



Term		Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Context:							
Time (39 wks)	Weeks	Weeks	Weeks	Weeks	Weeks	Weeks	Weeks
The Year Two Curriculum	Science	Materials		Plants	Living things and their habitats	Animals inc. humans	Healthy living
	Writing opportunities	Explanation writing		Explanation writing	Short non-chronological report on animals in their habitats		Healthy living leaflets
	DT						Making smoothies
	Art	Observational drawing- Croydon v Darwin	Artist study- Picasso	Colour theory- hot & cold colours		Artist study- Lowry	Artist study- Guiseppe Archimboldo
	ICT	e-safety	e-safety	e-safety	e-safety	e-safety	e-safety
	Geography	Compare & contrast Croydon to Darwin, Australia	Map work- Amy Johnson's flight to Australia	Physical & human features of Cape Canaveral		Oceans & continents 4 countries of the UK- capital cities	Where does our food come from around the world?
	Writing opportunities		Locational & directional language to describe her journey				
	History	Local figure- Amy Johnson	People of the past- Florence Nightingale Black history month- link to famous scientist?	The race for Space		Holidays in the past	The Plague
	Writing opportunities	Fact files Postcards from Amy Johnson Letters to Amy Johnson from a fan	Letters from the front	Neil Armstrong's journal from the space ship		Compare & contrast	Diary entries
	PE	Real PE	Real PE	Real PE	Real PE	Real PE	Real PE
	Music	Mini-strings	Mini-strings	Mini-strings	Mini-strings	Mini-strings	Mini-strings
	RE	What makes us special?					
	PSHE	Zippy's Friends	Zippy's Friends	Anti-bullying week	Zippy's Friends	Zippy's Friends	Zippy's Friends
Context Launch/ Experiences/Trips	Croydon- observational drawing Fire safety talk	Cinema Autumn walk- Duppas hill					

Parental Engagement Opportunities		Year 2 parent welcome meeting Harvest assembly		Christmas production Year 2 Maths mastery workshop							SAT's meeting			Mini-strings concert					
English Teaching:	Non-chronological reports	Fantasy tale	Beating the monster tale	Film review	Journey tale	Winter poetry ??		Warning tale	Non-chronological report		Losing tale	Police report		Wishing tale			Suspense tale	Change tale	
Key Texts:	Leon & the Place Between Hansel & Gretel			The Shepherd's Tale Autumn poetry				The Magic Brush Dr Xargle's book of Earthlets			Monkey Puzzle Tuesday			The fisherman and his wife			The Nightmare Man Dick Whittington		