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	Autumn Term		Spring Term		Summer Term	
	Aut 1 **Friends or Foe – 4 weeks and Up, Up and Away (4 weeks)**	**Aut 2** **Incredible Ice (7 weeks)**	**Spr 1** **Claws and Paws (6 Weeks)**	**Spr 2** **Fearsome Fire (4 weeks)**	**Sum 1** **Animals R US (6 weeks)** **SATS**	**Sum 2** **Heroes and Heroines (7 weeks)**
Suggested text- POR/LT	The Three Little Pigs (Original) The True Story of the Three Little Pigs by Jon Scieszka NEW – Wolves Project (Literacy Tree) The Fabulous Flyer by Terry Deary NEW – Farther (Literacy Tree)	Emperors Egg (Fiction and non-fiction) The Princess and the White Bear King (Fiction) Film Narrative- Frozen (DVD)	Tom's Sausage Lion by Michael Morpugo Hedgehog by Dick King Smith	The Great Fire – A city in Flames by Ann Turnball The Firebird by	George Speaks by Dick King Smith Care of Henry by	NEW – Tadpole (Literacy Tree) Grace and Family by Mary Hoffman Diary of a Killer Cat by Anne Fine
English genres	Fairy tales Retelling Sequencing Character analysis/profile Comparison and evaluation Narrative	Role play Information book Identifying figurative language – similes and metaphors Freeze Frame Narrative Character study Debate Prediction Conscience Alley Poetry Diary Entry	Role play Diary Entry Newspaper Report, Letter, Sequencing, Information Book, Posters, Narrative,	Fire safety leaflet and poster Instructions Poetry Narrative Predictions Newspaper report Letter writing Retelling	Leaflet Instructions Character descriptions Narrative Letter Poster Instructions Recount Diary Entry Book Review	Poetry Letters Diary Entry Narrative Newspaper report Book Review
History	Homes in the Past Compare and contrast houses from the past to present day. How has airplane flight changed the world?	Remembrance Day. Why is it important?		The Great Fire of London		Who was Lord Nelson?
Geography	Homes around the world. Paris and its key landmarks	Artic and the Antarctic	Woodland Habitats and animals. Maps and directional language.	London Landmarks		Map of the Nelson Trail in Merton.

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Art & DT	Create houses out of a variety of different materials. Evaluate the suitability. Creating Hot Air Balloons from Papier Mache.	Create penguins (from toilet roll) Create Monet paintings of snow. Collage of polar Bears. Clay modelling of Artic animals	Collage hedgehogs.	3D displays of GFOL. Cooking/Baking of bread and cakes (Pudding Lane bakery). Crayon wax pictures. Pencil sketch of the GFOL. Pastels to create Firebird pictures.	Portrait of themselves. Sunflower pot painting. Sunflower painting in the style of Van Gogh.	Portraits of Lord Nelson. Spiritual Art Week
Maths	**Y2 SINGAPORE MATHS- No Problem!**					
Science	**WORKING SCIENTIFICALLY** During year 2 children will: • Ask their own questions about what they notice. • Use different types of scientific enquiry to gather and record data using simple equipment where appropriate, to answer questions including: • observing changes over time • noticing similarities, difference and patterns • grouping and classifying things • carrying out simple comparative tests • Finding things out using secondary sources of information • Use appropriate scientific language from the NC to communicate their ideas in a variety of ways, what they do and what they find out.					
	Use of everyday materials. Introduction of Forces, through experiment for Flight Topic.	Living things and their habitats – Artic animals. Ice experiment.	Living things and their habitats.	Fire resistant materials???	Human and Plant growth and development (Sunflower and Bean planting)	STEM WEEK
RE	2.1 Chosen People	2.2 Mysteries	2.3 The Good News	2.4 The Mass	2.5 Eastertide	2.6 Birth of the Church SRE
ICT	E-Safety & Digital Citizenship	Communication	Networks & The Internet		Programming	
Visits, Visitors & Themed Weeks	Brooklands museum trip			St Pauls Cathedral and the Monument.	London Zoo	Visit Trafalgar Square to see Lord Nelson Statue STEM WEEK SRE Spiritual Art Week