

Langley Mill Church of England Infant School and Nursery – Year One Long Term Plan 2025-2026

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 3	Spring 4	Summer 5	Summer 6
Topic	Cool School	The Great fire of London	Hullabaloo Zoo	Outstanding Oceans	Castles and Crowns	Myths and Legends
Theme Headline	What was school like in the Victorian era? Would you prefer to go to school then or now?	Oh no! Help! Fire, Fire! There was a huge fire in London!	Have you heard the noise from the animals? That is how they communicate. I wonder what they are saying.	What might you find in the deep, dark Ocean.?	Have you ever wondered why a castle is on a hill and surrounded by water?	Have you heard the rumours of an outlaw living in Sherwood Forest?
Immersion	Victorian school day	Fire of London event	Animal Event	Sea Life centre	Castle and Crowns Day	Myths and legends
Additional Event(s)	Recycling Week WC 22.9.25 Autumn Equinox – 22.9.25 Democracy day-15.9.25	Bonfire Night 5.11.25 Remembrance Day 11.11.25 AB Week - WC 10.11.25 Odd Socks Day 10.11.24 inc. CIN 15.11.25 Winter Solstice 21.12.25	NSPCC Number Day - 7.2.26 Safer Internet Day - 10.2.26	Shrove Tuesday - 17.2.26 Ash Wednesday - 18.2.26 World Book Day - 5.3.26 British Science Week - 7-16 March 26 Mother's Day - 15.3.26 Spring Equinox - 20.3.26.	ACES Day - 6.5.26 IDAHOBIT - 17.5.26	Healthy Eating Week - WC 8.6.26 Father's Day - 21.6.26 Summer Solstice - 21.6.26
Parent Partnership	'Welcome to Y1' Workshop Parent consultations Harvest Festival	Christmas Concert	School trip to Sea Life Centre	Parent consultations Easter Concert		Written report
Reading Event(s)	Roald Dahl Day - 13.9.25 National Poetry Day - 2.10.25 National Libraries Week – WC 6.10.25	National Non-Fiction November (Bonfire Night, Remembrance, Winter, Christmas)	Winnie the Pooh Day - 18.1.26 Nat. Storytelling Week - WC 1.2.26 Int. Book Giving Day - 14.2.26	Tell a Fairy Tale Day - 26.2.26. World Book Day - 5.3.26 World Storytelling Day - 20.3.26 Int. Children's Book Day - 2.4.26	National Share a Story month – May 2025	Summer Reading Challenge
Key Stimulus Text	A letter to my teacher	The Great Fire of London	Hullaballoo Zoo	Somebody swallowed Stanley	How to catch a dragon	Myths and Legends Myths and Legends
Phonics	Little Wandle-phases 2,3 and 4 review	Little Wandle-Phase 5	Little Wandle -phase 5	Little Wandle phase 5	Phonics screening checks Little	Little Wandle-Phase 5
Writing Sequence		The six stages of writing	to use with each key text and writing genre	(plan time spent on each aspect a	ccording to genre)	
	WAGOLL (What A Good One Looks Like)	Features	Knowledge Vocabulary	Plan	Write	Review
	 What a good example looks like Share the purpose and audience for the writing. Drama and speaking and listening activities. Read a range of related texts 	 Look at the features of the text types / genre. Define the characteristics of the text. Prioritise the features that we need to learn 	 Focus on the different aspects of the text. Teach the grammar, punctuation and vocabulary unique to the text. Learn the sentence types and structure for the text 	 Use set success criteria to plan what the piece of writing should have. Use different strategies for planning. Use shared writing to model. Use story mapping for narrative pieces. 	 Demonstrate, shared writing and teacher modelling. Use planning and working wall. Write over several sessions 	 Give clear feedback linked to success criteria. Think about what would make it better for the audience. Does it match the purpose?
Writing Genre 1	Character Description Description of ourselves	Recipes Recipe for making Bread	Narrative Innovate 'We're Going on a Lion Hunt'	Descriptive writing Write a description of an Ocean	Instructions How to catch a dragon Advert of a dragon	Narrative Innovate 'Robin Hood' ROBIN HOOD
Key Text(s)	A letter from your teacher on the first day of school – Shannon Olsen	Fiction recipe books	We're Going on a Lion Hunt – David Axtell	Outstanding Oceans	How to catch a dragon	Robin Hood
Purpose	To create a good character Description	To ensure something is done effectively and/or correctly with a successful outcome for the participants	To tell a story that entertains the reader	To create a good zoo description with descriptive language	 To ensure something is done effectively and/or correctly with a successful outcome for the participants 	To tell a story that entertains the reader

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Structure Past time.	Purpose .	their Victorian day at school.			To provide an account of events		
Mathematics Place value within 10 Place value within 20 Place value va	•	Use a greeting. First person Include specific names for people, places and things. Coordinating and subordinating conjunctions (linking words)	 Paste tense. Retell important events. Include date and 'Dear Diary'. Adjectives to describe thoughts and feelings. Coordinating and subordinating conjunctions (linking 	 Use a greeting. First person Include specific names for people, places and things. Coordinating and subordinating conjunctions (linking words) 	 Clear beginning, middle, end Chronological sequence of events Temporal conjunctions (time words) Coordinating and subordinating conjunctions (linking words) Detail to engage. 	 Range of sentence types (statement, exclamation) Past or present tense Third person Logical structure Headings / subheadings Includes facts. Subject specific language 	 Use a greeting. First person Include specific names for people, places and things. Coordinating and subordinating conjunctions (linking words)
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	Observe and describe weather associated with the seasons and how day length varies		Observe changes across the four seasons. Observe and describe weather associated with the seasons and how day length varies		Observe and describe weather associated with the seasons and how day length varies		
Science sticky knowledge	What are the changes associated with the Season Autumn? What is the difference between an object and a material?	How can we group different materials? How can we test the properties of different materials?	What is a carnivore, herbivores and omnivore? Can you give one key feature of a variety of common animals.	Can you name a fish, an amphibian, a reptile, a bird and a mammal?	What are the common features of a flowering plant? How can I identify different plants?	What I know about the summer solstice. What is the difference between a deciduous and evergreen tree?	
RE*	AS 1.7 – What does it mean to belong to a faith community?	UC 1.1. – What do Christians believe God looks like?	AS 1.3 – Who is Jewish and what do they believe?	UC 1.5: Why does Easter matter to Christians?	UC 1.2 – Who made the world? (Christians)	UC 1.8 – How should we care for others and the world, and why does it matter? (Christians, Muslims, Non-Religious)	
Christian Celebration	Harvest	Christmas	Epiphany	Lent and Easter	Ascension	Trinity	
Other Religious Celebrations	Sukkot (Judaism)	Diwali (Hinduism)	World Religion Day	Vaisakhi (Sikhism)	Vesak (Buddhism)	Al-Hijra (Islam)	
Computing	Teach Computing 1.1 Technology around us	Teach Computing 1.2 Digital painting	Teach Computing 1.4 Grouping data	Teach Computing 1.6 Programming animations	Teach Computing-1.5 Digital writing1	Teach Computing 1.2 Moving a robot	
	Look at the different technology used around school. Revisit basic skills and online safety.	Alongside Fire of London art paintings in A&D, choose appropriate tools in a program to create art. Make comparisons between working digitally and non-digitally	Link to Science, grouping animals – carnivores, herbivores, omnivores, mammals, reptiles, etc.	Design and programme the movement of a character on screen to tell stories (link to story	Write and send an email. (Write an email to the King)	Move Beblots around a map of the school and its grounds.	
Art & Design	Drawing: Look at the artist Stephen Wiltshire (accurate impressions of cities, skylines and street scenes). Use drawing skills to create sketches of our school	Collage: Create a large-scale class collage of the Great Fire of London and grounds using different techniques such as tearing, scrunching, etc	Printing: Look at the work of Pierre Maxo, jungle painter. Print backgrounds using leaves, fruit, flowers, etc. Use drawing skills from autumn term to add a zoo animal	Painting: Study the Seaside art of contemporary Cornish artist John Dyer. Recreate the techniques used .	3D /Sculpture: Make a dragon eye from clay.	Textiles: Design and make a mythical character as a puppet.	
Design and Technology	Cooking and nutrition: Making bread			Mechanisms: Design, make and evaluate an ocean moving picture.		Construction and materials: Create 3D castles and evaluate from junk modelling materials.	

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Geography	Geographical skills and fieldwork: Use world maps, atlases and globes to identify the UK and its countries, as well as the countries, continents and oceans studied at this key stage. Use simple compass directions (N, S, E, W) and locational and directional language (e.g. near and far; left and right) to describe the location of features and routes on a map. Use aerial photographs and plan perspectives to recognise landmarks and basic human and physical features; devise a simple map; and use and construct basic symbols in a key.						
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	seasons and weather	efer to key physical features, including (autumn and winter)	•		and key human features includingIdentify seasonal and daily weathe	hill, mountain, sea, ocean, river, valley port, harbour. r patterns in the UK (summer)	
Geography Sticky Knowledge	Where is our school in the local environment?	Where is London located? Where did the Great Fire of London start?	What animas will you find in a hot place? What animals will you find in a cold place?	Can you name the 5 Oceans in the World? Can you locate the 5 Oceans in the World? How much water covers the Earth?	Why did they build castles on a hill? Where are castles located?	Which mountain was the home of the Greek gods?	
History	Historical skills and knowledge: Develop an awareness of the past using common words and phrases relating Know where the people and events they study fit in within a chronological from Use a wide vocabulary of everyday historical terms. Ask and answer questions, choosing and using parts of stories and other sou Understand some of the ways in which we find out about the past and ident Changes within living memory to reveal aspects of change in national life. Significant historical events, people and places in their locality Local history during collective worship sessions History of school - simple timeline (aerial photographs) History of playground games/toys (what do we play with in school / after school – how does this compare to the past?) Events beyond living memory that are significant nationally or globally Lives of significant individuals in the past who have contributed to national and international achievements.		amework and identify similarities and differences between ways of life in different rces to show that they know and understand key features of events.		Lives of significant individuals in the past who have contributed to national and international achievements. King Arthur and the Knights of the Round table • King Charles The Third		
History Sticky Knowledge	How are modern toys different now compared to toys in the past? What was school like in the Victorian era compared to now?	I can order the events of The Great Fire of London on a Timeline. What changes were made after the fire?	Can you name Jane Goodall's significant achievements?	What is the history of Greenpeace?	Who lived in a castle? Who is King Charles the Third? Who is King Arthur?	What are myths and Legends? Which legendary outlaw used to live in England's Sherwood Forest?	
Music	Charanga: Hey you	Charanga: Rhythm in the way we walk and Banana Rap	Charanga: In the Groove.	Charanga: Round and Round	Charanga: Your Imagination	Charanga: Reflect, Rewind and Replay	
PE	DTF Gymnastics	Dance: Time to Move – Playground Games & A Victorian Christmas	DTF Gymnastics (recap & use VAL Sabin to enhance)	Dance: BBC Let's Move – Life in the Rainforest and Greedy Zebra	Gymnastics - VAL Sabin	Dance: Let's Move – Knights, Castles and Dragons & Time to Move – The King's New Clothes	

	DTF PE: Striking and Fielding	DTF PE: Invasion Games	DTF PE: HRF Dodgeball	DTF PE: Net Games	DTF PE: Fundamental Football	DTF PE: Athletics	
AVSSP Competitions	Sport shall Athletics	Handball	Dodgeball	Gymnastics	Football		
PSHE / RSE*	Bucket Filling PSHE Matters: Exploring Emotions	Bucket Filling PSHE Matters: Bullying Matters	Bucket Filling PSHE Matters: Being Responsible	Bucket Filling PSHE Matters: Relationships	Bucket Filling PSHE Matters: Difference and Diversity	Bucket Filling PSHE Matters: Being Healthy	
SMSC	Black History Month	Children in need Antibullying week	Children's mental health week	Inspirational Woman's Day	Earth Day	World Environment Day	
British Values	Rule of Law	Democracy	Tolerance	Mutual Respect	Individual Liberty	Revisit and reinforce all values	
NOTE: Red = discrete programmes & units of work / RE* Red is Statutory (AS) / Blue is complementary (UC)							

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