

Chadsmead Primary Academy - Curriculum Overview - Year 1

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Writing Genres		Disgusting Sandwich (dilemma story) Instructions Charlie's Superhero Underpants (object description) Poetry – Seasons Letter writing The Journey (adventure) Why can we travel further now? History explanation Poetry – Acrostic		Hansel and Gretel (traditional tale – setting description) Come to my candy house (persuasive advert) The Monkey and the Hats (stories from other cultures) Geography – debate – where is the best place to live? Bug Chant – Poetry Norman the Slug (character description) Florence Nightingale Biography		The Magic Porridge Pot (stories from other cultures) Animals (non-chronological report) The Good Dinosaur (character description) Poetry – Sound Collector All about Lichfield (explanation leaflet) The Giraffe Who Came to Breakfast (narrative)	
Grammar		Capital and lowercase letters/Finger spaces/Verbs/Suffixes -ing//Noun suffixes -s/Writing sentences/Capital letters and full stops/Personal Pronouns/Pre-fixes un-/Capital letters and full stops		Past and present verbs/Suffixes -ed/Singular nouns/Plural nouns/Compound words/Past and present verbs/Question marks/Noun suffixes -es/Sequencing sentences/Capital letters for days of the week/Suffixes -ed/Question marks		Punctuating sentences/Exclamation marks/Writing question sentences/Suffixes -er/Capital letters for names of people and places/Joining words and clauses using 'and'/Writing exclamation sentences/Capital letters for names of people and places	
Reading Texts		RWI texts Selection of whole class reading texts.		RWI texts Selection of whole class reading texts.		RWI texts Selection of whole class reading texts.	
Maths		Numbers to 10 Addition and subtraction within 10 Shape and Patterns	Numbers to 20 Addition and subtraction within 20	Time Exploring calculation strategies within 20 Numbers to 50	Addition and subtraction within 20 (comparison) Fractions Measures (1): Length and mass	Numbers 50 to 100 and beyond Addition and subtraction (applying strategies) Money	Money Multiplication and division Measures (2): Capacity and volume
Science		Seasonal Changes Everyday materials	Pushes and Pulls (Forces)	Seasonal Change Plants	Living Things	Seasonal Changes Animals	Humans
History	Cycle A	x	How has technology changed our lives over the last 60 years?	x	How did Florence Nightingale and Edith Cavell help to improve hospitals?	x	Why are the Chadsmead houses named as they are?
	Cycle B	Where have we explored?	x	What happened to London during the fire of 1666?	x	Where did kings & Queens live through time?	x
Geography	Cycle A	What does Chadsmead look like on a map?	x	How does Cannock Chase compare to a tropical jungle?	x	Why do we like to be beside the seaside?	x
	Cycle B	x	How does the weather affect our lives?	x	What is it like in London?	x	What is it like where we live?
Art & Design	Cycle A	Painting of seasons; Claude Monet	x	Draw, Paint & Sculpture flowers	x	Draw and Paint insects	x
	Cycle B	Draw and Shade the moon surface/Drawing Rockets	x	Skyline drawings and paintings – observation & accuracy	x	Watercolour paint effects	x
Design & Technology	Cycle A	x	Mechanisms Sliders and Levers	x	Food & Nutrition Healthy Snacks	x	Structures Free Standing Structures; (Shelters)
	Cycle B	x	Mechanisms Wheels and Axels	x	Structures Free Standing Structures (Bridges)	x	Textiles Templates and Joining
Religion and Worldviews	Cycle A	Who is Jewish and what do they believe?	How do Jewish and Christian people celebrate and bring people together?	Who is a Christian and what do they believe?	What does it mean to belong to a religion?	What does it mean to be a Muslim?	Why do people pray?
	Cycle B	How do Christians believe the world was created?	Why was Jesus a special baby for Christians?	What do the stories about Jesus' life teach Christians?	How should we care for others and the world, and why does it matter?	What can we learn from sacred stories?	
Physical Education		Fundamental Movements Playground/Parachute Games	Gymnastics	Dance Yoga	Invasion Games	Net and Wall Athletics	Orienteering Target Games
Computing		Technology Around Us	Digital Painting	Digital Writing	Moving Robots	Grouping Data	Programming - Introduction to Animation
Online Safety Message		Self-image and identity Health, wellbeing, and lifestyle	Privacy and Security	Online Reputation	Online Bullying	Online Relationships	Managing Online Information
Music	Cycle A	Menu Song	Songs for Christmas Production	Football	Who Stole My Chickens and My Hens?	Dancing and Drawing to Nautilus Cat and Mouse	Come Dance With Me
	Cycle B	Tony Chestnut	Songs for Christmas Production	Grandma Rap	Swing - Along with Shostakovich Charlie Chaplin	The Rockpool Rock	Tanczyny Labada
PSHE		Being Me in my World	Celebrating Difference	Dreams & Goals	Healthy Me	Relationships	Changing Me