


Norwich Road Academy – Knowledge Curriculum (2023-2024)

		Autumn A	Autumn B	Spring A	Spring B	Summer A	Summer B
Nursery	English	<p>Listening and attention Phase 1 phonics – environmental sounds</p> <p>Narrative We're Going on a Bear Hunt Michael Rosen</p> <p>Rhymes Old MacDonald Head, shoulders, knees and toes. If you're happy and you know it...</p>	<p>Listening and recalling Giving meaning to marks Phase 1 phonics – Instrumental sounds & body percussion</p> <p>Narrative Brown Bear, brown bear, what do you see? Bill Martin</p> <p>Rhymes Rainbow Song Twinkle, Twinkle 5 little men in a flying saucer</p>	<p>Recognising names Features of mark making Retelling story Phase 1 phonics – rhythm and rhyme</p> <p>Narrative Rosie's Walk Pat Hutchins</p> <p>Rhymes 5 Little Ducks The Wheels on the Bus Hickory Dickory Dock</p>	<p>Letter shapes Retelling story Phase 1 phonics – Alliteration and voice sounds</p> <p>Narrative Jaspers Beanstalk Nick Butterworth</p> <p>Rhymes 5 Little Monkeys swinging from the tree Hey Diddle Diddle Dingle Dangle Scarecrow</p>	<p>Letter shapes Retelling story Phase 1 phonics – Oral blending and segmenting.</p> <p>Narrative Little Red Hen Ronne Randall</p> <p>Rhymes 1,2,3,4,5 5 Speckled Frogs Incey Wincey Spider</p>	<p>Letter formation Retelling story Phase 1 phonics – Oral blending and segmenting.</p> <p>Narrative The Very Hungry Caterpillar Eric Carle</p> <p>Rhymes 5 Currant buns Row, row, row your boat I had a tiny turtle</p>
	Maths	<p>Number rhymes Positional language Counting to 5 Comparing sizes</p>	<p>Number rhymes Colour and pattern Shapes Counting to 10</p>	<p>Number rhymes Counting a set of objects Recognition to 5</p>	<p>Number rhymes Number in the environment Shapes Recognition to 5</p>	<p>Number rhymes Capacity Rote counting Recognition to 10</p>	<p>Number rhymes Shapes Recognition numbers to 10</p>
	Topic	Magical Me	Colours and Light	Journeys	Green Fingers	All Creatures Great and Small	All Change
Reception	English	<p>The three Little Pigs – Stephen Tucker and Nick Sharratt Recount</p> <p>Rhymes Heads, shoulders, knees and toes 5 currant buns 1 finger, 1 thumb keep moving</p>	<p>The Train Ride - June Crebbin and Stephen Lambert Recount</p> <p>Rhymes 5 little ducks 1, 2 buckle my shoe 5 little peas in a pea pod pressed</p>	<p>Whatever Next - Jill Murphy Instructional Text</p> <p>Rhymes Zoom Zoom Zoom 5 little men in a flying saucer 5 little speckled frogs</p>	<p>The Enormous Turnip - Katie Daynes and Georgien Overwater Recount</p> <p>Rhymes Old MacDonald had a farm Tommy thumb Mary, Mary, quite contrary</p>	<p>The Queen's Handbag – Steve Antony Recount</p> <p>Rhymes The Grand Old Duke of York Here we go round the mulberry bush Jack and Jill</p>	<p>The Hare and the Tortoise - Aesop Recount</p> <p>Rhymes Incy Wincey Spider Rain, rain go away Row, row, row your boat</p>
	Maths	<p>Match and Sort</p> <p>Mass and Capacity</p> <p>Measure and Pattern</p>	<p>Length and Height</p> <p>Circles and Triangles</p> <p>Numbers to 5</p> <p>Shapes with 4 Sides</p>	<p>Making 5</p> <p>Growing 6, 7, 8</p>	<p>Growing 6, 7, 8</p> <p>Building 9 and 10</p> <p>3D Shapes</p>	<p>20 and Beyond</p> <p>Addition and Subtraction</p> <p>Shape</p>	<p>Sharing and Grouping</p> <p>Visualise, Build and Map</p> <p>Making Connections</p>

	Topic (PKC)	All About Me	Transport	Space	Growing and Changing	Kings and Queens	Stories from the Past
	PE (Get Set for PE)	Yoga	Gymnastics	Fundamentals	Dance	Ball skills	Games
	RE (Norfolk Syllabus)		Religion – Christianity Why is the word God so important to Christians? What is Christmas? Theme: Theology		Religion – Christianity Do Christians put a cross in Easter gardens? What is Easter? Theme: Philosophy		Religions – Islam, Hinduism, Sikhism How do people celebrate different festivals? Look at different religions. Theme: Human/Social Sciences
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Year 1	English (Talk4Writing)	Good Little Wolf- Nadia Shireen Narrative Simple journey stories including beginning, middle and end.	The Rainbow Fish- Marcus Pfister Narrative Simple journey stories using beginning, middle and end	Sidney Stella and the Moon. - Emma Yarlett Recount Recounts develop understanding of chronology and appropriate word order to begin sentences.	Poetry Anthology- Jane Cribbin Narrative Warning story including descriptive vocabulary and storytelling language patterns.	St George and the Dragon- Usborne Young Readers. Non. Chronological Report Write an information report about dragons.	Jane Goodall- (little People, Big dreams) Instructions Write simple instructions to plan a picnic (link with DT)
	Poetry Element	Poetry Clapping Rhymes Performing	Poetry CLPE- Blow A Kiss Catch a Kiss by Joseph Coelho Analysing	Poetry Free verse: based on experiences Composing		Clipper poetry competition Poems performed in groups. Performing	Poetry List poems linked to text. Composing
Year 2	English (Talk4Writing)	The Way home for wolf- Rachel Bright Narrative Journey stories Construct stories with beginning, middle and end.	Here we Are – Oliver Jeffers Instructions NON-FICTION: write a set of simple instructions across different contexts.	Aesop's Fables- Michael Morpurgo Narrative Warning stories & their features.	Pattan's Pumpkin- Chitra Soundar Non- Chron. NON-FICTION – (information) reports.	First Book of Fairy Tales- Mary Hoffman Narrative Traditional Tales using the five-part story structure.	The Sea Book- Charlotte Milner Recount Explore description
	Poetry Element	Poetry CLPE- The Big Green Crocodile Analysing	Calligrams and tongue twisters Composing	Poetry Alliterative poems based on animals- simple sentences. Composing		Clipper poetry competition Performing	Poetry Free verse Poems that include commands. Composing

Year 1 / 2	Maths (Whiterose)	Place Value Addition & Subtraction	Addition & Subtraction Multiplication & Division	Multiplication & Division Statistics Length & Height	Shape Fractions	Position & Direction Time Consolidation	Weight & Volume – Y1 Mass, Capacity & Temperature – Y2 Consolidation
	Science (PKC)	The Human Body	Seasons and Weather	Animals and their Needs	Taking Care of the Earth	Plants	Materials and Magnets
	History (PKC)		Discovering History		Heritage project – Stinky Streets with Alan Minns (Heritage Project)	Kings, Queens and Leaders	Parliament and Prime Ministers
	Geography (PKC)	Spatial sense		The UK		Houses and Homes	Seven Continents + Northern Europe**
	DT (PKC)	Cook Jam tarts/Mince pies		Sew Animal Sock Puppets		Build Vehicles	
	Art (PKC)		Colour		Line		Sculpture
	RE (Norfolk Syllabus)		Religion- Christianity Key Question- How does a celebration bring a community together? Theme: Human/Social Sciences		Religion- Christianity Key Question- What does the cross mean to Christians? Theme: Theology		Religion- Judaism What do my senses tell me about the world of religion and belief? Theme: Philosophy
	PSHE (Kapow)	Introduction lesson Family and relationships	Family and relationships Health and wellbeing Anti-Bullying Week	Health and wellbeing Safety (teach all lessons) Safer Internet Day Children's Mental Health Week	Safety (teach all lessons) Citizenship	Citizenship	Educator Solutions RSE Transition to next year Economic Wellbeing
	Music (Charanga)	My Musical Heartbeat How Can We Make Friends When We Sing Together?		Exploring Sounds How Does Music Make the World a Better Place?		Having Fun with Improvisation What Songs Can We Sing to Help Us Through the Day?	
	PE (Get Set for PE)	Ball skills / Yoga	Invasion games / Gymnastics	Sending and Receiving/ Fundamentals	Striking and Fielding / Dance	Athletics / Team Building	Ball skills / Net and Wall
	Computing (Teach Computing)	Computing systems and networks – Technology around us	Information Technology skills – Typing	Creating media – Digital painting	Programming A – Moving a robot	Creating media – Digital writing	Programming B – Introduction to animation

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Year 3	English (Talk4Writing)	The Hodgeheg - Dick King-Smith Narrative Features of narrative	Revolting Rhymes- Roald Dahl Persuasion- Persuasive letter	A Midsummer Night's Dream- Shakespeare Narrative Portal story,	Kindlekrax - Philip Ridley Non- Chronological report Explore features, recap sentence types.	Paddington Bear- Michael Bond Narrative Journey story.	Who Was Marie Curie? - Megan Stine Explanation Features of explanation writing.
	Poetry Element	Poetry Midnight Feasts Analysing	Poetry List Poems Composing	Poetry Haiku Kennings Composing		Clipper poetry competition Perform a range of poems. Performing	Poetry Free verse Catalysts Poems for Writing- Pie Corbett Around me- Instructions for writing a DIY Around Me Poem Composing
	Maths (Whiterose)	Place Value Addition & Subtraction	Addition & Subtraction Multiplication & Division	Multiplication & Division Length & Perimeter	Fractions Mass & Capacity	Fractions Money Time	Shape Statistics Consolidation
	Science (PKC)	The Human Body	Rocks	Light	Forces and Magnets	Plants	Cycles in Nature
	History (PKC)	Stone age to Iron Age	Ancient Egypt	The Anglo Saxons, Scots and the Vikings	The Anglo Saxons, Scots and the Vikings	Law and Power	The War of the Roses + The Tudors – 2 lessons
	Geography (PKC)	Spatial Sense	Settlements	Rivers	UK Geography: The South West	Western Europe	Asia- China and India
	DT (PKC)	Sew Key rings		Build Pop up books		Cook Bread and butter Pasta and sauce	
	Art (PKC)		Line		Still Life Form		Architecture
	RE (Norfolk Syllabus)		Religion- Christianity Key Question- What is the Trinity? Also include Christmas story. Theme: Theology		Religion- Christianity Key Question- What is philosophy How do people make moral decisions? Theme: Philosophy		Religion- Islam Key Question- what difference does being a _____ make to daily life? Theme: Human/Social Sciences
	Primary Languages (Language Angels)	Nursery rhymes KS1 Early Language	Salutations KS1 Early Language	Colours and numbers KS1 Early Language	Shapes KS2 Early Language	Seasons KS2 Early Language	Ice Creams KS2 Early Language

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	Music (Charanga)	Writing Down Music How Does Music Bring Us Closer Together?		Compose using your Imagination How does Music make the World a better place?		Enjoying Improvisation How does Music Make a difference to us everyday?	
	PE (Get Set for PE)	Yoga / Football	Tag rugby / Gymnastics	Netball / Fitness	Cricket / Dance	Swimming / Athletics	Swimming / Rounders
	Computing (Teach Computing)	Computing systems and networks – Connecting computers	Information Technology skills – Typing	Creating media – Animation	Programming A – Sequence in music	Creating media – Desktop publishing	Programming B – Events and actions
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Year 4	English (Talk4Writing)	The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe- C.S Lewis Narrative Portal Story	The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe- C.S Lewis Recount Events using the language of a recount.	The Butterfly Lion - Michael Morpurgo Narrative Warning tales	Kensuke's Kingdom- Michael Morpurgo Explanation	Charles Darwin- Deborah Hopkinson Discussion Relevant to main features of the text.	Matilda- Roald Dahl Narrative Conflict and resolution.
	Poetry Element	Poetry Being Me by Liz Brownlee Matt Goodfellow Laura Mucha or <u>Slam! You're Gonna Wanna Hear This</u> , chosen by Nikita Gill, Macmillan Analysing	Poetry Calligrams Composing	Poetry Pie Corbett – Catalysts Free Verse Instructions for a DIY word Play poem Composing		Clipper poetry competition Performing Perform a range of poems Performing	Poetry Poems using alliteration. Composing
Year 5	English (Talk4Writing)	Dave the Pigeon By Swapna Haddow Narrative Resolution stories.	Toms Midnight Garden Philippa Pearce Recount- Newspaper report.	Percy Jackson and the Lightening Thief Rick Riordan Narrative Quest with a focus on characterization.	Percy Jackson and the Lightening Thief Rick Riordan Non- Chronological Report Paragraphs, related clauses. Use of topic sentences.	The Happy Prince Oscar Wilde Narrative Wishing Tales	Women in Science Rachel Ignatofsky Persuasion Features of persuasive writing.
	Poetry Element	Poetry CLPE- Bright Bursts of Colour by Matt Goodfellow Or Marshmallow Clouds by Ted Kooser and Connie Wanok Analysis	Poetry Pie Corbett – Catalysts Instructions for a DIY simile poem Composing	Poetry Cinquains and Ballads Composing		Clipper poetry competition Performing Perform and read aloud a wide range of poems.	Poetry Narrative poems Composing

	Maths (Whiterose)	Place Value Addition & Subtraction	Multiplication & Division Length, Perimeter & Area	Multiplication & Division Fractions	Fractions Decimals Percentages – Y5	Decimals Money Time	Shape Converting Units Consolidation
Year 4 / 5	Science (PKC)	The Human Body	States of Matter The Water Cycle	Sound	Ecology	Classification of Plants and Animals	Electricity
	History (PKC)	Life in Ancient Rome	The Rise and fall of Rome	Ancient Greece	Industrial Revolution	Sophia Singh (Heritage Project)	The Early British Empire
	Geography (PKC)	Spatial Sense	Mediterranean Europe	Eastern Europe	UK Geography: London and the South East.	Asia – Japan	International trade (NRA UNIT)
	DT (PKC)	Sew Cushions		Cook Ratatouille and Rice Apple Crumble		Build Moving toys	
	Art (PKC)		Light		Space		Needlework, Embroidery and Weaving
	RE (Norfolk Syllabus)		Religion- Christianity/Hinduism Key Question- How do religious groups contribute to society and beyond? Theme: Human/Social Sciences		Religion- Christianity Key Question- Where do Christian beliefs come from? Theme: Theology		Religion- Christianity Key question- What does sacrifice mean? Theme: Philosophy
	Primary Languages (Language Angels)	The date Early language	The Romans Intermediate	Clothes Intermediate	Presenting myself Intermediate	My home Intermediate	In class Intermediate
	PSHE (Kapow)	Introduction lesson Family and relationships	Family and relationships Health and wellbeing Anti-Bullying Week	Health and wellbeing Safety (not lessons 6 and 7) Safer Internet Day Children's Mental Health Week	Safety (not lessons 6 and 7) Citizenship	Citizenship	Educator Solutions RSE Transition to next year Economic Wellbeing
	Music (Charanga)	Musical Structures How Does Music Bring Us Together?		Compose With Your Friends How Does Music Improve Our World?		Expression and Improvisation How Does Music Shape Our Way of Life?	
	PE (Get Set for PE)	Yoga / Football (Y4 Swimming)	Tag rugby / Gymnastics (Year 4 Swimming)	Netball / Fitness	Cricket / Dance	OAA / Athletics	Tennis / Rounders
	Computing (Teach Computing)	Computing systems and networks – The Internet	Information Technology skills – Typing	Creating media – Audio editing	Programming A – Repetition in shapes	Creating media – Photo editing	Programming B – Repetition in games

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Year 6	English (Talk4Writing) Year 6	Goodnight Mister Tom Michelle Magorian Narrative Defeating the enemy story. Revising how to build suspense	Goodnight, Mister Tom Michelle Magorian Discussion Balanced argument based around the main elements of the text.	Pig Heart Boy- Malorie Blackman Narrative -	Outlaw- Michael Morpurgo Persuasion Review features of persuasive writing.	Cogheart- Peter Bunzl Narrative Suspense. How to write an effective fiction story. How to build character using inference.	Women in Science- Rachel Ignatowski Biographies Looking at famous women in History
	Poetry Element	Poetry Pie Corbett Catalysts Instructions for a DIY Ways of Looking Poems. Composing	Poetry Use figurative language: similes, metaphors, personification etc. Composing	Poetry Blackout poems Structured grammar poem Composing		Clipper poetry competition Performing Poems Perform and read aloud a wide range of poems.	Poetry Choose from; If (Rudyard Kipling Jabberwocky (Lewis Carroll The Listeners (Walter de la Mare) Analysis
	Maths (Whitrose)	Place Value Addition & Subtraction Multiplication & Division	Fractions Converting Units	Ratio Algebra Decimals	Fractions, Decimals & Percentages Area, Perimeter & Volume Statistics	Shape Position & Direction Consolidation	Consolidation, Projects & Problem Solving
	Science (PKC)	The Human Body	Light	Electricity	Evolution	Classification of living things	Reproduction
	History (PKC)	Baghdad c. 900CE	Crime and Punishment – Holmes and Kable (Heritage project)	Rise of Hitler and World War II	World War II and the Holocaust	History of Human rights	Comparing past and present (NRA UNIT)
	Geography (PKC)	Spatial Sense	British Geographical issues	North America	South America	Africa	Earthquakes and Volcanoes (NRA UNIT)
	DT (PKC)	Cook Mezze		Build Water Wall		Sew Upcycling fashion	
	Art (PKC)		Thetford Art Project**		Impressionism and Post Impressionism		Art in the 20 th Century
	RE (Norfolk Syllabus)		Religion- Christianity/Multi Key Question- How and why does religion bring peace and conflict? Theme: Human/Social Sciences		Religion- Christianity/Humanist Key Question- What does it mean to be human? Is being happy the greatest purpose in life? Theme: Philosophy		Religion- Buddhist Key Question- How do _____ explain the suffering in the world? Theme: Theology
	Primary Languages	At the café Intermediate	The Weather Intermediate	The Weekend Progressive	Healthy Lifestyle Progressive	At school Progressive	Habitats Progressive

	(Language Angels)						
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	Music (Charanga)	Music and Technology How Does Music Bring Us Together?		Creative Composition How Does Music Improve Our World?		Improvising with Confidence How Does Music Shape Our Way of Life?	
	PE (Get Set for PE)	Yoga / Football	Tag rugby / Gymnastics	Netball / Fitness	Cricket / Dance	OAA / Athletics	Tennis / Rounders
	Computing (Teach Computing)	Computer systems and networks	Information Technology skills –	Typing Creating media and web pages	Programming A – Variables in games	Creating Media – 3D Models	Programming B – Sensory movements