

Meadow Park Academy – Year 1 Overview



	English	Maths	Science	Geography	History	Art & Design	D&T	RE	Computing	PE	PSHE	Spanish	Music	Trips, visitors or experiences
Autumn 1	Cave Baby Narrative Retelling Astro Girl Letters & diaries	Place Value Addition and Subtraction	What is weather? Observe changes across the 4 seasons.	The World Explore the UK and the world, considering the size and scale of these locations.		Colour Chaos Children will learn about colour theory, colour mixing and important artists who have used colour as an element of their art.		What do Christians believe about God and where do these ideas come from? The Christian story of Creation	Technology around us Explore the technology we have around us – at home and in school.	Outdoor Learning Learning about the outdoors – including fire, nature and shelter.	Being Me in my world Children will explore things that are unique about them and how they fit into their community.	Colours and Numbers (Los colores y los numeros) Counting to 10	Rhyming in Time Chant, rap and sing using different voices, following simple cues such as starting together.	Oceans and Continents Workshop
	Billy and the Beast Guide – How to look after a dragon Naughty Bus Story sequel	Place Value Addition and Subtraction	Who am I? Identify, name and draw the parts of the body and match to senses.		Changes within living memory - toys Identify how toys have changed over time.		Textiles - Puppet Children will design and sew, using a simple running stitch, a puppet.	What is the story of Jesus and how do Christians remember him? Simple narrative of Jesus' life	Digital writers Using a computer to write for a purpose	Games Basic games skills Dance Dance, themed around colours	Celebrating difference Children will explore that are similar and different to other people.	Classroom Instructions (Las instrucciones del aula) Classroom instructions and conversations	Christmas Performance Sing collectively at the same pitch, responding to simple visual directions.	Pantomime
Spring 1	Leo and the octopus Fact Files The Odd Egg Short Guide	Addition and Subtraction Multiplication and Division	What material should I use? Identify and name everyday materials.	The UK Name, locate and identify the countries of the UK and the surrounding seas.		Springtime Children will explore spring represented in art through various artists. They will also refine their drawing skills (continuous line drawing and sketching.)		What did Jesus teach his followers and how did he teach? Stories and parables told by Jesus.	Moving a robot Giving commands and instructions to a computer	Games Carrying & balancing Dance Dance, themed around weather	Dreams & Goals Children will discuss what their goals are and how to achieve them. They will also explore all the emotions that go alongside this.	The Circus (El circo) Learn 7 circus acts (nouns)	Music Around The World Listen attentively and with understanding to music from different historical periods and geographical locations.	
Spring 2	Stanley's Stick Postcard The See Saw Own version narrative	Addition and Subtraction Multiplication and Division	How can I help the 3 little pigs? Identify materials and their properties.		Kings, Queens and Castles Learn about the defensive features of a castle and it's purpose.		Cooking - Smoothies Children will taste a range of fruit and then use this knowledge to plan and make a fruit smoothie of their own.	What do Jewish people believe about God and where do these ideas come from? The 'oneness' of God	Introduction to animation Give a series of commands for a chosen outcome.	Gymnastics Exploring space safely Dance Dance, themed around The Seaside	Healthy Me How to use a search engine and the reliability of results. Methods of communication online.	Days of the week (Los dias de la semana) Learn the 7 days of the week	Exploring Patterns and Rhythms Copy and create simple rhythm patterns (Often referred to as Call and Response or Question and Answer).	Windsor Castle
Summer 1	Lost and Found Character Descriptions Pig the Pug Retelling	Multiplication and Division Fractions	Plants Identify and name a variety of common plants and it's basic structure.	My local area Look at my local area now, and how it changed over time. Identify changes through photographs and maps.		Pop Art Children will learn about the post war Pop Art movement and using colour and contrast to create images.		Who is remembered by Jewish people and why? What do Jewish people celebrate and why? Stories linked to the Jewish faith.	Grouping data Explore how technology can be used to collect and display data and information	Gymnastics Mirroring and copying Games Attacking and defending	Relationships How to use a search engine and the reliability of results. Methods of communication online.	Months of the year (Los meses) Learn the 12 months of the year	Sound and Pictures Match and create pictures/symbols to represent sound.	
	The magic bed Setting Descriptions Dadaji's paintbrush Factfile	Shape, space and measure Consolidation for Year 2	Animals Identify and name a variety of common animals.		Significant people - Nurses Learn about significant nurses in history: Florence Nightingale, Mary Seacole, Edith Cavell		Moving Aquarium Slider Children will design and create a moving aquarium with fish that slide in and out.	Why do many Jewish people go to the synagogue? Links to places of worship and place of belonging.	Digital painting Use technology to create art work – considering the benefits and limitations of the method	Athletics Basics of athletics Games Basic kicks and passes.	Changing Me Children will explore things that are unique about them and how they fit into their community.	Seasons (Las estaciones) Learn the 4 seasons of the year.	Highs and Lows Identify different pitches (highs and lows) in music and in sounds around the school.	Beale Wildlife Park Local area field trip Sports Week