

Masefield Primary Curriculum Overview 2021-22

At Masefield we believe that all our children can achieve, becoming successful future citizens that contribute positively to a society in which all members are equally valued.

High aspirations, high motivation and high outcomes for all, ensure that achievement gaps wherever they exist are narrowed in order to improve pupils' life choices and future prospects.

We strive for all of our children to be safe, feel valued, develop resilience and continually learn within our nurturing and supportive community.

At Masefield, our children BELIEVE, ACHIEVE and SUCCEED!

Nursery

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
	A1a Who am I and who's in my family?	A2a What are festivals and why do we celebrate them?	Sp1a Where in the world do animals come from?	Sp2a Who can help me and what jobs do they do?	Su1a Did Goldilocks eat the Gingerbread man?	Su2a What will you find down in the garden?
	A1b Why are the leaves falling off the trees?	A2b What is the Nativity Story?	Sp1b What is Chinese New Year?	Sp2b What is transport and how has it changed?	Su1b How can we be fit and healthy?	Su2b How do plants grow and why do they change?
Geography	People, culture, communities.	People, culture, communities.	People, culture, communities	People, culture, communities		
History		Past and present		Past and present	Past and present	
Art	Painting – A1a		Drawing – Sp1a	Sculpture – Sp2b		Collage – Su2b
DT		Food Tasting – A2a			Mechanisms (Sound) – Su1a	
Science	The Natural World – Seasons	The Natural World – Changing State	The Natural World – The Wider World Animals			The Natural World – Plants and Animals
PSHCE						
RE	Unit F1: Why is the word 'God' so important to Christians?	Unit F2: Why is Christmas special for Christians? (Nativity)	Unit F5: Which places are special and why?	Unit F3: Why is Easter special for Christians?	Unit F4: Being special: Where do we belong?	Unit F6: Which stories are special and why?
Computing	Digital Citizenship	Digital Literacy	Computer Science		IT	Digital Literacy
Music	Nursery Rhyme Songs		Exploring instruments		Stop start activities using volume.	
PE	Develop gross and fine motor skills as per EYFS progression documents.					
Visit				Parents to visit and talk about their jobs.		

Reception

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Topic Titles X2 per half-term	A1a Who am I and who's in my family?	A2a What are festivals and why do we celebrate them?	Sp1a Where in the world do animals come from?	Sp2a Who can help me and what jobs do they do?	Su1a Did Goldilocks eat the Gingerbread man?	Su2a What will you find down in the garden?
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DT		Food Tasting – A2a			Mechanisms (Sound) – Su1a	
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Computing	Digital Citizenship	Digital Literacy	Computer Science		IT	Digital Literacy
Music	Singing Phonics Book 1 (Phase 1 phonics)		Repeating rhythms		Performing music	
PE	FUNdamentals Using Beanbags Using Balls Using hoops/quoits	Gymnastics (Unit N/R)	Dance (Unit 1)	Football (FUNdamentals)	Using ropes/bats/balls	Athletics (FUNdamentals)
Visit				Walk to the Post Box Visit from United Utilities		Trip to the Farm

Year 1

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Geography	Where did and do the wheels on the bus go?					Why can't a penguin live near the equator?
History			Why are IPADS more fun than grandma and grandad's old toys?		Who was famous when mum and dad were young?	
Art	Drawing/Artist focus		Textiles – See DT		Printing	Painting
DT			Textiles Templates and Joining Techniques			Mechanisms Wheels and Axles
Science	Physics: Seasonal Changes	Chemistry: Everyday Materials (linked to English)		Biology: Plants	Biology: Animals, Including Humans	
PSHCE	Be Yourself!	TEAM (Anti Bullying Week)	9.2.21 (SID) Money Matters	Britain	It's my Body (HLW) MHA week 17.5.21	Aiming High
RE	Unit 1.3: Why does Christmas matter to Christians? Nativity.		Unit 1.7 Who is Jewish and how do they live?	Unit 1.5: Why does Easter matter to Christians?	Unit 1.8 What makes some places sacred to believers?	What does it mean to belong to a faith community?
Computing	Digital Citizenship Online Safety / PSHE	Digital Literacy <i>with elements of Creativity</i>	Computer Science With elements of IT		Information Technology <i>with elements of DL</i>	Greater Depth Project: Digital Literacy / Computer Science
Music						
PE	Dance Year 1 Unit 1 & 2	Net/Court Games	Aiming, Kicking and Hitting	Football (FUNdamentals)	Gymnastics Units D-G	Athletics (FUNdamentals)
Visit	Local area – bus ride			Visit to Church		Zoo

Year 2

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Geography			Where would you prefer to live England or Africa?			Why do we love to be beside the seaside?
History	How have people like Rosa Parks helped to make the world a better place?				What do we know about the Victorians?	
Art	Drawing/Artist focus		Sculpture		Painting	Collage
DT		Mechanisms Sliders and Levers		Food Preparing Fruit and Veg		Structures Free Standing Structures
Science	Chemistry: Uses of everyday materials	Biology: Living Things & their Habitats (linked to English)	Biology: Animals, Including Humans		Biology: Plants	
PSHCE	Respecting Rights	VIPs (ABW)	Safety First (9.2.2020 SID)	Growing up (To link with Sc- Could you be the next JE)	One World (to link to Earth day 22.4.2021)	Think Positive
RE	Unit1.1: What do Christians believe God is like? Nativity.		Unit 1.6: Who is a Muslim and what do they believe?	Unit 1.4: What is the 'Good News' Christians believe Jesus brings?	Unit 1.2: Who do Christians say made the world?	1.9: How should we care for others and the world and why does it matter?
Computing	Digital Citizenship Online Safety / PSHE	Digital Literacy <i>with elements of Creativity</i>	Computer Science <i>With elements of IT</i>		Information Technology <i>with elements of DL</i>	Greater Depth Project: Digital Literacy / Computer Science / STEM
Music						
PE	Dance Year 2 Unit 3&4	Dodgeball	Aiming, Kicking and Hitting <i>Tennis?</i>	Gymnastics Units H-K	Striking and Fielding Cricket/rounders	Athletics (FUNdamentals)
Visit			Visit Mosque			Seaside Visit

Year 3

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Geography					What makes the earth angry?	
History	Who first lived in Britain?		Why were the ancient Greeks ruled by their Gods?			Why was Samuel Crompton so famous?
Art	Drawing/Artist Focus		Textiles – See DT		Painting	Printing
DT		Mechanisms Pneumatics	Textiles 2D shapes to 3D product			Structures Shell Structures using computer aided design (CAD)
Science	Chemistry: Rocks	Physics: Light (linked to English)	Biology: Plants	Biology: Animals, Including Humans	Physics: Forces and Magnets	
PSHCE	Be Yourself!	TEAM (Anti Bullying Week)	9.2.21 (SID) Money Matters	Britain	It's my Body (HLW) MHA week 17.5.21	Aiming High
RE	Unit L2.9: How do festivals and worship show what matters to Muslims?	Unit L2.8: What does it mean to be Hindu in Britain today.	Unit L2. 7: What do Hindus believe God is like?	Unit L2.4: What kind of world did Jesus want?	Unit L2.1: What do Christians learn from the Creation Story?	Unit L2.11: How and why do people mark the significant events of life?
Computing	Digital Citizenship Online Safety / PSHE	Digital Literacy <i>with elements of Creativity</i>	Computer Science <i>With elements of IT</i>		Information Technology <i>with elements of DL</i>	Greater Depth Project: Digital Literacy / Computer Science / STEM
Music						
PE	Orienteering	Gymnastics Units L-O	Dance - Unit 2 (The explorer link to Stone age)	Hockey/Football	Tennis (Net/Court games)	Athletics
Visits	Tatton Park	Visit Temple				Hall I'th Wood

Year 4

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Geography	Why are most of the world's cities located by river?				Why is Manchester such a cool place to live?	
History			Who were the Romans and what did we learn from them?			How can we recreate the wonder of Ancient Egypt?
Art	Drawing/Artist Focus		Collage		Painting	Sculpture
DT		Mechanisms Levers and linkages	Electrical Systems Simple circuits and switches	Food Healthy and Varied Diet		Structures Shell Structures
Science	Physics: Electricity	Physics: Sound (linked to English)	Chemistry: States of Matter	Biology: Animals, Including Humans	Biology: Living Things and Their Habitats	
PSHCE	Respecting Rights	VIPs (ABW)	Safety First (9.2.2020 SID)	Growing up (To link with Sc- Could you be the next JE)	One World (to link to Earth day 22.4.2021)	Think Positive
RE	Unit L2.2: What is it like for someone to follow God?	Unit L2.3: What is the Trinity and why is it important for Christians?	Unit L2. 10 How do festivals and family life show what matters to Jewish people?	Unit L2.5: Why do Christians call the day Jesus died Good Friday?	Unit L2.6 For Christians, what was the impact of Pentecost?	Unit L2.12: How and why do people try to make the world a better place?
Computing	Digital Citizenship Online Safety / PSHE	Digital Literacy <i>with elements of Creativity</i>	Computer Science <i>With elements of IT</i>		Information Technology <i>with elements of DL</i>	Greater Depth Project: Digital Literacy / Computer Science / STEM
Music						
PE	FUNdamentals ABS and Creative Games Making	Dodgeball	Gymnastics Units P-S	Football	Striking and Fielding Cricket/Rounders <i>Athletics</i>	Dance Electricity Unit 2/Athletics
Visit	Bright Sparks Day River Trip		Chester	Visit Synagogue	Manchester	Bolton Museum Anderton Centre

Year 5

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Geography			Why should the rainforest matter to us?			What's so special about America?
History	Who were the Anglo-Saxons?				Why should Britain be ashamed of slavery?	
Art	Drawing/Artist focus		Textiles – See DT		Painting	Printing
DT		Structures Frame Structures	Textiles Combining different fabric shapes			Mechanisms Pulleys or Gears
Science	Chemistry: Properties and Changes of Materials	Physics: Forces (linked to English)	Chemistry: Animals including humans	Biology: Living Things and Their Habitat	Physics: Earth and Space	
PSHCE	Be Yourself!	TEAM (Anti Bullying Week)	9.2.21 (SID) Money Matters	Britain	It's my Body (HLW) MHA week 17.5.21	Aiming High
RE	Unit U2.9: Why is the Torah so important to Jewish people?	Unit U2.1: What does it mean if Christians believe God is holy and loving?	Unit U2.8: What does it mean to be a Muslim today?	Unit U2.5 What do Christians believe Jesus did to 'save' people?	Unit 2.4: How do Christians decide how to live? 'What would Jesus do?'	Unit U2.12: How does faith help people when life gets hard?
Computing	Digital Citizenship Online Safety / PSHE	Digital Literacy <i>with elements of Creativity</i>	Computer Science <i>With elements of IT</i>		Information Technology <i>with elements of DL</i>	Greater Depth Project: Digital Literacy / Computer Science / STEM
Music						
PE	Orienteering	Netball	Hockey /Football Skills	Gymnastics Unit T-W	Tennis (Net/Court Games)	Athletics
Visit	Tatton Park				Liverpool Slavery Museum	London

Year 6

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Geography			Why has Brazil got one of the world's fastest growing economies?			I'm a Year 6, get me out of here?
History	Were the Vikings always victorious and vicious?				Why was the Islamic Civilization (around 900AD) known as the Golden Age?	
Art	Drawing/Artist focus		Painting		Sculpture	Collage
DT			Electrical Systems Complex circuits and switches	Food Celebrating culture and seasonality		
Science	Biology: Animals, Including Humans	Physics: Electricity	Biology: Evolution and Inheritance		Physics: Light	Biology: Living Things and Their Habitats
PSHCE	Respecting Rights	VIPs (ABW)	Safety First (9.2.2020 SID)	Growing up (To link with Sc- Could you be the next JE)	One World (to link to Earth day 22.4.2021)	Think Positive
RE	Unit U2.11: Why do some people believe in God and some people not?	Unit U2.3: Why do Christians believe Jesus was the Messiah?	Unit U2.7: Why do Hindus want to be good?	Unit U2.6: For Christians what kind of king is Jesus?	Unit 2.10: What matters most to Humanists?	Unit U2.2 Creation and Science: Conflicting or complimentary?
Computing	Digital Citizenship Online Safety / PSHE	Digital Literacy <i>with elements of Creativity</i>	Computer Science <i>With elements of IT</i>		Information Technology <i>with elements of DL</i>	Greater Depth Project: Digital Literacy / Computer Science / STEM
Music						
PE	FUNdamentals ABCs and Creative Games Making	Dodgeball	Netball / Football Skills	Dance - Unit Choose from units 1 -4	Striking and Fielding Cricket/Rounders	Athletics
Visit	JORVIK Viking Centre			Bright Sparks Day	Residential	Rivington Reservoir and Pike