YEAR 1 CURRICULUM

	Autumn	Spring	Summer
WHOLE SCHOOL THEME	**Flight, Journeys and Exploration: Aiming High**	**Leadership and Heroism**	**Creative Thinking**
Themes	**Flight**	**Local heroes**	**Our Local Area**
English	• Narrative - Beegu • Stories and rhymes with predictable and repetitive patterns • Stories and poems with familiar language from a range of cultures, including action verses • Non Fiction: signs, labels, captions and lists • Poem - Senses/Flight	• Reading traditional stories and rhymes—Fairy Tales (Cinderella, Rumpelstiltskin or the Gingerbread Man) • Non Fiction; information texts including recounts of observations, visits and events • Non-Fiction—instructions	• A variety of poems on nature themes • Stories about fantasy worlds (Where the Wild Things Are) • Non Fiction: information books, simple dictionaries • Poems - Pattern and Rhythm playground chants and rhymes
Numeracy	• Numbers to 10/20 • Addition & subtraction within 10/20 • Shapes & Patterns	• Calculation strategies within 20 • Time • Addition & Subtraction within 40 • Shapes & Patterns	• Numbers to 100 • Addition & subtraction within 100 • Money • Multiplication & Division
Science	• Animals _ carnivores, herbivores and omnivores, similarities between animals and humans • Seasons	• Sorting and using materials - properties of materials • Seasons	• Growing plants - what do plants need to survive • Seasons
History / Geography/	**Who flew the first aeroplanes?** Wright Brothers/Amelia Earhart Link to Geography – naming oceans and continents	**Why should we say thank you to Thomas Coram?** What was the role of Thomas Coram in looking after foundlings (abandoned children)?	**Why is my local area important?** Around our school—our local area
PSHE	• Being Me in My World • Celebrating Difference	• Dreams and Goals • Healthy Me	• Relationships • Changing Me

R.E.	• What responsibility has God given people about taking care of Christianity? • What are God's rules for living - the 10 commandments? • Nativity Characters which character are you? Why are you important?	• Hinduism - what does it mean to be a Hindu? • Why are saints important to Christians? • Why is Easter the most important festival for Christians?	• Introduction to Judaism - what is it like to live as a Jew? • Parables - why is it good to listen to and remember the stories Jesus told?
Computing	• Sequencing instructions Algorithms – (iBoard Cheese Sniffer, Lilly Hop, Fly catcher, 2Go, Busy Things, Beebots) • Digital portrait making (2 Paint a Picture, 2 Create a Story, Book Creator, Puppet Edu)	• Digital Photographers (ipads)	• Sequencing instructions Algorithms – (iBoard Cheese Sniffer, Lilly Hop, Fly catcher, 2Go, Busy Things, Beebots) • Creating ebooks (Book Creator, Puppet Edu)
Design and Technology & Art	• Art: What is sculpture? Linked to Flight • DT: Moving Pictures (linked to Flight theme)	• DT: Making boats that float • Art: Weaving	• DT: We are Drink Designers • Art: Drawing like a caveman
PE	• Health and Fitness • Dance	• Games (throwing, catching and aiming) • Running and jumping	• Games (bouncing and dribbling)
Music	• Introducing Pitch and SOLFA • Exploring Pulse and Rhythm together	• Exploring duration and tempo • Exploring timbre and dynamics	• Exploring instruments and symbols • Composition using musical elements