

Bicton CE Primary School Curriculum Rolling Programme 2026-2028



Birch Class – Year 2/Year 3

		English	Science	History	Geography	Computing	Art	Music	RE	DT	PE	PSHE	MFL (Y3 only)
Years 2 & 3 (Year A) 2026-2027	Autumn	Pathways to Write - Toys in space (<i>Fantasy story or instructions</i>) - The great fire of London (<i>Non fiction – fact sheet</i>) Pathways to Poetry - The owl and the pussycat Pathways to Read - Lights on Cotton Rock - Great Fire of London	Forces and Magnets Light	The Great Fire of London	Where on Earth?	Programming – events and actions Creating media - animation	Drawing and sketchbooks - Gestural drawing with charcoal	Animals: Call and response Musical storytelling: Instruments	What makes some places sacred to believers? What does it mean to belong to a faith community?	Structures (Baby Bear's Chair)	Dance Football Hockey Fitness	Relationships World Mental Health Day Y2 - What makes a good friend? Y3 – How can we be a good friend? Y2 - What is bullying? Y3 – What are families like?	French greeting with puppets French adjectives of colour, size and shape
	Spring	Pathways to Write - Seal Surfer (<i>letter</i>) - Silence Seeker (<i>Story</i>) Pathways to Poetry - Night sounds (<i>I am the seed book</i>) Pathways to Read - The Sea Book - Blue	Rocks, soil and fossils	Ancient Greece		Online safety Internet research and communication	Surface and colour - Expressive painting	Space: Contrasting dynamics On this island: Singing	What do Christians Learn from the Creation Story? Why do Christians call the day Jesus died 'Good Friday'?	Cooking and Nutrition – Eating Seasonally (Savoury Tarts)	Gymnastics 1 Tag Rugby Gymnastics 2 Orienteering	Living in the wider world Y2 - What jobs do people do? Y3 – What makes a community? Health and Wellbeing Y2 - What helps us to stay safe? Y3 – What keeps us safe?	Playground games – numbers and age In a French classroom
	Summer	Pathways to Write - The great paper caper (<i>Letter</i>) - Zeraffa Giraffa (<i>Persuasion</i>) Pathways to Poetry - Fox Pathways to Read - The Thames and Tide Club: The Secret City - Egyptian Cinderella	Plants Animals including humans	Why are there so many castles in Shropshire and why are so many in ruins?	Exploring Southern Europe and the Mediterranean	Programming – repetition in games Creating media – desktop publishing	Working in Three Dimensions – Stick transformations	Myths and legends: Structure Musical me: Pitch	How do festivals and family life show what matters to Jews? How should we care for others and the world and why does it matter?	Mechanisms (Levers and linkages) Moving Story Book	Netball Tennis Rounders Athletics	Health and Wellbeing Y2 - What helps us grow and stay healthy? Y3 – Why should we eat well and look after our teeth? Y2 - How do we recognise our feelings? Y3 – Why should we keep active and sleep well?	French transport A circle of life in French

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Years 2 & 3 (Year B) 2027 - 2028	Autumn	Pathways to Write - Troll Swap (Story) - The owl who was afraid of the dark (Non-chronological report) Pathways to Poetry - Zebra question Pathways to Read - Troll by Julia Donaldson - The Three Billy Goats Gruff - Above and Below	Animals including humans	How have we changed over time?	Where do we live?	Computing systems and networks – The Internet Creating media – audio editing	Drawing and sketchbooks - An exploration of coal mining	Seaside: Dynamics Fairytales: Sound patterns	Who Made the World? Why does Christmas Matter to Christians?	Textiles Pouches	Dance Football Dodgeball Fitness	Relationships World Mental Health Day Y2 - What makes a good friend? Y3 – How can we be a good friend? Y2 - What is bullying? Y3 – What are families like?	This is me School days
	Spring	Pathways to Write - The Dragon Machine (story) - My names not refugee (SMSC) (Diary/recount) Pathways to Poetry - From a Railway carriage (a step back in time: A poetry Anthology collated by TLC) Pathways to Read - The Dragonsitter - Real Dragons - Owen and the Soldier	Living things and their habitats	Who was Florence Nightingale and why was she important?	What is life like in ...?	Online Safety Programming – sequences Data and information – branching databases	Surface and colour - Inspired by flora and fauna	Animals: Call and response Under the sea: Musical symbols	How do festivals and worship show what matters to a Muslim? What is the Good News that Jesus Brings?	Cooking and Nutrition Wraps	Gymnastics 1 Handball Gymnastics 2 Orienteering	Living in the wider world Y2 - What jobs do people do? Y3 – What makes a community? Health and Wellbeing Y2 - What helps us to stay safe? Y3 – What keeps us safe?	Birthday celebrations Colourful creatures
	Summer	Pathways to Write - Amazing Rivers (Environment) (persuasive letter) - The Merchant of Venice (Story) Pathways to Poetry - Father and I in the woods (From the barefoot book of earth poems) Pathways to Read - Fantastic Mr Fox - Grimm's Fairytales	Uses of everyday materials Pants	Significant Salopians Turning points in British history.	What is the UK?	Programming – repetition in shapes Creating media – photo editing	Working in Three Dimensions – Playful making	Space: Contrasting dynamics Myths and legends: Structure	How and why do people mark the significant events of life? What do Christians believe God is Like?	Mechanisms (Wheels and Axles) Vehicles	Basketball Golf Cricket Athletics	Health and Wellbeing Y2 - What helps us grow and stay healthy? Y3 – Why should we eat well and look after our teeth? Y2 - How do we recognise our feelings? Y3 – Why should we keep active and sleep well?	Fabulous French food Gourmet tour of France