S5 Long Term Curriculum Plan 2026-2027

Summer 2	Letter of the day Predictable Chart Writing Word Finding Independent writing Shared reading Independent reading	Statistics Base skills – Number bond fluency	How can we buy things online? Pupils explore money and safe ways to spend online.	**Programming animations** Designing and programming the movement of a character on screen to tell stories.	Reflection, Celebration and Moving On					Observe dietary restrictions, allergens, preferences			Reflect, Rewind & Replay → Sandfest Prep	Reflect, Rewind & Replay → Sandfest Prep (performance skills, rehearsal, stagecraft)	Rebound Therapy Cycling Sensory PE
Summer 1	Letter of the day Predictable Chart Writing Word Finding Independent writing Shared reading Independent reading	Time (include comparing and ordering) Base Skills – Making, comparing and ordering amounts	What is body image? Pupils explore what affects body image as people grow older.	**Digital writing** Using a computer to create and format text, before comparing to writing non-digitally.				An overview of craft					Expression and Improvisation	Fairy Tales & Folk Tales (traditional stories, role-play, improvisation)	Rebound Therapy Cycling Sensory PE
Spring 2	Letter of the day Predictable Chart Writing Word Finding Independent writing Shared reading Independent reading	Money (include using 2,5,10 times tables with coins) Base Skills – Addition and subtraction	What is puberty? Pupils learn how to help manage the changes of puberty	**Grouping data** Exploring object labels, then using them to sort and group objects by properties.			AQA unit-123774 An introduction to the nervous system			Cook a simple balanced meal			Sounds of the Deep	Space & Future Worlds – imagination & movement	Rebound Therapy Swing Therapy Sensory PE
Spring 1	Letter of the day Predictable Chart Writing Word Finding Independent writing Shared reading Independent reading	Volume and Capacity (include comparing and ordering) Base skills – Times tables (2s, 5s, 10s)	How do I feel about myself? Pupils learn skills to maintain self esteem and respond to unkind comments.	**Moving a robot** Writing short algorithms and programs for floor robots, and predicting program outcomes		Toys- old and new							Liverpool Philharmonic Project	Restaurant & Café – communication & social situations	Rebound Therapy Swing Therapy Sensory PE
Autumn 2	Letter of the day Predictable Chart Writing Word Finding Independent writing Shared reading Independent reading	Mass (include comparing and ordering) Base skills – Number bond fluency	What is safe online contact? Pupils learn ways to safely communicate with others online, including what information to keep private.	**Digital painting** Choosing appropriate tools in a program to create art, and making comparisons with working non-digitally					Forest School/ Outdoor Crafts using natural materials/ Firelighting continued	Know the types and quantities of food which make a health diet	Levers and slides: moving cards		Keyboard Skills 1 & Festive Songs	Superheroes & Villains – character & movement	Rebound Therapy Gymnastics Sensory PE
Autumn 1	Letter of the day Predictable Chart Writing Word Finding Independent writing Shared reading Independent reading	Length and Height (include comparing and ordering) Base skills – Making, comparing and ordering amounts	What makes us special? Pupils celebrate everyone's uniqueness and identify their personal strengths.	**Technology around us** Recognising technology in school and using it responsibly.					Firelighting - Introduction to fire safety Cooking on an open fire Exploring changes in colour and texture whilst cooking				Pulse & Rhythm Foundations (body percussion, djembe)	Heroes & Helpers – emergency & community roles	Rebound Therapy Cycling Sensory PE
	English	Maths	PSHE/RSE	Computing	RE	Humanities	Science	Art	Forest School	Food and Nutrition	Design technology	Careers	Music	Drama	PE

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