



CURRICULUM OVERVIEW 2021-2022

Beechwood CE Primary School



Outstanding
pupil experience

Excellence
in education

Impactful
teaching

Effective
partnerships

Year 1	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Science	Seasonal Changes – Throughout the year, pupils will explore changes in the seasons as they occur through carefully planned activities.					
	Everyday Materials		Structure of Plants		Humans and Grouping	
Geography	My School		My Locality and Birmingham		The United Kingdom	
History		Transport – Then and Now		My School – Then and Now		The Great Fire of London
Computing	E-safety	Digital Fluency	Programming Physical Devices	Data Processing	Multimedia	
Art and Design	Self Portrait - Drawing		Colour Wheel - Painting			Seasonal Tiling - Sculpture
Design Technology		Wheels and Axles			Food Preparation - Cold Meals	
PSHE	Being Me in My World	Celebrating Differences	Dreams and Goals	Healthy Me	Relationships	Changing Me
Music	Hey You!	In the Groove	Round and Round	Reflect, Rewind and Play		
Physical Education	Gymnastics	Dance	Games		Athletics	
Religious Education	Christianity	Christianity	Christianity	Christianity	Judaism	Judaism

Year 2	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Science	Use of Everyday Materials	Plant Growth		Humans and Animals	Living Things and Their Habitats	
Geography	Our School		My Locality		The UK	
History		Transport		My School and Locality		The Great Fire of London
Computing	Eafety	Digital Fluency	Programming	Networking	Data Handling	Multimedia
Art and Design	Still Life – Shading – drawing		Skylines – shading – paint		Collage Representations	
Design Technology		Textiles – Stitching (running stitch)		Levers and Dials		
PSHE	Being Me in My World	Celebrating Differences	Dreams and Goals	Healthy Me	Relationships	Changing Me
Music	Hands, Feet, Heart	I Wanna Play in a Band		Zootime	Friendship Song	
Physical Education	Gymnastics	Dance		Games	Athletics	
Religious Education	Christianity	Christianity	Judaism	Islam	Christianity	Judaism

Year 3	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Science	Forces – Contact and Non-Contact	Rocks and Soils	Structure of Plants	Light and Shadows	Skeleton and Muscles	
Geography	Settlements		Mapping of Europe		Coasts	
History		Stone Age		Romans		Anglo-Saxons
Computing	E-safety	Digital Fluency	Programming	Networking	Data Handling	Multimedia
Art and Design	Impressionism		3D modelling			
Design Technology				Food Preparation – Hot Cuisine		Pulleys
PSHE	Being Me in My World	Celebrating Differences	Dreams and Goals	Healthy Me	Relationships	Changing Me
Music	Let Your Spirit Fly	Glockenspiel	Three little birds	Bring us together		
Languages	Phonics 1 Alphabet, Vowels, ch, ou,on and ai	I’m Learning French	The vegetables	Musical Instruments	Little Red Riding Hood	
Physical Education	Swimming					
	Gymnastics	Dance	Games	Athletics	Outdoor Adventurous Activity	
Religious Education	Hinduism/Sikhism	Christianity	Christianity	Christianity	Christianity	Hinduism/Sikhism

Year 4	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Science	States of Matter	Forces – Non Contact, Electricity	Sound and States of Matter	Changes in Habitats and Interdependence	The Digestive System	
Geography	Rivers		Water Cycle		Comparative Study - Berlin	
History		Anglo-Saxons and Vikings		Tudors		Civil War – Battle of Birmingham
Computing	E-Safety	Digital Fluency	Programming	Networking	Data Processing	Multimedia
Art and Design		Fashion design and printing			Architecture and Architects – perspective	
Design Technology	Textiles – Blanket (materials, stitching (ladder stitch and insulation))			3D Game		
PSHE	Being Me in My World	Celebrating Differences	Dreams and Goals	Healthy Me	Relationships	Changing Me
Music	Momma Mia		Glockenspiel	Stop		Reflect, Rewind, Replay
Languages	Phonics 2 Accents, I, ique, in and ille	Presenting Myself		The Family	My Home	At the Café
Physical Education	Gymnastics	Dance		Games	Athletics	Outdoor Adventurous Activity
Religious Education	Judaism	Christianity	Judaism	Christianity	Judaism	Christianity

Year 5	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Science	Forces – Contact and Non-contact	The Solar System	Life Cycles and Reproduction	Growth and Changes in Humans	Reversible and Irreversible Changes	
Geography	World Mapping		Earthquakes and Volcanoes			Biomes
History		Victorians – Industrial Revolution		Battle of Britain	Democracy	
Computing	E-safety	Digital Fluency	Programming	Networking	Data Handling	Multimedia
Art and Design	Pointillism			Jewellery – materials design		
Design Technology		Electrical Circuits and Construction			Gears and Pulley – teaching tools	
PSHE	Being Me in My World	Celebrating Differences	Dreams and Goals	Healthy Me	Relationships	Changing Me
Music	Living on a Prayer	Classroom Jazz	Fresh Prince of Belair	Dancing in the street		
Languages	Phonics 4 é, è, e, eux and eau	The Weather	Do you have a pet?	What is the date?	Clothes	
Physical Education	Gymnastics	Dance	Games	Athletics	Outdoor Adventurous Activity	
Religious Education	Sikhism/Hinduism	Christianity	Sikhism/Hinduism	Christianity	Sikhism/Hinduism	Christianity

Year 6	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Science	Light	Electricity	Circulatory System	Classification	Evolution and Inheritance	
Geography	Mountains		Comparative Study – Rio De Janeiro		An In-depth Study – The United Kingdom	
History		Ancient Greeks		Ancient Egyptians		Ancient Mayans
Computing	E-safety	Digital Fluency	Programming	Networking	Data handling	Multimedia
Art and Design	Self Portrait			Wire Sculpture		
Design Technology		Lego Programming			Summer BBQ – Preparation of cold and hot meal elements.	
PSHE	Being Me in My World	Celebrating Differences	Dreams and Goals	Healthy Me	Relationships	Changing Me
Music	Happy	A New Year Carol	You've Got a Friend	Music and Me		
Languages	Phonics 4 Qu, gne, c, en and an	At School	The Weekend	Me in the World	Healthy lifestyles	
Physical Education	Gymnastics	Dance	Games	Athletics	Outdoor Adventurous Activity	
Religious Education	Islam	Christianity	Christianity	Christianity	Islam	Islam