



Sancton Wood School
Curriculum Overview
2022-23
Reception

Michaelmas 1

Daily Phonics lessons (Phase 2)

Winnie the Witch/We're All Going on a Bear Hunt- identifying and joining in with repetitive patterns.

Name writing- letter formation and capital letter

Wordless books- telling the story from pictures.

Poetry Together (National Poetry Day)

Michaelmas 2

Daily phonics lessons (Phases 2 and 3)

Dear Santa- Writing a Christmas list, focus on identifying initial sounds.

Reading simple words and sentences.

Lent 1

Daily phonics lessons (Phases 2 and 3)

Lost and Found- writing labels and captions

EYFS Poetry Writing Competition

English

Lent 2

Daily phonics lessons (phases 2 and 3)

Book Week - a range of activities to celebrate reading and writing.

The Gruffalo- describing words and sentences

Summer 1

Daily phonics lessons (phases 2 and 3)

The Knight Who Wouldn't Fight- rhymes, drama, design individual crests with motto

The Princess and the Wizard- imaginative writing

Summer 2

Daily phonics lessons (phases 2 and 3)

Out and About: A first book of poems- Learning and performing poem with expression, writing acrostic poem about Reception

Letter to new teacher

Maths

Michaelmas 1

Counting rhymes
Counting aloud 0-10 and back
1-1 correspondence when counting objects
Ordering numbers 0-10
Learning to form numbers
Introducing a 5 frame

Michaelmas 2

- Addition using fingers
- Application of 5 frame and introducing 10 frame
- Number bonds to 5
- Counting to 20 and back
- 2D shapes
- Teen numbers
- Counting in 10s
- 100 square

Lent 1

Addition and Subtraction using fingers and number line
Count to 30
Counting back from a given number
Number bonds to 10
Find one more/one less than
Larger numbers

Lent 2

Capacity
Addition and Subtraction using number line and counting in head
3D shapes
Count to 50
Money - coin recognition

Summer 1

Positional language
Using the 100 square
Count to 100
Counting in 2's
Odd/Even numbers

Summer 2

Representing data- tally charts
Counting in 5's
Money – simple additions and subtraction
Estimating

Humanities

Michaelmas 1

- Finding the places we need in school
- Sharing stories about our families and asking questions about others
- Black history month

Michaelmas 2

- Traditions:
- Bonfire Night/ Diwali/ Christmas/ Thanksgiving

Lent 1

- Experimenting with light, dark and shadows

Lent 2

Traditional Tales- looking at similarities and differences, different cultures

Botanic Gardens Trip

Summer 1

Castles- lives in the past compared to lives now.

Stansted Mountfitchet Trip

Summer 2

Dinosaurs- comparing and sorting different types of dinosaur, looking at their habitats, why don't they exist anymore?

Science

Michaelmas 1

How we grow - looking at life stages and how we've changed

Michaelmas 2

Exploring natural materials- Forest School Visit

STEM week

Lent 1

Space- understanding that our planet is Earth, naming the planets, sun, moon and stars

Lent 2

Minibeasts- 'Save the bees' campaign, butterfly observations

Summer 1

Materials- comparing materials used in castles/now, choosing materials for our own castle building

Summer 2

Floating experiment- building boats

RS and PSHCEE

Michaelmas 1	Michaelmas 2	Lent 1
Hindism celebration: Sharad Why we celebrate the harvest	Diwali Nativity Story and performance	Chinese New Year Shrove Tuesday
Lent 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Easter traditions	Celebrating different faiths A simple introduction to Islam, Hinduism, Buddhism, Christianity through their creation stories	Places of worship
Michaelmas 1	Michaelmas 2	Lent 1
Beginning and Belonging	Family and Friends & My Emotions	Diversity and Identities & Me and My World
Lent 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
My Body and Growing up	Keeping safe (incl Drugs education)	Healthy Lifestyles

Michaelmas 1

- Drawings of my family
- Simple self-portraits
- Making playdough
- Collage (experimenting)
- Art straw skeletons
- Learning about primary colours
- Christmas card project

Michaelmas 2

- Primary colour mixing
- Bonfire art
- Diwali pots (clay)
- Wool winding

Lent 1

- Colour shades- design winter sky
- Paper tearing to create trees
- Chinese New Year art
- Pencil skills- hatching/scribble/stippling/blending
- Cutting skills- creating patterns

Lent 2

- Signs of spring
- Drawing from memory
- Nature watercolours
- Observational drawings
- 3D pattern making
- Finger painting

Summer 1

- Charcoal drawings
- Junk modelling
- Mosaic art

Summer 2

Cardboard box dinosaur
Silhouette art
Splatter painting- painting to music

Music

Michaelmas 1

Theory and musicianship skills. Theory and musicianship skills.
Singing and performance techniques: pulse/beat, rhythm and pitch.

Singing and performance techniques: rhythm, pitch, dynamics and tempo.

Michaelmas 2

Rhythmic study with untuned percussion.
Pitch study using the xylophones.
Study of musical textures using mixed percussion.

Nativity Show rehearsals

Lent 1

The Zoo: 'Carnival of the Animals' (Saint-Saëns) and 'Animal Crackers' (Whitacre).

Lent 2

Book stimulus: 'Windows' (Guest & Bentley).
Discovering, exploring, classifying, manipulating and composing with 'found sounds'.

Summer 1

Ensemble study: Choir

Repertoire drawn from non-Western traditions.

Summer 2

Ensemble study: Choir

Repertoire drawn from Western traditions.

Spanish

Michaelmas 1

Development of conversation skills:
'What is your name?' 'How old are you?'

Numbers 1-20

Counting and addition games in pairs
using dice.

Circle and memory games to consolidate
numbers and colours.

Michaelmas 2

Story times to develop listening and
pronunciation skills and practise
counting and colour naming skills.

Numbers 1-20

Animals farm vocabulary

Introduction to reading skills

Story times to develop listening,
pronunciation and reading skills

Lent 1

Animal vocabulary
Story time to develop listening,
pronunciation and reading skills

Lent 2

Developing counting to 20.
Story times to develop listening,
pronunciation and reading skills
Extension of animals vocabulary

Summer 1

The flag and the map of Spain.

Games and songs to consolidate and
reinforce the vocabulary introduced this
year.

Summer 2

The vowels and Spanish phonics

Michaelmas 1

Gymnastics

Travelling, types of movements, sequences, positions.
Rolls, teddy bear, forward, pencil, backward rolls.

Games

Small ball and bean bag games, targets and throwing techniques

Michaelmas2

Games

Football skills
Kicking, passing targets, dribbling.

Gymnastics

Balance, points and patches, mirror and match
Developing Individual and group routines

Lent 1

Games

Develop skills in invasion type games.
Rugby
Football
Ball control
Catching
Passing
Supporting
Gymnastics
Jumping
Landing techniques
Basic shapes in the air
Star, Straight, Tuck,
Advanced
Pike, Straddle, Ring
Linking travelling to jumping

Lent 2

Games

Play simple competitive net, striking/fielding and invasion type games.
In groups of 2/4 make up games and how to score.

Summer 1

Athletics

Running
Jumping
Throwing
Performing at maximum levels

Tennis

Racket position
Ball control
Serve
Targets
Forehand
Returning shots

Summer 2

Striking and Fielding

Cricket and rounders skills,
Batting and fielding skills,
Catching
Targets
Scoring points

Swimming.

Lent 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
<p><u>Games</u> Play simple competitive net, striking/fielding and invasion type games. In groups of 2/4 make up games and how to score.</p>	<p><u>Athletics</u> Running Jumping Throwing Performing at maximum levels <u>Tennis</u> Racket position Ball control Serve Targets Forehand Returning shots</p>	<p><u>Striking and Fielding</u> Cricket and rounders skills, Batting and fielding skills, Catching Targets Scoring points <u>Swimming.</u></p>