

Nether Alderley Primary School

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Introduction:

With mixed-age classes, Nether Alderley Primary School operates a two-year rolling curriculum programme in Key Stage One, which delivers the requirements outlined in the National Curriculum 2014.

Our curriculum is designed to ensure that all pupils have the opportunities to succeed and develop their knowledge and skills across a range of different subjects. Pupils are inspired through a topic-led approach to teaching and learning whereby skills and knowledge developed in different subjects can be applied across the whole of the curriculum to further enhance pupils' experiences and to enable them to build upon their existing knowledge.

Curriculum Enhancements:

In addition to the programme of study identified here, a range of different approaches is taken to instil a love of learning in our pupils. These include:

- Welcoming visitors to lead inspiring workshops with pupils relating to aspects of the school curriculum. These include visits to school by external providers as well as local faith and community leaders who lead engaging assemblies.
- Nether Alderley 'Clubs' run for two afternoons each half term. Here, pupils are allocated small, mixed-age groups led by adult volunteers and specialist coaches to engage in a wide variety of extra-curricular sessions. These include: gardening, sewing, bushcraft, art, origami, baking, food preparation, eco-textiles, dance and nature clubs.
- Visits: Curriculum-related school visits enhance pupils' work across the curriculum by providing experiences beyond those available within the usualschool environment.
- Themed weeks are organised, providing children the opportunity to work collaboratively and develop their understanding of a range of different topics. Examples include: Aspirations Week. Visual Literacy Week, Arts Week (annual collaboration with partnership schools), British Values Week and Science Week
- Extra curricular clubs are offered to pupils of all ages. Some clubs are led by external agencies for a small fee. These include: PFC, Mad Science, French Club and Drama Club. In addition, school staff lend their expertise by offering pupils clubs such as coding, netball, rounders, cricket, basketball, football, table tennis, rugby, badminton, digital leaders and crafts. Sporting fixtures, festivals and tournaments offer pupils of all ages the opportunity to represent the school in across a range of disciplines.

Class 2 Programme of Study: Year 1 & Year 2

Year A 2021-22

	Autumn Term 1	Autumn Term 2	Spring Term 1	Spring Term 2	Summer Term 1	Summer Term 2
Topic	Once upon a time …		What a wonderful world!	The Victorians	All at sea!	
Visits and visitors	Staircase House Stockport		Christmas Theatre Trip	Creative Builders Lego workshop	Formby Beach	
Texts	Traditional tales Jack & the Baked Beanstalk by Colin Stimpson The Pea and the Princess by Mini Grey	Bog Baby by Jeanne Willis There's a Lion in my Cornflakes by Michelle Robinson Winter's Child by Angela McAllister	The Papaya that Spoke (T4W) Where the Wild Things Are by Maurice Sendak	The Tear Thief by Carol Ann Duffy Pumpkin Soup by Helen Cooper	Pirate Girl by Cornelia Funke Ocean Meets Sky by the Fan Brothers	The Snail and the Whale Tiddler by Julia Donaldson
English	**Narrative:** traditional tales poetry **Non-fiction:** recount, diary entry, instructions		**Narrative:** stories, character description, poetry **Non-fiction:** recount, diary entry		**Narrative:** stories, character description, poetry **Non-fiction**: recount, diary entry, information texts Y2: Test preparation and assessment	
Maths	Number and place value Addition and subtraction	addition and subtraction multiplication and division number and place value	addition and subtraction number and place value measurement: length and height statistics (Y2) money (Y2)	Fractions Geometry: shape	Geometry: Position and direction Measurement: time Measurement: weight and volume number; place value within 100 (Y1) End of KS1 preparation and assessment (Y2)	Mass, capacity and temperature problem solving review four operations (addition, subtraction, multiplication and division)

Science	Working scientifically Y1 Everyday materials Y2 Uses of materials		Working scientifically Seasonal changes Y1+Y2 plants		Working scientifically Living things and their habitats (marine) Animals including humans (marine) Materials: floating & sinking; magnetism	
History	Changes within living memory: homes Famous people: Queen Elizabeth II Changes beyond living memory: Castles Famous people: Sarah Forbes Bonetta		What was it like to live in the Victorian Era?	Famous people: Charles Darwin	Famous people: Grace Darling Changes within living memory: the seaside holiday	
Geography	Where would the Queen like to visit? Where is the best place to build a castle? Name and locate 4 capital cities of UK Use maps to identify countries of UK		What would an explorer find in Macclesfield?	Explore where in world some foods come from Create simple plans and maps using symbol Review names of continents	Name and locate the continents and oceans Compass directions How are the UK's beaches changing Coastal study of Formby beach	
Art & Design	Painting - self-portraits *e.g. as a royal* Printing patterns inspired by Paul Klee work *The castle and the Sun*		Painting/collage: flowers, fruit, seeds in style of Georgia O'Keeffe Collage in style of Arcimboldo		Watercolour painting/collage e.g. inspired by Turner Sculpture e.g. saltdough doubloons	
Design and Technology	Food e.g. porridge, gingerbread people	Freestanding structures	Preparing fruit and vegetables Make mother's day cards		Design and make a model boat	
Computing	Online safety maze explorers	questioning	animated storybooks	making music	Pictograms	Presenting ideas
Music	Dynamics, timbre, pitch - song and pitched/unpitched percussion instruments. Listen and Sing: Copy simple rhythms, explore impact of changing tempo		Moving to the beat. Clapping/playing more complex rhythms Listen and Sing: Notation: simple pictoral score for a class composition		Listen to and play pitched percussion instruments Listen and Sing Recap difference between pitched/unpitched instruments	
PE	Gymnastics	Dance	Gymnastics	Dance	Games	
RE	Christianity: What does the Bible say God is like?	Christianity: Harvest Christmas	Christianity: Ways of welcoming babies	Christianity: customs & church at Easter belonging	Special stories from the Bible	Judaism What do Jews believe about God and creation?
MFL	Salut! Greetings	Christmas	Rainforest adventure Bonjour Milo story	Weather and seasons Easter	Under the Sea (Bonjour Milo story)	Bastille Day and Le Tour de France
British Values	Democracy: NAPS school council		The rule of law: School rules and values		Respect and tolerance: Respecting the beliefs of others (linked to RE)	

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Year B 2020-21

Topic	On the move!		Far, far away		The Ugly Bug Ball	The Great Fire of London
Visits and visitors	Airport viewing park		Arts Week visitors Potteries Museum		Animals In-tuition Macclesfield Forest	
Texts	Emma Jane's aero plane (K Haworth) Here We Are (Oliver Jeffers) The river (M Martin)	Ask An Astronaut (Tim Peake) The Way Back Home (Oliver Jeffers) The Polar Bear and the Snow Cloud	The magic paintbrush (J Donaldson) Lin Yi's lantern (B Williams)	Tell me a dragon (J Morris) The bear and the piano (D Litchfield)	The bad-tempered ladybird (E Carle) The Night Gardener (E & T Fan)	The Day the Crayons Quit by Drew Daywalt and Oliver Jeffers Toby and the Great Fire of London by Margaret Nash and Jane Cope
English	**Narrative:** stories, **Non-fiction:** biography of Tim Peake, newspaper of the moon landings, information texts		**Narrative:** stories, character description, poetry **Non-fiction:** Instructions, recount, diary entries		**Narrative:** stories, character description, setting description **Non-fiction:** recount, diary entries Y2: Test preparation and assessment	
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Science	Working scientifically Seasonal changes Y1 Everyday materials		Working scientifically Seasonal changes Animals including humans – humans body, healthy		Living things and their habitats (minibeasts) Animals including humans (minibeasts) Plants	

	Y2 Uses of materials		lifestyles			
History	Changes in transport Famous people: Neil Armstrong/Tim Peake Famous people: Guy Fawkes Famous people: Floella Benjamin		Old and new in China Famous people: Marco Polo		The Great Fire of London	
Geography	Use fieldwork/observational skills to study the immediate environment		Comparing weather patterns across the 4 seasons; Hot and cold regions of the world Comparing our locality to parts of China		Use aerial images and other models to create simple plans and maps, using symbols	
Art & Design	Painting Printing repeated patterns inspired by Warhol		Sculpture: e.g. dragons Painting/collage: cityscapes, Chinese artefacts		Collage: Eric Carle-style minibeasts and plants Natural materials: work inspired by Andy Goldsworthy	
Design and Technology	Wheels and Axels Design and make a model vehicle *e.g. wheeled vehicle with axles; air-propulsion rocket*		Food: Chinese food Healthy choices	Sliders and levers Make a Chinese New Year card	Templates and joining Sewing: make a minibeast puppet	
Computing	Online safety Effective searching	Coding	Using technology outside of school	creating pictures	spreadsheets	Lego builders
Music	Dynamics, timbre, pitch - song and pitched/unpitched percussion instruments. Listen and Sing Copy simple rhythms, explore impact of changing tempo		Moving to the beat. Clapping/playing more complex rhythms Listen and Sing Notation: simple pictoral score for a class composition		Listen to and play pitched percussion instruments Listen and Sing Recap difference between pitched/unpitched instruments	
PE	Gymnastics	Dance	Gymnastics	Dance	Games	
RE	Christianity: creation; harvest	Christianity: Christmas & giving gifts	Christianity: baptism; the life of Jesus	Christianity: creation; harvest	Christianity: church as a place of worship	Islam: introduction
MFL	Bonjour! Greetings, numbers and classroom vocab	Christmas	describing animals	parts of the body Easter in France	sports and hobbies Bonjour Milo story	Exploring France
British Values	Democracy: NAPS School Council		The law of the land: How laws help us to live safely		Respect and tolerance: Respecting others' beliefs – linked to RE	