



Griffin Primary School
Year 2 Long Term Plan 2024-2025

Year 2	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Reading	Picture book – Into the Forest – Anthony Browne The Lighthouse Keeper’s Lunch – Ronda and David Armitage Poetry - What Is Pink? Christina Rossetti	The Owl who was Afraid of the Dark – Jill Tomlinson Non-fiction	Toby and the Great Fire of London – Margaret Nash Poetry – The Magic Box – Kit Wright	Meerkat Mail – Emily Gravett Tadpole’s Promise – Jeanne Willis	Window – Jeannie Baker Man on the Moon – Simon Bartram Monster Story-teller – Jacqueline Wilson	Non-fiction Lila and the secret of rain – David Conway The colour of home – Mary Hoffman
Writing	Into the Forest – Anthony Browne Back to basics The Lighthouse Keeper’s Lunch – Ronda and David Armitage Instructions to make a lunch Setting description – buying a new house Zog – Julia Donaldson Narrative – sequel to the story	The Little Red and the Very Hungry Lion – Alex T Smith Narrative – own version The Owl who was Afraid of the Dark – Jill Tomlinson Narrative Recount – owl visit Poem: rhyming	Toby and The Great Fire of London – Margaret Nash Diary The Great Fire of London - Emma Adams Information text The Baker’s Boy & The Great Fire of London – Tom Bradman Narrative	Meerkat Mail by Emily Gravett Narrative - Adventure story Non-chronological report - animal Poetry Performance poetry	Bob Man on the Moon by Simon Bartram Narrative: writing a new ending Taking flight – Literacy Shed Narrative Poetry - diamantes	Yorkshire Wildlife Park visit (visit in week 2) Recount Lila and the secret of rain – David Conway and Jude Daly Narrative Geography Letter to a pen pal or letter to a new teacher



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Maths	White Rose Maths Place value Addition and subtraction	White Rose Maths Addition and subtraction Shape Money	White Rose Maths Multiplication and division Length and height	White Rose Maths Length and height Mass, capacity and temperature Statistics	White Rose Maths Fractions Time	White Rose Maths Time Position and direction
Science	Humans	Animals	Plants	Living things and their Habitats – Life Cycles	Everyday Materials	Living Things and their Habitats – Minibeasts
Art and Design	Portraits- Drawing/ painting Roy Lichtenstein		Clay printing/sculpture - leaf bowls Sonya Wilkins		Hot and cold colour mixing Wassily Kandinsky	
Design Technology		Create a toy using wheels and axels (a toy to be delivered by Father Christmas)		Sew a hand puppet to tell a story written in English		Food using produce from Africa - smoothies
Computing	Computer systems & networks- IT around us	Programming A – robot algorithms	Creating media – digital photography	Data and information - pictograms	Creating media – digital music	Programming B – programming quizzes
Geography		Local geography Human and physical features in the locality		Hot and cold places		Contrasting non-European country Freetown, Sierra Leone



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History	Local history Hull Paragon Station Changes within living memory		The Great Fire of London Significant event beyond living memory		Explorers Neil Armstrong Christopher Columbus	
Music Percussion instruments	Hands, Feet, Heart Genre: South African Skill: Appraising and Singing	Ho Ho Ho Genre: Various linked to Christmas Skill: Singing and Performing	I Wanna Play in a Band Genre: Rock Skill: Playing and Improvising.	Zootime Genre: Reggae Skill: Singing and Playing.	Friendship Genre: Pop Skill: Improvising and Performing.	Reflect, Rewind & Replay Genre: Various Skill: Consolidating learnt skills and revisiting rhymes/songs.
PE	Invasion Games Sending & Receiving	Dance Circus	Gymnastics (Apparatus) 2D & 3D Shapes	Outdoor and Adventurous Orienteering	Net and Wall Games Tennis	Athletics Movement (running)
RE	Christianity and Judaism Lead us not into temptation	Christianity and Judaism Christmas	Christianity and Judaism Believing	Christianity and Judaism Easter	Christianity, Hinduism, Islam Questions	Hinduism Hindu beliefs
PSHE	Being Me in My World	Celebrating difference & Anti bullying week	Dreams & Goals	Healthy Me	Relationships	Changing Me