**Lower Key Stage 2 Curriculum overview: Ash class**

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| **CYCLE A 2022 - 2023** | | | | | | |
|  | **Autumn 1** | **Autumn 2** | **Spring 3** | **Spring 4** | **Summer 5** | **Summer 6** |
| **Visits/visitors** | Archaeologist Visit | Horsham Museum Visit  Live Lesson with British Museum | Starry Night  Live Lesson with Scottish Space Station | Chichester Planetarium  Hedgehog Man |  | |
| **Key texts** | Poppy Pym and The Pharaoh’s Curse  Egyptology | | The Jamie Drake Equation  Hidden Figures | | The Song of the Dolphin Boy | |
| **English** | Informal Letter Writing  Diary Writing  Poetry | Instructions  Wanted Posters  Christmas Story Writing | Character Descriptions  Newspaper Reports | Story Writing | Non Chronological Report Writing | Poetry  Formal Letter Writing |
| **Maths** | White Rose Maths | White Rose Maths | White Rose Maths | White Rose Maths | White Rose Maths | White Rose Maths |
| **Science** | Electricity (Y4) | Forces & Magnets (Y3) | Sound (Y4) |  | Light (Y3) | Living things & Habitats (Y4) |
| **RE** | People of God  **(UC)** | Sikhism  inc. a Key Religious Figure | Buddhism  inc. a Key Religious Figure | Gospel **(UC)** | Creation/fall  **(UC)** | Islam  inc. a Key Religious Figure |
| **Geography** | Using maps and atlases to locate Egypt. | | Farm visit  4 and 6 figure grid references | | Coastal features of UK  Observe, measure, record and present human and physical features – coastal and local | |
| **History** | Ancient Egyptians – timeline  Making links between other areas of history  Research questions & skills  Horsham Museum – ancient artefacts understand how knowledge of the past is constructed from a range of sources.  Archaeological dig  Achievements of early civilisations - in depth study of ancient Egypt. | | Ask historically valid questions – space, astronauts, vehicles | |  | |
| **Art & design** | Sketching – different materials  Marbling  Quadrilateral shape art (maths) | | Creation pictures – pastels/watercolours  Self portraits  Galaxy Pictures- pastels  Artist – Van Gogh | | Eco Art- using plastic materials for collage | |
| **Music** | Singing & performance skills – Xmas production  Recorder playing – musical notation, performance  Dance and musical performance | | Recorder playing – musical notation, performance | | Sky Arts  composition | |
| **DT** | Food tech:  Seasonality – blackberry muffins  3D masks – technical knowledge  Design od buzz games  Peg decorations (making) | | 3D planets – research, making, papier mache  Food tech: | | Junk modelling | |
| **Computing** | Branching databases  Doorway Online touch-typing (ongoing each week).  Graphics in Paint – copy/paste Formatting text in Word.  Make a greetings card in Publisher. | | ‘Bookworms’ – search; use calculator; enter data in Excel; book review in PowerPoint.  E-safety – the Power of Words; data privacy; Phishing. | | Sports personality database – collect data, charts, search.  Scratch – Knock Knock joke (sequence); when key pressed; motion blocks; x,y coordinates. | |
| **French** | Colours  The Wolf who wanted to change colour | Animals  French Xmas traditions | Greetings  How are you?  What’s your name? | Counting  Basic conversation  French Easter traditions | How old are you  Months of the year (revise) | Birthday  Numbers to 40 |
| **PE** | Football  Hockey  Dance | Football  Hockey  Dance | Gymnastics  Tag Rugby  Cricket | Gymnastics  Tag Rugby  Cricket | Swimming  Rounders  Athletics | Swimming  Rounders  Athletics |
| PSHE | PSHE Association Scheme | | PSHE Association Scheme | | PSHE Association Scheme | |

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| **Visits/visitors** | Shoreham Fort | Horsham Museum | Amberley Museum |  | Knepp | Gordon’s Garden |
| **Key texts** | Archie’s War  Lily and the Rockets | | Chitty Chitty Bang Bang Flies Again | | Wonder | |
| **English** | Sentence Structure/paragraphs  Letter Writing  Recount | Poetry- fireworks/  onomatopoeia  Diary Writing | Setting/Character descriptions | Instructions  Non Chron Report | Story Writing | Poetry  Blog- Persuasive Writing- Why would you want to visit Shipley? |
| **Maths** | Place value  Addition and Subtraction  Multiplication | | Multiplication and Division  Length and Perimeter  Fractions and Decimals  Mass and Capacity | | Fractions and Decimals  Money  Time  Shape  Position and Direction  Statistics | |
| **Science** | Animals including Humans (Y4& Yr3) | Animals including Humans (Y4& Yr3) | States of matter (Y4) | STEM project – moving vehicles | Rocks and Soils (Y3) | Plants (Y3) |
| **RE** | God **(UC)** | Incarnation **(UC)** | Hinduism | Salvation **(UC)** | Kingdom of God **(UC)** | Judaism |
| **Geography** | World War 1- location of countries | |  |  | Shipley and Beyond – local study | |
| **History** | World War 1 | Significant women who caused changes is social history | History of flight and moving vehicles | Significant events in aviation history | Local history study | |
| **Art & design** | Clay poppy sculptures  Sketching |  |  |  | Watercolours  Monet | Natural painting- make own paint from plants etc |
| **Music** | Jolly Music Scheme – Level 1 | Jolly Music Scheme – Level 1 | Jolly Music Scheme – Level 1 | Jolly Music Scheme – Level 1 | Jolly Music Scheme – Level 1 | Jolly Music Scheme – Level 1 |
| **DT** | Blackberry muffins  Design, make and evaluate a pitta pizza | Sewing – felt Christmas decorations. Designing and evaluating | Design, make and evaluate your own moving vehicle | |  |  |
| **Computing** | Keyboard skills – Doorway Online Typing (ongoing)  Ourselves database – collect data, charts, search, sort. | Bitmap graphics and animation  File storage | Formatting text  Desktop publishing – card in Publisher | Online safety –personal information, digital footprint, who we talk to online. | Finding & presenting information – search the internet; reliability, presenting in Powerpoint. | Scratch coding – repeat, conditions (If-Then), co-ordinates. |
| **French** | Days of the Week  The Very Hungry Caterpillar | The Very Hungry Caterpillar (cont)  Fruit & vegetables  Numbers to 25 (link to Xmas) | Seasons  Months of the year | Weather | Family  Brothers & sisters | Family Pets  Conversations |
| **PE** | Dance | Dance | Gymnastics | | OAA | |
| **PSHE** | Zones of Regulation  Importance of exercise and sleep for physical and mental health. | Zones of Regulation  Anti- Bullying | Zones of Regulation | Zones of Regulation | Zones of Regulation  Living in the Wider World | Zones of Regulation  Living in the Wider World |