	Year 2					
	Curriculum Information					
Numeracy	To be able to count to at least 100, and read and write numbers to 100. To be able to give any six numbers up to 100 and put them in order. To be able to count forwards and backwards in ones or tens from any two-digit number, e.g. twenty-six, thirty-six, forty-six To be able to recognise odd and even numbers. To be able to add and subtract numbers under 20 in their heads. To be able to know pairs of 'tens' numbers that make 100, e.g. 30 + 70. To be able to double and halve small numbers, e.g. double 9 is 18, and half of 18 is 9. To be able to know by heart the 2 and 10 times tables. To be able to find the total value of a handful of coins to £1. To be able to measure or weigh using metres, centimetres, kilograms or litres. To be able to use a ruler to draw and measure lines to the nearest centimetre. To be able to tell the time to the half and quarter hour. To be able to name and describe common 2-D and 3-D shapes.					
	To be able to solve simple number problems, and explain how to work them out.					

Reading:

To be able to discuss the way that one event leads to another and identify temporal connectives.

To be able to represent the structure of a text in note form.

To be able to recognise any similarities and differences between the organisational features used in different texts

To be able to identify key features of texts read

To be able to recognise the structure and language features of a given text type. To be able to identify the different ranges of presentation, (including flow charts and diagrams), and say which ones I think help the reader.

Writing:

To be able to identify how words and phrases have been used to create effects, e.g. to create humour, images and atmosphere.

Literacy

To be able to understand how to use alphabetically ordered texts to retrieve information. To be able to demonstrate use of adventurous word choices and detail to engage the reader.

To be able to use basic sequencing of ideas or material, using connecting words and phrases making sure the layout is clear to the reader.

To be able to use question marks, exclamation marks and commas in a list with some accuracy.

Spelling:

To be able to spell words ending in s to a word to show that it is a plural for example wave- waves.

To be able to spell words ending in ing (present tense) for example splashsplashing. To be able to spell words ending in ed to a verb to show that it is past tense.

To be able to spell words containing common suffixes ending in -ly, for example nearly. To be able to spell words ending in -ful for example hopeful.

To be able to spell words ending in -less for example, fearless.

To be able to spell words beginning with common prefixes and spell words starting with un- for example, unhappy, unfair, unclear.

To be able to spell words starting with dis- for example, dislike, disobey, disorder.

To be abel to use their knowledge of prefixes to generate new words from root words.

Working scientifically

To ask their own questions about what they notice.

To use different types of scientific enquiry to gather and record data, using simple equipment where appropriate, to answer questions:

To observe changes over time;

- noticing patterns,
- · grouping and classifying things,
- carrying out simple comparative tests,
- finding things out using secondary sources of information.

To communicate their ideas, what they do and what they find out in a variety of ways.

Animals including humans

To describe the importance of exercise, a balanced diet and hygiene for humans.

To describe the basic needs of animals for survival and the main changes as young animals, including humans, grow into adults.

Growing plants

Science

To describe the basic needs of plants for survival and the impact of changing these and the main changes as seeds and bulbs grow into mature plants.

To identify whether things are alive, dead or have never lived.

To describe how animals get their food from other animals and/or from plants, and use simple food chains to describe these relationships.

To name different plants and animals and describe how they are suited to different habitats.

Materials

To compare materials and their suitability for different uses.

	We are astronauts - Programming on screen. We are games testers - Exploring how computer games work and computational thinking.						
	We are researchers - Researching a topic and using computer networks. We are photographers - Taking, selecting and editing digital images encouraging creativity.						
Computing	We are zoolog	ists - Recordina b	ua hunt data and pro	oductivity			
companing	Computing We are zoologists - Recording bug hunt data and productivity. We are detectives - Communicating clues and collaboration						
	History:	Geograph:	Art:	D/T:	RE:		
	Florence	Investigatin	To design and	Creating paper	Beginnings		
	Nightingale	g our local	make	toys.	and endings.		
Foundation	Great Fire	area.	products.	Creating moving	Ceremonies.		
Subjects	of London		To use	pictures.	Light and		
		Where we	drawing,	Design a healthy	dark.		
	Seaside's	live.	painting and	plate.	Nature and		
	from the		sculpture.		God.		
	past	Going on	To develop a		Places of		
		safari.	wide range of		worship.		
			art and		Rules and		
			design		routines.		
			techniques.				
			Describe the				
			differences				
			and				
			similarities				
			between				
			different				

Important Reminders:

Please note:

 Reading books (book bags) must be handed in on Tuesday's to ensure that they can be changed on Wednesday afternoons.

practices and disciplines, and make links to their own work.

- · Any books that come in after Tuesday will not be changed until the following week.
- If your child brings their book bag back without a book they will not be given a new book until the previously borrowed book comes back.
- · Homework must also be given in by Tuesday to ensure that it can be marked and new homework can be given out on Wednesday's.
- · P.E this term is on Monday afternoons and Thursday morning.
- Spelling tests take place during Tuesday mornings.
- Times table tests take place during Thursday afternoons.