

**Yearly Overview 2023 - 2024 – Year 2**

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|  | **Advent 1** | **Advent 2** | **Lent 1** | **Lent 2** | **Pentecost 1** | **Pentecost 2** |
| **Topic Title** | **Fire and Water** | **Africa and Farming** | **The UK – our island** |
| **Trips** | Local Area – Hucknall **Library** – TBC |  **Carsington Water** – kinks to our Geography topic | Local Area – Hucknall **Library** – TBC | **Pizza Express** – links to our farming topic -  | Local Area – Hucknall **Library** – TBC | Trip to the beach – TBC |
| **Class Texts** | **The Great Fire of London** – Emma Adams and James Weston Lewis | **Amazing Author focus**Jill MurphyPeace at LastOn the Way HomeWhatever next!Dear Hound | **Nelson Mandela Long Walk to Freedom Wangari’s Trees of Peace** Wangari Mathai **Sulwe**Vashti Harrison | Peter Rabbit (Beatrix Potter)Other animal tales **Stories by Beatrix Potter** | **Quest** – Aaron Becker**Little Elizabeth: The Young Princess Who Became Queen** – Valerie Wilding**The Queen’s Knickers****Katie in London** – James Mayhew | **Flotsam**David Wiesner**The Secret of Black Rock** – Joe Todd Stanton**The Lighthouse Keeper’s Lunch**(8 book series)**What the Ladybird Heard at the Seaside** – Julia Donaldson**Billy’s Bucket** |
| **RE** | **Beginnings** **Signs and symbols** **Other Faith Judaism****Collective Worships****Retreats**  | **Signs and symbols** **Preparations****Diwali****Nativity****Collective Worships****Retreats**  | **Books** **Thanksgiving****Collective Worships****Retreats**  | **Thanksgiving****Opportunities****Collective Worships****Retreats**  | **Spread the Word** **Rules** **Collective Worships****Retreats**  | **Rules** **Treasures** **Other Faith – Islam****Collective Worships****Retreats**  |
| **Science** | **Chemistry – Everyday Materials and changing shape- John McAdam** | **Biology Living Things and their habitats and Life Cycles** | **Biology – Animals, including humans:** **Living things (Farming)****Biology Plants – growing our own seeds – links to Farming** |
| **History** | **How has the Great Fire of London change what the capital is like today?** Events beyond living memory that are significant nationally or globally | **Africa – How has Nelson Mandela helped to make the world a better place?**Significant individualsThe lives of significant individuals in the past who have contributed to national and international achievements. Some should be used to compare aspects of life in different periods | **Kings and Queens**Significant historical events, people and places in their own locality –  |
| **Geography** | **Water and Children’s Rights** – geographical similarities and differences between Hucknall and Uganda* human and physical geography
* ocean and continents
 | **CAFOD/Fairtrade – Farming link to The Lake District** The lives of significant individuals in the past who have contributed to national and international achievements. –**Beatrix Potter**  | **Coastlines*** human and physical geography
* ocean and continents
* seas surrounding the UK
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| **Art** | Sculpture and 3D: Clay houses  |  | Craft and Design: Map it out  |  |  | Painting and mixed media: Beside the Seaside  |
| **Design and Technology** |  | Structures:Baby bear’s chair  |  | Textiles: Puppets  | Mechanisms: Fairground wheel  |  |
| **Languages** | Transport | Under the sea |  In the jungle |
| **PE****Val Sabin** | **Gymnastics Unit H****and Unit I****Games Unit 1****Dance Unit 1** | **Gymnastics Unit J****and Unit K****Games Unit 2****Dance Unit 2** | **Games Unit 3 and unit 4****Athletics Unit 1 and Unit 2** |
| **Computing** | **Creating Media –** [**Digital Photography**](https://teachcomputing.org/curriculum/key-stage-1/creating-media-digital-photography) |  **Creating Media –** [**Making Music**](https://teachcomputing.org/curriculum/key-stage-1/creating-media-making-music) | **Programming A** –[**Robot Algorithms**](https://teachcomputing.org/curriculum/key-stage-1/programming-a-robot-algorithms)**e-Safety Day** | **Programming B** –[**An Introduction to Quizzes**](https://holycrossprimary-my.sharepoint.com/personal/sduong_holycross_notts_sch_uk/Documents/Academic%20Years%27%20Planning/Academic%20Year%202022-2023/An%20Introduction%20to%20Quizzes) |
| **Music****(from Charanga scheme)** | **Hands, Feet, Heart** | **Ho Ho Ho** | **I Wanna Play In A Band** | **Zootime** | **Friendship Song** | **Reflect, Rewind and Replay** |
| **PSHE****(Links to Raymond Friel)** | **2 – Non violence/****gentleness****CST 1 Dignity of the human person****3 – Justice****CST Solidarity and the common good** | **8 – Love**  | **1 – Compassion CST 2 Family and Community** **CST 6 Dignity of Work** | **7 – Preferential option for the lost and least****4 – Integrity, honesty, truth-telling** |  **6 – Humanity, lack of ego** **CST 5 Option for the poor and vulnerable****9 – Forgiveness, reconciliation**  | **CST 4 Rights and responsibilities****5 – simplicity – non attachment to wealth** **CST 7 Stewardship** |
| **Ten Ten** **Life to the Full – Relationship and Health Education**  | **Module 1** **Created and Loved by God** | **Module 2****Created to Love Others** | **Module 3** **Created to Live in Community** |
| **E.M.U.S** | **Education Making Us Safe (E.M.U.S) delivered by** **Mrs Butkevicius –** a 10-week programme designed to equip young children with the knowledge and skills to make good choices starting on Tuesday 12th September 2023 |  |  |