

Year 2 Topic 5 Overview

	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6
Science Animals, including humans	To know that animals have offspring which grow into adults	To know that animals have offspring which grow into adults	To know and explain the basic needs of animals for survival	To know why exercise is important for humans	To understand the importance of healthy eating and hygiene	To demonstrate knowledge of how animals change as they grow and how humans can stay healthy
Vertical links						
Horizontal links						
History						
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Geography MK compared to Tokyo	To locate Milton Keynes and Tokyo on a world map	To know some of the physical features of Tokyo	To know some of the human features of Tokyo	To know some physical similarities and differences of Milton Keynes and Tokyo	To know some human similarities and differences of Milton Keynes and Tokyo	To show understanding of physical and human features
Vertical links	To locate countries of the UK and the seas	To know what a physical feature is	To know what a human feature is	To explore physical and human features in Milton Keynes	To sort images of physical and human features	
Horizontal links					To photograph features of a classroom	
Art and Design Form – Sculpture	To evaluate existing art	To know how to join materials	To understand what makes a stable structure	To use joining techniques to recreate a structure	To explore ideas for a sculpture	To apply skills
Vertical links					To explore ideas for a drawing	
Horizontal links	To evaluate a product		To explore 3D shapes	To use joining techniques to make a moon buggy		



Design Technology						
Vertical links						
Horizontal links						
Religious Education Judaism – Jewish stories and their teachings	To know what the Tanakh is	To know and understand the Jewish Creation story	To know and understand the story of Jacob’s ladder	To know and understand the story of David and Goliath	To know and understand the story of Jonah and the Whale	To understand Jewish stories
Vertical links	To know what the Torah is	To know and understand the Christian creation story	To know Jesus told stories about God looking after everyone	To know Jesus told stories about God looking after everyone	To know Jesus told stories about God looking after everyone	To understand Christian stories
Horizontal links		To be able to tell a story	To be able to tell a story	To be able to tell a story	To be able to tell a story	
Computing						
Vertical links						
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Physical Education Multi-skills Tennis	To be able to run quickly towards a target To be able to control the ball whilst moving	To demonstrate a controlled change of speed when running To bounce a ball into space	To perform a combination of jumps with control To be able to move quickly to track and catch a bouncing ball	To demonstrate different ways of leaving floor to gain height To be able to “hand hit” a moving ball towards partner	To be able to throw objects using different styles to gain distance To be able to control a moving ball with a racquet (along the floor)	To demonstrate ability to throw an object to a target To be able to control a moving ball with a racquet in the air
Vertical links	To be able to run quickly	To understand how to change speed when running To be able to bounce a ball	To perform jumps with control To be able to bounce a ball	To be able to “hand hit” a ball	To be able to throw different objects To understand how to control a ball with a racquet	To throw at a target To be able to balance ball on racquet
Horizontal links						



PSHE Relationships	To identify the different members of their family and to understand how families can look different for everyone	To understand that there are lots of forms of physical contact within a family and that some of this is acceptable and some is not	To identify some of the things that cause conflict with their friends	To understand that sometimes it is good to keep a secret and sometimes it is not good to keep a secret	To recognise and appreciate people who can help them in their family, school and community	To express their appreciation for the people in their special relationships
Vertical links	To know how to work together and share To know how it feels to belong To know that people belong to different groups	To know how it feels to belong To know that people belong to different groups		To know how to spread kindness and show that they are thankful	To know who to go to if they need help or support To know how it feels to belong To know that people belong to different groups	To know how to spread kindness and show that they are thankful To know how it feels to belong To know that people belong to different groups
Horizontal links						
Music Friendship Song	To begin to learn the lyrics of a pop song: "Friendship Song"	To play a glockenspiel to accompany the song using notes B, G, A and E (medium part) or G and E (easy part)	To play a recorder to accompany the song using notes B and G	To improvise with the song "Friendship Song"	To compose with the song "Friendship Song"	To perform the song "Friendship Song"
Vertical links	To learn the lyrics of 'Zootime'	To play a glockenspiel using notes C and D	To play a recorder using notes C and D	To improvise with the song, 'Zootime'	To compose with the song, 'Zootime'	To perform a song
Horizontal links	To learn the words of a poem			To improvise in drama	To compose a poem	To perform a poem