## Year 1 – Autumn 1 Medium Term Overview 2025/2026

Autumn 1	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6	Week 7
W/C	01/09	08/09	15/09	25/11	22/09	29/09	06/10
English	CUSP Strong Start  2 weeks  Poetry (pattern and rhyme  1 week		**	Setting descriptions 2 weeks		Instructional writing 2 weeks	
Maths	Place Value To 10				Addition and Subtraction		
R.E. Incarnation Why does Christmas matter to Christians?	Can you explain what a parable is?	How do Christians show their love of God through worship?	Can I explain what Christian stories teach Christians?	Can you tell the story of Jonah?	How do Christian stories help Christians to understand God?	Can you explain what Christians believe God is like?	Assessment/ catch-up
Science Plants including trees	Strong start	Strong start	What are the four seasons?	What's the weather like in Autumn, Winter, Spring and Summer?	Why does day become night?	Experiment/ observation	Experiment/ observation
Geography	Name the continents	Name the oceans	What is the equator?	Where is it hot and cold on Earth?	Where are the north and south poles? What are they like?	Where Can I find hot countries? What are they like? What do I know about hold and cold places?	TRIP Aquarium
PHSE Jigsaw Being Me in my World	Special and safe	My class	Rights and Responsibilities	Rewards and feeling proud	Consequences	Owning our learning charter	Catch-up
Music	Specialist teacher	Specialist teacher	Specialist teacher	Specialist teacher	Specialist teacher	Specialist teacher	Specialist teacher
P.E. Thursday		(Sports Coach)	(Sports Coach)	(Sports Coach)	(Sports Coach)	(Sports Coach)	(Sports Coach)
Art/ DT Drawing	Exploration of materials	Explicit teaching of techniques	Application of knowledge and techniques	Exploring sliders and their applications	Developing practical skills Experimenting with different slider systems	Developing practical skills Developing designing and problem- solving skills	Developing practical skills Evaluating Outcomes
Computing We are Digital Artists 1.3	Internet safety	To create colour blocks in the style of the artist Rothko.	To select brushes and choose colours to create patterns	To select and set brushes to create a simple drawing in the style of Picasso's Dove of Peace.			