

Faithful Foundations

Writing Curriculum 2026-27

Your Journey Through
Year 1

Term 1

Adventures in the Frozen World

- Read Write Inc. Phonics - taught daily throughout the year.
- Drawing Club (oral storytelling, vocabulary, sentence structure and early composition through high-quality texts and imaginative experiences).



Term 4

Kings, Queens & The Great Castle Construction

- Read Write Inc. Phonics - taught daily throughout the year.
- Curious Quest (vocabulary development, sentence construction and early writing linked to meaningful contexts).



Term 2

Make it Move

- Read Write Inc. Phonics - taught daily throughout the year.
- Drawing Club (oral storytelling, vocabulary, sentence structure and early composition through high-quality texts and imaginative experiences).



Term 5

Secrets of Sudley / My Street, My Planet

- Read Write Inc. Phonics - taught daily throughout the year.
- Week 1 – 4 - Curious Quest (vocabulary development, sentence construction and early writing linked to meaningful contexts).
- Week 5 – 6 - Recycling Day: What Happens to the Things We Throw Away by Polly Faber & Klas Fahlén.



Ideas:

- Draw and write the "journey of my yoghurt pot" (from bin to recycling).
- Retell the events in order, using time words – putting out the bins, rubbish being taken away, sorted etc.
- Create a simple information page or fact poster.
- Imagine you are a plastic bottle. Tell your story from the bin to being made new again.
- Write simple persuasive sentences to encourage recycling.



Term 3

Roots, Rain & Rolling Waves

- Read Write Inc. Phonics - taught daily throughout the year.
- Curious Quest (vocabulary development, sentence construction and early writing linked to meaningful contexts).



Term 6

Science - Marvellous Me

- Read Write Inc. Phonics - taught daily throughout the year.
- Week 1 – 4 - Funny Bones – Janet and Allen Ahlberg.

Ideas:

- Character descriptions
- Setting description
- Retell – What the Skeletons Did
- What are they saying? Use simple sentences and punctuation in speech bubbles.

- Week 5 – 7 – Recount – school trip.

