Year 2 Autumn Term 1 2026

Week	English	Maths	Science	History	Geography	Art	DT	RE	Computing	Music	RSHE	PE
1 02.09.2026	<u>Writing</u> Letter formation	<u>Place Value</u>			Identify where the UK is in the world		Wind-powered car (Technical knowledge)		Understand how the internet, the World Wide Web and a browser work together.	African Music – recognising tempo changes	Feelings and feeling safe	<u>Outdoor</u> See PE Medium Term Plans <u>Indoor</u> Commando Joes Values Teaching
2 07.09.2026	<u>Writing</u> Retell – Whatever Next!	<u>Place Value</u>	<u>Animals, including Humans</u> Notice that animals, including humans, have offspring which grow into adults	Elizabeth I and the Spanish Armada		Explore how different lines can show texture and surface detail		Harvest Festival			Feeling unsafe and early warning signs	<u>Outdoor</u> See PE Medium Term Plans <u>Indoor</u> Commando Joes Values Teaching
3 14.09.2026	<u>Writing</u> Retell – Pumpkin Soup	<u>Place Value</u>	<u>Animals, including Humans</u> Create and explain life cycles of different animals. - chicken, butterfly, frogs, dogs, humans, birds, snakes		Use maps to locate UK countries, cities and surrounding seas		Wind-powered car (Finger Fluency)		Understand the different types of hardware used to access the internet and their functions.	African Music – describing tempo	Body awareness and secrets	<u>Outdoor</u> See PE Medium Term Plans <u>Indoor</u> Commando Joes Values Teaching
4 21.09.2026	<u>Writing</u> Retell – Welcome Home Bear	<u>Place Value</u>	<u>Animals, including Humans</u> Identify and describe basic needs of animals for survival. (Water, food and air).	Schools Past and Present		Draw different leaf and flower shapes		How and why do some people show thanks?			Support networks and telling	<u>Outdoor</u> See PE Medium Term Plans <u>Indoor</u> Commando Joes Values Teaching
5 28.09.2026	<u>Writing</u> Character Description – Lighthouse Keeper's Lunch	<u>Addition and Subtraction</u>	<u>Plants</u> Explore the life cycle of a plant - Germination, Growth, Flowering Plant, Reproduction		Understand what our local area is like		Wind-powered car (Design inspiration)		Understand the difference between a website and a webpage and use a school website to find information.	African Music – describe dynamics	Road safety – responsibilities	<u>Outdoor</u> See PE Medium Term Plans <u>Indoor</u> Commando Joes Values Teaching

6 05.10.2026	<u>Writing</u> Retell – Somebody Crunched Colin	<u>Addition and Subtraction</u>	<u>Plants</u> Identify what a bulb or seed needs to germinate	Who was Florence Nightingale and why was she important?		Drawing from observation - plant		Why is harvest an important time for giving thanks?			Personal safety – Clever, never goes	<u>Outdoor</u> See PE Medium Term Plans <u>Indoor</u> Commando Joes Values Teaching
7 12.10.2026	<u>Writing</u> Recount – Vlad the diary of a flea	<u>Addition and Subtraction</u>	<u>Plants</u> Grow our own plants from bulbs and seeds		Identify how our local area has changed		Wind powered car (Make)		Understand the difference between a browser and a search engine, and to practise searching for information safely.	African Music – begin to group beats	How does moving my body make me feel?	<u>Outdoor</u> See PE Medium Term Plans <u>Indoor</u> Commando Joes Values Teaching
8 19.10.2026	<u>Writing</u> Retell - Tidy	<u>Addition and Subtraction</u>	<u>Living Things and their Habitats</u> Explore the life processes of all living things	Who was Mary Seacole and why was she important?		Explore mixing colours to create different tones and shades		Why do some people thank God?			Why is sleep important?	<u>Outdoor</u> See PE Medium Term Plans <u>Indoor</u> Commando Joes Values Teaching