



KS1-Long Term Overview Cycle A

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
English	Info Buzz: History: Toys Lost in the Toy Museum The Puffin Book of Fantastic First Poems Weird but true! 2026: wild and wacky facts & photos! I See Science: Materials		The Baker's Boy and the Great Fire of London Vlad and the Great Fire of London The Great Fire of London (Why do we remember?) The Great Fire of London (poem)		The Paper Bag Princess See Inside Castles Jasper's Beanstalk The Tiny Seed	
Maths	Place Value (within 20) Addition and Subtraction (within 20) Place Value (Within 100) Shape		Addition and Subtraction (within 100) Multiplication and Division Length and height Statistics		Money Fractions Time Mass Capacity Geometry-position and direction	
Science	Chemistry: States of matter What is a material? What material are different objects made from? What different materials are there? What materials are most common in our everyday environment and why? Which materials can be changed by force?	Biology: Animals including humans How are animals similar and different to their offspring? How do humans and animals change as they grow? What does an animal need to survive? How can we be hygienic? What foods should we eat to have a balanced diet? Where does our food come from? What happens to our bodies when we exercise?	Biology: Living things and their habitats How do you know if something is living, dead or has never been alive? What habitats are there in the local area? Is there a difference in habitats around the world? How do animals in a habitat depend on each other? Microhabitats How can we protect and sustain our farmland?		Biology: Plants Y1 What is the basic structure of a plant? Y2 What are the different parts of a plant? What are the similarities and differences between seeds and bulbs? What do plants need to grow healthily? How does a plant change as it grows? Does it matter which way round a seed or a bulb it planted?	



	What material would be best to make...? How are materials suited to their purpose?					
PSHE	Relationships Families & friendships, Safe touch		Health & Wellbeing Healthy lifestyle, Hygiene, Feelings		Living in the Wider World Belonging, Rules, Rights	
History and Geography	Changes within Living Memory How have toys and technology changed over time?	Our village and local area What makes Belsay special?	Events Beyond Living Memory What happened during the Great Fire of London and why is it important?	Weather & Seasons How does the weather affect our lives?	Significant Local History What can Belsay Castle tell us about the past?	The UK What is the United Kingdom and where do we fit?
Art	Drawing & Painting: Van Gogh, Lowry		Collage & Printing: William Morris, local patterns		Sculpture: Clay & recycled materials (Barbara Hepworth – simplified)	
Music	Exploring body Percussion and Action songs	Christmas	Human Rhythm Patterns	Percussion instruments and Sound Games	Graphic Scores	The Character of music: Carnival of the Animals
PE	Games, Gymnastics and Dance		Multiskills and Tennis		Athletics and Cricket	
RE	Why does Christmas matter to Christians?		Why does Easter matter to Christians?		What makes some places sacred to believers?	
Computing	Computing systems and networks	Creating media	Programming	Data and information	Creating media	Programming