



A Bespoke Curriculum to make Learning Irresistible.

## OUR CURRICULUM DRIVERS 2016 – 2017

<b>Driver</b>	<b>Reason</b>
<b>Aspiration</b>	Some of our pupils lack: <b>Aspiration    Ambition    The desire to challenge themselves    Pride in their work</b>
<b>Global Identity</b>	Some of our pupils lack: <b>An awareness of the diversity in their community, the UK and the wider World    Pride in their Heritage</b>
<b>Social Skills</b>	Some of our pupils lack: <b>Manners and courtesy    Experience in a variety of social contexts    Social confidence</b>



## Meaningful and Engaging Themes

- Creative Themes
- Awesome Art
- Brilliant Books
- Perfect Poetry
- The Dangerous Curriculum
- Whole School Show
- Special Events

## Mastering Key Skills

- Problem Solving
- Mathematics
- Writing
- Reading
- Computing
- Social Skills

## Foundations for Learning

- Secrets of Success
- Forest Schools
- The *Thrive Approach*
- Commando Joe*
- Speaking and Listening Skills
- Speech and Language Development

## The Heart of Our Curriculum

- Learning to Learn
- Happy, Safe and Healthy
- Developing Character and Social Skills
- Developing Compassion and Empathy

CURRICULUM THEME OVERVIEW YEAR A	
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Continuous Provision: Time, French, Maps and Places, E – Safety








Autumn	Learning to Learn	Creative Theme  *International Talk Like a Pirate Day (19 <sup>th</sup> September)	Brilliant Book Week	Half Term	Awesome Art Week	Creative Theme  *Origami Day (11 <sup>th</sup> November)	Perfect Poetry Week	
	Longitudinal Learning: Commando Joe, Cooking, Music, Forest Schools: Living things and their habitats, Seasonal changes							
Spring	Health and Well Being	Creative Theme  *Safer internet Day (7 <sup>th</sup> February) *Big Bird Watch (3 <sup>rd</sup> January – 17 <sup>th</sup> February) *Chinese New Year (28 <sup>th</sup> January)	Brilliant Book Week	Half Term	Awesome Art Week	Creative Theme  *Women In School Day *World Book Day (2 <sup>nd</sup> March)	Perfect Poetry Week	
	Longitudinal Learning: Commando Joe, Cooking, Music Forest Schools: plants, Seasonal changes							
Summer	Learning to Learn	Creative Theme  *STAR WARS day (4 <sup>th</sup> May)	Brilliant Book	Half Term	Awesome Art Week	Enterprise and Financial Awareness Week	Creative Theme  *Men in School Day *International Dough Disco Day (9 <sup>th</sup> June) *Sports Week	Perfect Poetry Week
	Longitudinal Learning: Commando Joe, Cooking, Music Forest Schools: Animals including Humans, Rocks, Seasonal changes							

CURRICULUM THEME OVERVIEW YEAR B	
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Autumn	Learning to Learn	Creative Theme  *Black History Month	Brilliant Book Week	Half Term	Awesome Art Week	Creative Theme  *World Book Day Origami Day	Perfect Poetry Week	
	Longitudinal Learning: Commando Joe, Cooking, Music Forest Schools: Living things and their habitats, Seasonal changes							
Spring	Health and Well Being	Creative Theme  *Young Voices *Safer internet Day	Brilliant Book Week	Half Term	Awesome Art Week	Creative Theme  *World Book Day *Women In School Day	Perfect Poetry Week	
	Longitudinal Learning: Commando Joe, Cooking, Music Forest Schools: plants, Seasonal changes							
Summer	Learning to Learn	Creative Theme  *STAR WARS day	Brilliant Book	Half Term	Awesome Art Week	Enterprise and Financial Awareness Week	Creative Theme  *Men in School Day *Sports Week	Perfect Poetry Week
	Longitudinal Learning: Commando Joe, Cooking, Music Forest Schools: Animals including Humans, Rocks, Seasonal changes							







## Years 5 & 6

Year A (16 – 17, 18-19)						
	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
5/6	<b>Beliefs</b>  (History)	<b>Shake Things Up</b> and other structures challenges.  (Design and Technology)	<b>Conflict</b>  (History)	<b>Year 5</b> <b>Rich and Poor</b>  (History) <b>Year 6</b> <b>Learning Toolbox</b> Mastering Basic Skills	<b>Land of the Free</b>  (Geography)	<b>School Show</b> <b>Legendary London</b>  (Cross Curricular)
Science	Evolution and Inheritance	Earth and Space	Living things and their Habitats	Animals including Humans	Light	
Computing	We are APP Planners	We are project managers	We are market researchers	We are interface designers	We are app developers	We are marketeers
ip/Hook	Places of Worship	Essex Outdoors Residential	Tilbury Fort & Coal House Fort Military Services Museum/Stow Maries	Globe Theatre and Golden Hinde	Link with American School	Tower of London Sight Seeing Visit
ow Press Play	Ancient Egypt Fractions	Mental Maths Mission to Mars	Habitats Plants Ancient Greece WW2	Decimals 1 SPAG (6) Victorian Britain (5)	SATs Maths SAT's Reading Decimals 2	Transition
COJO	Tim Peake 'Blast off'		Spartacus 'Romans Revolt'		Ranulph Fiennes 'Transglobe Adventure'	
Year B (17-18, 19-20)						
	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
5/6	<b>Expedition Ironbridge</b>  (Cross Curricular)	<b>Balloon Blaster</b> and other Mechanisms Challenges  (Design and Technology)	<b>Earthquakes, Zones and Volcanoes</b>  (Geography)	<b>Year 5</b> <b>Rich and Poor</b>  (History) <b>Year 6</b> <b>Learning Toolbox</b> Mastering Basic Skills	<b>Achievements and Legacies</b>  (History)	<b>School Show</b> <b>Global Citizens</b>  (Cross Curricular)
Science	Forces	Electricity	Properties & Changes of Materials	Living things and their habitats	Animals Including Humans	
Computing	We are bloggers	We are game developers	We are cryptographers	We are artists	We are web developers	We are architects
ip/Hook	Ironbridge Residential		Link with Italian School	Globe Theatre and Golden Hinde	Olympic Park	
ow Press Play	Transatlantic Slavery Fractions	Mental Maths Bullying	Roman Britain Natural Disasters	Decimals 1 SPAG (6) Victorian Britain (5)	SATs Maths SAT's Reading Decimals 2	Climate Change Transition
COJO	Nancy Wake 'The White Mouse'		Amelia Earhart 'Final Flight'		Ibn Battuta 'Eastern Odyssey'	









## Years 3 & 4

### Year A (16 – 17, 18-19)







	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
3/4	<b>The Arts</b>  (History)	<b>Art Bot and other Electronics Challenges</b>  (Design and Technology)	<b>The Academy of Danger</b>  Cross Curricular	<b>Transport and Trade</b>  (History)	<b>Land of Hope and Glory</b>  (Geography)	<b>School Show Legendary London</b>  (Cross Curricular)
Science	Light	Electricity	Plants		Rocks	
Computing	We are presenters		We are opinion pollsters			
ip/Hook	Gallery Visit	Science Museum	Team Building Trip	National Maritime Museum Epping Ongar Railway Chelmsford Museum	Countryside and Coastline- Maldon	Sight Seeing Visit
ow Press Play		Electricity Mental Maths		The Maya	SATs Maths	
COJO	Ed Stafford 'Walking the Amazon'		Ernest Shackleton 'Endurance'		Nellie Bly 'Around the World in 72 Days'	

### Year B (17-18, 19-20)







	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
3/4	<b>Buildings</b>  (History)	<b>Make a Banana Keyboard and other control challenges</b>  (Design and Technology)	<b>Language</b>  (History)	<b>Human Machine</b>  (Science)	<b>Eurovision</b>  (Geography)	<b>School Show Global Citizens</b>  (Cross Curricular)
Science	States of Matter	Forces and Magnets	Sound	Animals Including Humans		
Computing	Cressing Temple Barns Layer Marney Tower		Braintree Museum	We are co authors		
ip/Hook	Stansted Mountfitchet Castle		The British Museum	Natural History Museum	Visit to France	
ow Press Play	Water Cycle	Mental Maths Forces		Dinosaurs	SATs Maths	
COJO	Bear Grylls 'Survival'		Kira Salal 'Gorilla in the Mist'		Leif Erikson 'Voyage of Discovery'	

## Years 1 & 2

### Year A (16 – 17, 18-19)




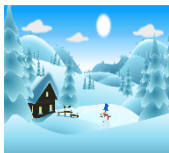




	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
1/2	Julia Donaldson  (cross curricular)	Great and Ghastly Events (History) 	Lift the Teacher and other marvellous mechanisms  (Design and Technology)	Amazing Places and Spaces in the UK  (Geography)	Post a Pringle and other Megastructures  (Design and Technology)	School Show Legendary London  (Cross Curricular)
Science	Living things and their Habitats Animals Including Humans	Plants	Seasonal Changes Everyday Materials	Seasonal Changes	Uses of everyday materials	Seasonal Changes
Computing	We are treasure hunters	We are researchers			We are TV chefs	
Tip/Hook	Thorndon Park Visit		Museum of Power	Legoland		Sight Seeing Visit
Low Press Play	Number Bonds	Great Fire of London Florence Nightingale	Full Stops and Capital Letters	Seasons		

### Year B (17-18, 19-20)

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
1/2	Extreme Weather  (Geography)	Let's Remember  (History)	From Field to Fork  (Design and Technology)	Cracking Ideas  (History)	Australian Adventure  (Geography)	School Show Global Citizens  (cross curricular)
Science	Seasonal Changes	Plants	Seasonal Changes	Uses of everyday materials	Living things and their Habitats Animals Including Humans	Seasonal Changes
Computing	We are researchers	We are celebrating		We are games testers	We are zoologists	We are photographers
Tip/Hook		War Memorial	Jimmy's Farm Barleylands		Tropical Wings Zoo Visit	
Low Press Play	Number Bonds	humans	Full Stops and Capital Letters	superheroes		



# EYFS

EYFS								
	Theme 1	Theme 2	Theme 3	Theme 4	Theme 5	Theme 6	Theme 7	Theme 8
Year R	 <p>Super Learners</p>	 <p>Twist my Tales</p>	 <p>The most wonderful time of the year</p>	 <p>It's cold outside</p>	 <p>Dinosaurs</p>	 <p>Pirates</p>	 <p>Cowboys</p>	 <p>Fairy Forest</p>
Texts	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Super daisy</li> <li>• Super worm</li> <li>• Supertato</li> <li>• Elliot the midnight superhero</li> <li>• Superkid</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Brush your teeth</li> <li>• Cinderella</li> <li>• Blow your nose</li> <li>• you big bad wolf</li> <li>• Rapunzel and her golden locks</li> <li>• Billy goats</li> <li>• Rumpelstiltskin</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Mischievous gnome</li> <li>• Fred Rudolph's brother</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Emperors penguin</li> <li>• Lost and found</li> <li>• The polar bear boy</li> <li>• The polar bear that said boo</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Dinosaurs love underpants</li> <li>• Saturday night at the dinosaur stomp</li> <li>• Harry and the bucketful of dinosaurs</li> <li>• Katie and the dinosaurs</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Pirates love underpants</li> <li>• Night pirates</li> <li>• Tim Ted and the Pirates</li> <li>• The Trolls</li> <li>• What's more scary than a Shark?</li> <li>• Shark in the dark.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Cowboy Baby</li> <li>• Is it a Horse?</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Spoken Story Telling</li> </ul>
UTW	Similarities and differences in relation to places and the environment. Discuss their immediate family.	Similarities and differences between themselves and others.	Similarities and differences between themselves and other traditions.	Changes – ice	Children know about similarities and differences in relation to places, objects, materials and living things.	Exploring a range of materials.	Observations of animals and plants and explain why some things occur, and talk about change	
Computing	We have confidence.	We can count	We are Creative	We are game makers.	We are healthy.	We can understand instructions.	We are community members	We are community members
rip/Hook	The Village	Brentwood Library	Visit Santa	Park Visit	Train Ride	Canal Boat Trip Little Baddow	Barnards Farm Tee Pees	Audley End Railway
ow Press Play		Three Little Pigs		People who help us		Transport		

