimpy Kid: Long Haul – Jeff Kinney</p> <p>Gorilla/ Willy the Wimp/ Voices in the Park – Anthony Browne</p>	<p>Rabbit – Beatrix Potter</p> <p><b>Comprehend:</b> Amazing Animal Atlas – Nick Crumpton</p> <p>A Ladybird Book: Animal Habitats – Ayang Cempaka</p> <p>Whose habitat is that? – Lucile Piketty</p> <p>Beatrix Potter The Complete Tales</p> <p><b>Pleasure:</b> Fantastic Mr. Fox – Roald Dahl</p> <p>Welcome home bear – Il Sung Na</p> <p>The Crow’s Tale – Naomi Howarth</p>	<p><b>Comprehend:</b> Horrible Geography: Cracking Coasts – Anita Ganeri</p> <p>Why the Whales Came – Michael Morpurgo</p> <p><b>Pleasure:</b> The Magic Faraway Tree – Jacqueline Wilson</p> <p>Snail and the Whale – Julia Donaldson</p>	<p>Jess French</p> <p>Tidy – Emily Gravett</p> <p>A Planet Full of Plastic – Neal Layton</p> <p><b>Pleasure:</b> The Lorax – Dr Seuss</p> <p>Lucy &amp; Tom go to the Seaside – Shirley Hughes</p>
<p>SPAG</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Capital letter &amp; full stops</li> <li>• Adjectives</li> <li>• First person</li> <li>• Past tense</li> <li>• Expanded noun phrases</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Past tense</li> <li>• Inverted commas (direct speech)</li> <li>• Conjunctions</li> <li>• Adjectives</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Sentence types: exclamations, questions and statements</li> <li>• Expanded noun phrases</li> <li>• Verbs</li> <li>• Past tense</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Proper nouns</li> <li>• Commas for list</li> <li>• Present (simple/progressive)</li> <li>• Command sentences</li> <li>• Adverbials</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• First person</li> <li>• Rhyme</li> <li>• Adverbs</li> <li>• Apostrophes</li> <li>• Prepositional language</li> <li>• Expanded noun phrases</li> <li>• Inverted</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Questions</li> <li>• Statements</li> <li>• Commas in a list</li> <li>• Conjunctions</li> <li>• Apostrophes</li> <li>• Proper nouns</li> </ul>

			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Subordinating conjunctions</li> <li>Alliteration</li> </ul>		commas (direct speech)	
Maths	Place Value Addition & Subtraction	Measurement: Money Number: Multiplication & Division	Number: Multiplication & Division Number: Fractions	Geometry: Properties of Shape Statistics	Measurement: Length & Height Geometry: Position & Direction	Measurement: Time Measurement: Mass, Capacity & Temperature
R.E.	Beginnings, Signs & Symbols	Judaism, Preparations	Books, Thanksgiving	Thanksgiving, Opportunities	Spread the Word, Hinduism	Rules, Treasures
Science	Animals including humans	Materials & Uses	Feeding and exercise	Living Things & Habitats	Plants	Environment
History	Nurturing Nurses	Great Fire of London				Seaside
Geography			Road Trip of the USA	Food & Farming	Coastlines	
Art	Drawing: Dragons art			Collage & Sculpture: building animal habitats – Andy Goldsworthy	Painting: sponge/texture painting coastline scenery	
D & T		Sculpture: Fire of London Box models Mechanical: making fire engines	Structures: building skyscrapers			Textiles: Punch & Judy finger puppets
Music						

<b>PSHE</b>	Health and Wellbeing: Physical health and mental wellbeing	Relationships: Safe Relationships Anti-Bullying Week	Health and Wellbeing: Keeping Safe	Relationships: Families and friendships	Health and Wellbeing: Physical health and mental wellbeing	Health and Wellbeing: Keeping Safe
<b>PE</b>	Multi Skills – balance  Multi Skills - coordination	Athletics  Team Building	Dance – rainbows  Gymnastics	Multi Skills - agility  Multi Skills - object control (moving with a ball)	Multi Skills - object control (striking with a ball)  Health and Wellbeing	Multi Skill races/ competitions  Multi Skills - games
<b>Computing</b>	Effective Searching	Coding	Online Safety	Spreadsheets	Questioning	Creating Pictures/Making Music
<b>Phonics</b>	Unit 30 Unit 31 Unit 32 Unit 33	Unit 34 Unit 35 Unit 36 Unit 37	Unit 38 Unit 39 Unit 40 Unit 41	Unit 42 Unit 43 Unit 44 Unit 45	Unit 46 Unit 47 Unit 48 Unit 49	Recap and revisit any gaps based on assessment materials.