

Penguin Class (Years 1 and 2) Yearly Curriculum Plan

Subject	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4	Term 5	Term 6
English	Across the year we will cover a wide range of genres including stories with familiar settings, traditional tales, poetry, fantasy stories, recounts and explanation texts.					
Maths	Place Value Addition and Subtraction	Place Value Shape	Addition and Subtraction Multiplication and Division	Multiplication and Division Length and Height Statistics	Money Fractions	Fractions Time Position and Direction
Science	Plants		Animals in their habitats		Plants	
Geography		Where am I?		Would you prefer to live in a hot or cold place?		What is it like to live in Shanghai?
History	How am I making history?		How was school different in the past?		What is a monarch?	
Phonics/SPaG	Year 1 will be following our Rocket Phonics Curriculum in preparation for the Phonics Screening Check in June 2025. Year 2 will be following our Rocket Phonics Next Steps programme to consolidate their phonics and spelling and begin to learn more about punctuation and grammar.					
RE	Introductory lesson: Respectful R&W What is God's job?	Why should we care for others?	How do we know thar new babies are special?	Why is light important to people?	How do some people talk to God?	Where do some people talk to God?
PSHE	Families and relationships	Health and wellbeing	Safety and the changing body	Citizenship	Economic wellbeing	Transition
Computing	Beebots	Digital imagery	Introduction to data	Introduction to block coding	Stop motion	International space station

Art	Drawing: Exploring line and shape			Painting and mixed media: Life in colour	Sculpture and 3D: Clay houses	
DT		Structures: Baby bear's chair	Mechanisms: Fairground wheel			Mechanisms: Making a moving monster
Music	In music, we follow the Sing Up! Scheme and will be learning about singing, rhythm, pitch, tempo, volume. We will also be incorporating non-tuned instruments into our sessions.					
PE	We will be covering athletics, dance, gymnastics, invasion games and net games. Children will focus on sportsmanship and teamwork. PE is on Tuesdays and PE kit should remain in school. Earrings should be removed and hair tied back.					