



Beaford Community Primary and Nursery School  
2023 - 2024

Otters: Year A Curriculum Overview

	Footprints into the past, footsteps into the future		Active Planet		Time Travellers	
CM Topic	I Am Warrior Emperor & Empires		Rocks, Relics, Rumbles	Misty Mountain Sierra / Vista	Ancient Civilisations	Heroes and Villains
Subject	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 1
Science (WR yr3)	Skeletons/Movement	Nutrition and Diet/Food Waste/Rocks	Fossils/Soils	Light	Plants A	Forces/Magnets/sustainability
History (Maestro)	Settlement / Invasion / Empire The Roman Empire and its impact on Britain	Settlement / Invasion / Empire The Roman Empire and its impact on Britain			Settlement / Rule Achievements of the earliest civilisations -Ancient Egypt	German heroes
Geography (Maestro)			Physical features Volcanoes Germany	Physical features Mountains Map work India	Physical features Egypt	
Design Technology (Maestro)		Cook well, Eat well		Making it move		Greenhouse
Art and Design	Printing: String Printing/Polystyrene engraving	Warm and cool colours (Maestro)	Art and Animation: Who am I?		Sculpture: Wire sculptures	
Religion (DCC)	Unit L2.2 What is it like for someone to follow God?	Unit L2.8 What does it mean to be a Hindu in Britain today?	Unit L2.4 What kind of world did Jesus want?	Unit L2.10 How do festivals and family life show what matters to Jews?	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?
Music (Charanga)	Writing Down Music	Playing in a Band	Compose using your imagination	More Musical Styles	Enjoying improvisation	Opening Night

Physical Education	Football	Dance	Gym	Basketball	Cricket	Tennis
Computing	Computing systems and networks - Connecting computers	Creating media - Stop-frame animation	Programming A - Sequencing sounds	Data and information - Branching databases	Creating media - Desktop publishing	Programming B - Events and actions in programs
French						
PSHE (Jigsaw)	Being me in my World	Celebrating Difference	Dreams and Goals	Healthy Me	Mental Health	Changing me
Educational Visits						

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Otters: Year B Curriculum Overview

	Saving the World		Moments in Time		Bright Lights, Big City	
CM Topic	Flow Blue Abyss		Traders & Raiders Invasion		Through the Ages	Urban Pioneers
Subject	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 1
Science Wr yr4	Group and classify living things/Data collection	States of matter	Sound/Data collection	Electricity/Energy	Data collection/Habitats/Sustainability	Digestive system/food chains
History (Maestro)			Settlement / Invasion / Militaria Britain's settlement by Anglo-Saxons and Scots	Settlement / Invasion / Militaria The Viking and Anglo-Saxon struggle for the kingdom of England	Settlement Changes in Britain from Stone Age to Iron Age	
Geography (Maestro)	Location: Physical features -Rivers	Location: Physical features -Oceans				Human features Urban /rural comparative study Exeter/Bad Homburg Berlin Wall down
Design Technology (Maestro)		Fresh Food, Good Food		Functional and Fancy Fabrics		Tomb Builders
Art and Design	Painting Water inspired painting	Line, Light and Shadow (Maestro)	Batik and Tie dye		Photo montage /Colour collage	
Religion (DCC)	Unit L2.1 What do Christians learn from the creation story?	Unit L2.7 What do Hindus believe that God is like?	Unit L2.3 What is the 'Trinity' and why is it important for	Unit L2.9 How do festivals and worship show what matters to a	Unit L2.5 Why do Christians call the day Jesus died 'Good	Unit L2.11 How and why do people mark the significant events of

			Christians?	Muslim?	Friday'?	life?
Music (Charanga)	Musical Structures	Exploring Feelings when you play	Compose with your friends	Feelings through Music	Expression and Improvisation	The show must go on!
Physical Education	Netball	Tag Rugby	Hockey	Dance	Athletics	Rounders
Computing	Computing systems and networks - The Internet	Creating media - Audio production	Programming A - Repetition in shapes	Data and information - Data logging	Creating media - Photo editing	Programming B - Repetition in games
French						
PSHE (Jigsaw)	Being me in my World	Celebrating Difference	Dreams and Goals	Healthy Me	Mental Health	Changing me
Educational Visits						