



St. John's C.E Primary School

Year 2 Curriculum Plan 2019-2020

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Values	Respect	Thankfulness	Compassion	Truthfulness	Trust	Responsibility
Topic	RESCUE ME (castles)		HISTORICAL HEROES (Neil Armstrong, Florence Nightingale, Christopher Columbus and Samuel Pepys)		AFRICAN ADVENTURE (A locality study of an African country/Southport)	
Enrichment	Trip to Beeston Castle		Trip to the Synagogue in Southport		Trip to Knowsley Safari Park	
English Novels/texts	Zog, Julia Donaldson. Knights and Castles, Rachel Firth Report on castles Instructions for how to become a knight. Recount of our trip to Beeston Castle.	How to train a dragon, Cressida Cowell. Beauty and the Beast, Rapunzel. Descriptive writing Castle poetry Thank you letters	Stanley in Space, Jeff Brown. The Moon, Alan Trussell-Cullen. Fantastically great women who changed the world, Kate Pankhurst. Reports Explanation texts – A Moon Buggy	Night time around the world – Moon, Britta Teckentrup. Noah and the Space Ark, Emma Chichester Clark. The Queens Hat, Steve Antony. Narrative Diary entry from Samuel Pepys. Letters from the crew of the 'Santa Maria'.	Letters to Africa, Lauren St John. Recount of our trip to Knowsley Safari Park. Instructions	Handa's Surprise, Eileen Browne. Lila and the Secret of Rain, David Conway and Jude Daly. Descriptions of an African setting. Narrative re-tell of Handa's surprise, Writing own narrative.
Maths	Number and Place Value Properties of Shape	Addition and Subtraction Multiplication and Division	Multiplication and Division Fractions Money	Length and height Statistics	Position and Direction Mass, Capacity and Temperature Time	Revision
Religion	Believing	CHRISTMAS – good news	JEWISH SYMBOLS	EASTER – symbols	Leaders and teachers	Leaders and teachers
Science	Use of everyday materials		Animals including humans	Plants	All living things and their habitats	

Computing	Presentation skills Word processing.	Computer Art	Using the Internet	Computer Art	Programming	
History	Castles		Heroes The Great Fire of London		Local Area Study – History of Southport	
Geography		The U.K. Major cities in England, Wales, Scotland and Ireland.		Continents/oceans of the world		The Masai Mara, Nairobi (human and physical)
Art	Paul Klee – ‘Castles’ JMW Turner, romantic castle Samuel and Nathan Buck - realist paintings			Print Andy Warhol Sculpture Alexander Calder	Working with clay Beach collage Anthony Gormley	
Design & Technology	Textiles Cross stitch inspired by the Bayeux Tapestry		Vehicles with moving parts Making moon buggies		Mouldable Materials Making a Masai Mara necklace	
P.E	Games	Dance	Gymnastics	Games	Gymnastics/dance	Athletics
Music	Medieval music Lionel, ‘Castle Adventures’		Moon music - Gustav Holst ‘The Planets’ Beethoven’s ‘Moonlight Sonata’		African music	
French	Numbers, days of the week	Colours, basic phrases	Food	Body parts, clothes	Animals/pets	Review