Year 1 What makes my world wonderful?

Week	1 wc 08.09.25	2 wc 15.09.25	3 wc 22.09.25	4 wc 29.09.25 Harvest festival	5 wc 06.10.25	6 wc 13.10.25	7 wc 20.10.25
Wow	Find footprints leading into classroom — find pictures of human skeleton parts around the classroom that we can piece together.		Hidden animals around the grounds (pictures or cuddly toys)	-	Find the wrapped up bookor animal clues in bag.		
Maths		Power Maths Unit 1: Numbers to 10		Power Mat Unit 2: Part-whole		Power Unit 3: Addit	Maths ion within 10.
English	Dem-bones	Barnaby's Local Area	Non-Fiction Books	Animals All Around		The Ugly Five	
	Label body parts. Write which body part helps us with our senses, e.g. Our nose helps us to smell.	Use shapes to draw house and label physical features. Write a sentence to describe the house. What does it look like? Where is it? What is in our town? Use a local map to support.	British animal fact files. Write clues around chosen British animal. Who am I?	Match the position words to the picture and describe where the animals are, e.g. the frog is on the log.			Write sentences using 'and'. "I went to Africa, and I saw a giraffe and an elephant".
	I can spell unknown wor I can spell some commo I can use a capital letter I can say a sentence alo	er-case letters in the correct directing using phonemes (sounds). Mak nexception words correctly. If or the start of a sentence, and before writing it down, we within a sentence (I went to the seas within a seas within a sentence (I went to the seas within a seas wi	ing phonetically plausible at	ttempts (yoo, rayn, sed).			
SPaG	Capital and lowercase letters	Verbs	Suffixes - ing	Finger spaces	9		Assess and review
Little Wandle	LW - Week 1	LW — Week 2	LW — Week 3	LW — Week 4	LW — Week 5	Assessment Week	Review lessons 1-5.
Handwriting	i, l	j, t	r, n	h, m	b, p	k, r Handwriting assessments	v,w

Time for us/ Health and Relationships	Establish learning, behaviour and classroom expectations. Share baby photographs, discuss similarities and differences of physical attributes. Discuss their immediate family, who lives in their house? Read 'All Kinds of families'.		Discuss 3 things that make me feel happy and safe. Talking partners.		Revisit Children's AUP. Create class 'Helping Hand'.	Follow lesson plans for drug and alcohol education for KS1. Show children danger symbols on medicine bottles and that they shouldn't touch them. Highlight only a trusted adult should give them medicine.	
Science	Explore body parts. How we have changed since being babies Identify, name, draw and label the basic parts of the human body and say which part of the body is associated with each sense.	Seasons - find a special tree in school to observe throughout the year - class photo each season. Read Stick Man to discuss changing seasons. Observe changes across the four seasons.	Introduce British animals identified on knowledge organiser. Describe their habitats.	Share 'Animals All-Around' to introduce animal groups: mammals, birds, fish, reptiles, amphibians. Describe characteristics of British animals. Identify and name a variety of common animals including fish, amphibians, reptiles, birds, and mammals.	Introduce Ugly Five African animals: hyena, lapput- faced vulture, marabou stork, warthog. Include hippo and meerkat. Identify and sort a variety of common animals into animal groups. Identify and name a variety of common animals including fish, amphibians, reptiles, birds, and mammals.	Identify, name and sort a variety of animals that are carnivores, herbivores and omnivores.	Name the 5 animal groups. Describe and compare their structures. Describe and compare the structure of a variety of common animals (fish, amphibians, reptiles, birds, and mammals, including pets).
	Explorify: Zoom in Zoom out – Pink and bumpy Odd One Out – Funny bones	Explorify: Zoom in Zoom out — Golden jewel Listen, what can you hear? — Getting closer	Explorify: Zoom in Zoom out — Strange snack Odd One Out — Autumn leaves	Explorify: Zoom in Zoom out — Mystery eyes What if What if my bones were bendy?	Explorify: What's going on? — Nothing lives hereor does it?	Explorify: What's going on? — SPF Natural Odd One Out - Savanna	Explorify: Odd One Out — Feathered friends Listen, what can you hear? —
	Reach Out Reporter	Reach Out Reporter	Reach Out Reporter	Reach Out Reporter	Zoom in Zoom out –	Sidekicks	Wild things

			RSPB - Sensing the world		Confusing camouflage	Reach Out Reporter	Reach Out Reporter
					Reach Out Reporter		
Computing	Share Acceptable Use Policy. Identify who can keep us safe in school and at home. Discuss iPad rules and expectations. I know how to use technology safely and respectfully.	Build a model of their house using construction materials. Take a picture of their model using the camera and add a caption using j2e software. For example, This is my house. I know how to use technology purposefully to create, organise, store, manipulate and retrieve digital content.	Read Core book: Webston Using j2e paint — draw I know how to use technol organise, store, manipulate content. I know about the dangers	a British animal. ogy purposefully to create, e and retrieve digital	Project Evolve: Self-Image and Identity. Activity: Helping Alex I know how to use technology safely and respectfully.	J2E Paint — draw animal. Numbots I know how to use purposefully to crea manipulate and reti	technology
Art	Build a body using pipe cleaners and foil in the style of Giacometti. Take photos of children in positions to inspire their figures pose. Explore how bodies and faces are portrayed in art.	Make a transient art stick man using natural resources.	Make a clay hedgehog. Understand different techniques for using clay. E.g pinch pot and making a model with separate parts learning how to join clay.	Observational drawing of fruit and vegetables. Add shading with hatching and stippling. Explore cross mark making hatching, stippling.	Create camouflaged skin pattern using pencil or wax crayon. Draw animal silhouette on black paper and add to artwork. Create artworks using repeated designs and motifs. Colour in neatly, following the lines very carefully.	Draw animal illustrations in the style of Rob Biddulph. Understand different styles/ genres of drawing and the function/ characteristics.	Success with scissors assessments.

D&T	Introduce construction area and creative workshop. Generate ideas by drawing on their own			Understand where a range of fruit and vegetables come from e.g. farmed or grown at home.			
	experiences.			I know how to prepare food: fruit and vegetables			
	Use knowledge of existing products to help come up with ideas.						
Geography		Record do	aily weather on whole clas	ss weather diary. Reference	the season.		
		Explore maps of Derby and Chaddesden. Where do I live in relation to school? Identify simple symbols such as a road, park, house, shop. Explore using Google maps. I will use aerial photographs and plan perspectives to recognise landmarks and basic human and physical features.	Explore British wildlife.		Identify animals to British anima What is the wea UK. Share Lifesize bo I will use world montinents at this I will begin to identify and cold areas of	ook. aps, atlases and glob	Contrast habitats Compare to the es to identify the ily weather e location of hot
History			nology through daily cale	endar: focus on day, date, i	month and year.		
	Explore how we have we changed since being born. Share children's baby photographs from home. To be taught about changes within living memory. Where appropriate, these should be used to	Introduce Vivaldi. What is his occupation? Discuss the season Autumn. I know about significant historical events, people and places in my own locality.					

	reveal aspects of change in national life.						
RE	Discuss groups to which children belong, including their families and school, what they enjoy about them and why they are important to them. Recognise and name some symbols of belonging from their own experience, for Christians and at least one other religion, suggesting what these might mean and why they matter to believers (A3).	Revisit 'The Good Samaritan'. Discuss how our actions affect others (Morals). Christianity Talk about some simple ideas about Christian beliefs about God and Jesus (A1).	What do Christians believe? Talk about some simple ideas about Christian beliefs about God and Jesus (A1).	Identify some ways Christians celebrate Harvest and some ways a festival is celebrated in another religion (A1).	What is Judaism? I know who is Jewish and what they believe.	Judaism- Sukkot festival Re-tell a story that shows what Jewish people at the festivals of Sukkot.	Look at a Mezuzah, how it is used and how it has the words of the Shema inside. Why do Jewish people have this in their home? What words would children like to have displayed in their home? Talk about how the mezuzah in the home reminds Jewish people about God (A3).
Music	Learn Dem Bones. I know how to use my voice expressively and creatively by singing songs.	Go on a listening walk around school and outside. Listen for high and low sounds. I know how to listen with concentration.	Learn simple songs: Hello, how are you. Bounce High, Bounce Low. I know how to use my voice expressively and creatively by singing songs.	Learn October hymn of the month: I know how to use my voice expressively and creatively by singing songs.	Read 'Tanka Tanka Skunk' to teach the difference between beat and rhythm. Create patterns using animal names, focus on maintaining a steady beat. Begin by using animal pictures. I know how to play untuned instruments musically using the interrelated dimension of pulse/beat, rhythm and pitch.		