

Cherry Orchard Primary School Whole School Curriculum Overview

Autumn	PSHE	Science	History	Geography	Art	DT	Computing	Music	PE	RE	Languages
Reception		Ongoing over the year	Living memory toys		Across the year through topics	Cooking and Nutrition/textiles: festivals	Computer safari Sequencing	Nurse rhymes Celebrations		Places of worship Christmas	
1	For all year groups: Jigsaw Autumn 1	Biology: animals – what is special about me? Everyday materials - properties	Living memory: transport in the 20 th and 21 st century	Local area study (including seasons: Autumn) – what is my local area like?	Drawing: still life of fruit	Fruit - food and nutrition	Computer explorers: Beebots Digital painting	Finlandia (BBC 10 pieces) Transport	Fundamentals: jumps Fitness Gymnastics Team building	Creation Incarnation (Christmas)	
2	Being me in my world Autumn 2 Celebrating difference	Biology: Animals including humans- how can I keep myself healthy? Everyday materials – why are different materials important?	The Great Fire of London	Our Wonderful world – which continent would I like to live in?	Painting with paper: collage (Megan Coyle)	Templates and joining - textiles	Fundamentals in coding Art Attack	The Nutcracker (BBC 10 pieces) On this island (traditional British music)	Fundamentals Fitness Team building Ball skills	Muslim – key beliefs	
3		Light – how does light travel? Rocks, soils and fossils	The Stone Age 15000-2500BC	UK - is the UK the same everywhere?	Drawing: faces using scale (Mariusz Kedzierski)	Levers, linkages and pneumatics - mechanisms	Sequencing sounds Be Internet smart	Connect It (BBC 10 pieces) Ballads	Fundamentals Fitness Ball skills Dance	Muslim – festivals and worship Incarnation -the Trinity (Christmas)	Introduction to MFL (sentence structures)
4		States of matter – solids, liquids and gases Animals including humans – digestive system	Greeks 776BC-AD146	Europe/tourism – is tourism good or bad?	Drawing: perspective/ view points (Stephen Wiltshire)	Shell - structures	Cryptography Unit Repetition in shapes	Hall of the Mountain King (BBC 10 pieces) Baroque into Romantic	Gymnastics Fitness OAA Basketball Swimming (each class for a term across the year)	Ceremonies of commitment People of God	Weather (sentence structures)
5		Earth and Space Forces	Early Islamic civilisation AD570-750	North America – how do natural hazards affect the people of North America?	Drawing: figures in movement (Edgar Degas)	Combining different fabric and shapes – textiles: blanket	Audio engineers Internet safety – real or fake?	Machines (BBC 10 pieces) Space (theme)	Tag rugby Hockey Gymnastics Dance	Muslim – what does it mean to be a Muslim in Britain today? Incarnation (+Christmas)	The house (sentence structures)
6		Animals including humans- the heart	World War 2	Rainforests – how is the rainforest changing and are we responsible for it?	Drawing: illusion (Escher)	Meat/fish alternatives - cooking and nutrition	3D modelling using CAD Variables in a game (coding)	Anthology of fantastic zoology (BBC 10 pieces) WW2	Football Fitness OAA Yoga	Hinduism – why do Hindus try to be good?Hinduism - Why do Hindus try	Where I live and how others live around the world (sentence structures)

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Reception		Ongoing over the year	Homes past and present		Across the year through topics	Junk modelling/ construction - structures	True or false? Inputs and outputs	Home Animals1		Special stories Easter	
1	For all year groups: Jigsaw <u>Spring 1</u> Dreams and goals <u>Spring 2</u> Healthy Me	Materials continued from Aut term Plants – what do I know about plants?	Florence Nightingale 1820-1910	UK (winter and spring) – what’s the UK weather like?	Painting: still life	Free standing – structures (playground)	Just dance Clean water	Superheroes Animals	Games- striking and fielding Games – invasion Dance Striking and fielding	Belonging Salvation (Easter)	
2		Living things and their habitats: food chains	Titanic 1912	Comparison of places: Haiti – extreme weather – how does the distance from the equator affect the weather?	Drawing – portraits in the style of Giuseppe Arcimboldo	Wheels and axles - mechanisms	Robot algorithms Computer museum	The orchestra Gospel music	Gymnastics Net and wall games Send and receive Striking and fielding	Jewish – how do they celebrate	
3		Forces – friction Plants – lifecycle of flowing plants	Ancient Egypt 1300BC-800BC	Urban growth and migration – why do so many people live in megacities?	Mixed media – sculpture Creating faces from different mediums	Carbohydrates – cooking and nutrition	Events and actions in programs Branching database	WHOLE CLASS instrument tuition	Football Tag rugby Gymnastics Hockey	Jewish – festivals and family life The Creation Story	Animals (vocabulary)
4		Sound – how does sound travel?	Romans AD43-410	World’s biomes – why are the rainforests so wet and the deserts so dry?	Painting – viewpoint images in acrylic	Dairy, fats and sugars – cooking and nutrition	Top trumps Be Internet alert	Classically Indian (drums) Blues	Netball Hockey Yoga dance	Salvation – Good Friday (Easter) Kingdom of God (Pentecost)	Physical appearance – describe hair and eyes (vocabulary)
5		Properties of changing materials	The Tudor Navy	Energy and climate change – how is climate change affecting the world?	Painting - cubism	Herbs and spices – cooking and nutrition	Selection in quizzes Computing influencers	Reggae Musical Theatre	Netball Football Handball Basketball	Jewish – The Torah God – Christian belief	Clothes (vocabulary)
6		Light and sight Electricity – circuits	Black History	Economic trade – is trade fair?	Painting – Escher	Mechanisms – Rube Goldberg machines	Company launch (apps) Be Internet kind and brave	Strictly Samba Music Film music	Tennis Gymnastics Dance Tag rugby	Fall – creation v science Salvation – how did Jesus ‘save’ people? (+Easter)	Describing family (vocabulary)

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1	For all year groups: Jigsaw	Plants – what do I know about plants? Animals including humans – what I do know about animals?	Flight 1903	UK (fieldwork) – how can we improve our school environment?	Mixed media – sculpture (Tricia Griffith)	Slider and levers - mechanisms	A better planet Wildlife data Technology around us	Musical stories Under the sea (theme) World Music Heritage	Athletics Target games Invasion games Yoga	Places of worship (including a visit) God	
2	1 Relations hips	Plants – how do plants grow?	Queen Victoria v Queen Elizabeth II	Hot and cold places – can a meerkat survive in the North Pole?	Painting – Giuseppe Arcimboldo	Vegetables – cooking and nutrition	Communicating Investigators	Africa World Music Heritage	Athletics Target games Dance Yoga	The Gospel Caring for others in the world	
3	2 Changing Me	Magnets – how do magnets work? Biology: Animals including humans – are bones important?	Bronze Age and Iron Age 2500BC-1200BC 825BC-AD43	Rivers (fieldwork) – how does human activity impact on flooding?	Painting – baroque movement	2D shape to 3D project - textiles	Animation Connecting computers	Jazz World Music Heritage	Athletics Tennis Dodgeball Cricket	The Gospel Making the world a better place	Sports (opinions)
4		Electricity – what is electricity? Living things and their habitats – categorising animals	Anglo-Saxons, Scots and Vikings AD450-1066	World's resources – is food production sustainable?	Mixed media – collage (View from the window)	Circuits and switches - electrical	Repetition in games How does the Internet work?	Rock n Roll	Athletics Rounders Handball Tennis	Hinduism – God Hinduism – being a Hindu in Britain today	Food (opinions)
5		Living things and their habitats – are all life cycles the same?	The history of trade and industry in our local area – Worcester Porcelain	Flooding – how does flooding impact on lives?	Mixed media – sculpture (3D cubism model)	Frame - structures	Crab maze Visual storytelling	Rhythms – the Kodaly method World Musical Heritage	Athletics Tennis Dodgeball Cricket	The Gospel Belief in God	Holidays (opinions)
6		Evolution and inheritance – what is evolution? Living things and their habitats – classification	Voices for change	Living in a sustainable world (fieldwork) -how can we make our local area more sustainable?	Mixed media – sculpture (create a 3D abstract figure like the Angel of the North)	Pulleys, gears and cams – mechanisms (The Boxcar Challenge)	Sphero What is inside a computer?	World Music Heritage Leavers' song	Athletics Rounders Handball Badminton	Kingdom of God How does faith help when life gets hard?	School subjects (opinions)