



Faithful Foundations

Curriculum Overview 2026-27

Your Journey Through
Year 2



Term 1 7 weeks

Sails, Sand & Secrets Exploring New Worlds

Painting/Drawing - Portraits
Week 1

Worldwide History/Famous Person Study

- Week 2-4
- o Explorers
- o Famous Person Study (Christopher Columbus)
- o Black History Week (Floella Benjamin)

Continents & Oceans of the World
Week 5-7

- o Caribbean Study

Term 2 7 weeks

Bake It, Make It, Change It!

Scientific Enquiry
Week 1-3

- o Materials

Cooking
Week 4-6

- o Baking, Measuring, Mixing, Following Instructions (Gingerbread)

Singing & Performance
Week 7

- o Nativity

Printing
Week 7

- o Printing (Foam Print Cards)

Term 5 7 weeks

The Story of Our Town / Town Mouse, Country Mouse



Local History
Week 1

- o Our Local Area – How has Cheltenham changed?



Our Local Geography/Comparison Study
Week 2

- o Cheltenham (Town & Country/Farming)



Artist Study
Week 3-4

- o Andy Goldsworthy



Music Week - Music Through History
Week 5



Environmental Study
Week 6-7

- o Urbanisation & Habitats

Term 3 6 weeks

Where We Live & Grow



Living Things/Habitats & Plants
Week 1-3

- o Living Things & Habitats & Plants



Physical Geography
Week 4-5

- o Landforms (Hills, Mountains etc)

Term 6 6.5 weeks

Healthy, Happy & Wild!



Humans & Animals
Week 1-3

- o Animals & Humans



Design, Create, Evaluate
Week 4-5

- o Bird Feeder



Sculpture
Week 6

- o Vehicles Sculptures (Junk Modelling)



Music Week - Genres
Week 7

Term 4 5 weeks

London's Burning



British History
Week 1-3

- o Great Fire of London
- o Famous Person Study (Samuel Pepys)



Design, Create, Evaluate
Week 4-5

- o Model Tudor House & Recreate the Fires



Art



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Geography



History



Music



Science

Term 1

Granny Came Here on the Empire Windrush
Patrice Lawrence



Term 2

The Gingerbread Girl
Lisa Campbell Ernst



Term 3

The Day You Begin
Jacqueline Woodson



Term 4

Toby and the Great Fire of London
Margaret Nash



Term 5

Wild
Emily Hughes



Term 6

The Promise
Nicola Davies

