


Year 2 Curriculum Overview

	Autumn Term		Spring Term		Summer Term	
	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
	Minibeasts		Explorers		Maldon	
English	How The World Was Made Instructions Narrative Writing	Diaries (Recounts) Information Texts Poetry	Postcards Non-Chronological Reports	The Magic Paintbrush - Narrative Writing Letter Writing	Wombat Goes Walk About Information Texts (Leaflets)	The Smartest Giant in Town Diaries (Recounts) Persuasive Writing
Power of Reading		The Bee who Spoke	Man on the Moon (A Day in the Life of Bob)	The Day the Crayons Quit	The Secret of Black Rock	
Maths	Number and Place Value Addition and Subtraction	Addition and Subtraction Multiplication and Division	Measurement – length/mass/temperature Time Geometry (Properties of Shapes)	Money Fractions Geometry (Position and Direction)	Review and Consolidate	Bar Modelling
Science	Living Things and their Habitats	Animals Including Humans	Plants		Uses of Everyday Materials	
Computing	Butterfly Life Cycle	Espresso Coding	Explorer Leaflet		Touch Typing	Espresso Coding
History			Neil Armstrong Captain Robert Falcon Scott	Amelia Earhart Christopher Columbus Bear Grylls	Maldon - Historical Landmarks	Maldon – Edward Bright, Thomas Plume, Moot Hall
Geography	Minibeasts Around the World		Maps	Maps	To know about significant historical place in Maldon	To know about significant historical place in Maldon
Art	Formal Elements of Art Texture – rubbings of different textures Tone – Minibeast drawings			Human Form Portrait of an Explorer		Sculpture and Mixed Media Wire and Plasticine Figurines
D&T		Textiles Minibeast Pouches Beaded Dragonflies Mini-Prototype Model: Bug Hotel	Mechanisms Moving Rockets	Junk-Model Spacecraft (planning and prototypes)	Structures Maldon Landmark Models	
RE	What is RE?	Christmas Story	Special People in the Community, History and Religions		Special Objects	
PSHE	Kindness, rules and friendship	Safety first	Healthy and Safer Lifestyles (Drug Education)	Myself and my relationships (Managing change)	Growing up and Changes	
Indoor PE	Gym		Aerobics		Gym	
Outdoor PE	Games		Football		Athletics	
Music	Charanga – Hands, Feet and Hearts	Nativity Songs	Charanga - Glockenspiel		Charanga - What's the score?	Songs – rhythm, tempo, speed, texture, volume
Visits and Visitors	The Bug Man			Hanningfield Reservoir		Maldon Visits: Promenade, Landmarks, Barge
End of Topic Piece	Design and Make a Bug Hotel		Explorer Day		Scripting and Filming a Documentary	