



Year Two Curriculum Overview

The following curriculum overview may be subject to change. At Gorsey Bank we are constantly evolving our curriculum in response to the needs of learners and national strategies. For the most up-to-date information of what your child is learning please visit our Instagram feed (gbps.year2) which is regularly updated throughout the year.

Our curriculum is mapped out for academic subjects in carefully sequenced, knowledge led 8 Year Overviews. Termly Curriculum Bookshelves are thoughtfully curated to inspire pupils whilst exploring our six character traits, which we believe will allow our children to succeed in their future of choice.

These character traits are Kindness, Citizenship, Curiosity, Integrity, Gratitude and Bravery

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	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Science	Animals Need for Survival Humans Materials		Plants (Light and Dark) Living Things and their Habitats		Plants (Bulbs and seeds) Growing Up Wildlife	
Computing	Computing Systems	Creating Media	Robot Algorithms	Data and Information - Pictograms	Creating Media – Digital Music	Programming - quizzes
History	People Who Changed the World		Great Fire of London		Great Exhibition - Victorians	
Geography	What are the Earth's continents and oceans?		What are the significant differences across Africa?		How are places on different continents similar and different?	
Design & Technology	Textiles- Glove puppet		Mechanisms: Wheels and Axis		Food Preparation - Salad	
Art	Drawing and Painting - Hundertwasser		Sculpture – Clay – Yayoi Kusama		Drawing and Printing – William Morris	
Religious Education (RE)	What does the bible say about God's promises?	How do festivals celebrate the natural world?	What do Hindu stories teach?	Do we need rules to live by?	How do different people explain how the world started?	Is it possible to speak to God through prayer?
Physical Education (PE)	Gymnastics: Spinning, Turing & Twisting	Net & Walls Games Skills 2	Yoga: Story Book Invasion Games Skills 2	Dance: Great Fire of London	Gymnastics: Pathways Striking & Fielding 2	Dance: Mini Beasts
Music	Listening and Beat - Down in the Jungle		Understanding and Composing - Moon and Stars		Listening and Understanding – Round the World	
Personal, Social, Health and Economic Education (PSHE)	Mental Health and wellbeing	Keeping safe online	Me, my body and staying safe	Money and work	Safety outside the home	Looking back and moving on