THURLSTONE PRIMARY SCHOOL CURRICULUM OVERVIEW

FS2	AUTUMN	SPRING	SUMMER
WORLD	MY WONDERFUL WORLD My journey to school (Geography link) (Keep it Local) MY WORLD Family history (history link)	PLANT IT! GROWN IT! Where does our food come from? (Geography link) What was farming like in the past? (history link))	OH WE DO LIKE TO BE BESIDE THE SEASIDE! How is the seaside different from Thurlstone? (Geography link) Holidays in the past (history link)
EXPRESSIVE ARTS AND DESIGN	The art of sculpture Artist: Sir Anthony Caro Medium: junk (artist used metal) Cooking and Nutrition: In this unit, children explore the differences between fruits and vegetables using their senses (taste, texture, smell etc.). They listen to the story 'The best pumpkin soup' and discuss the key ingredients the characters used before developing a class-based vegetable soup recipe.	The art of printing Artist: Matisse Medium: pencil and paint Seasonal Projects: A series of seasonal projects to choose from to deliver across the year – covering Autumn, Christmas, Easter, Spring and Summer.	The art of drawing Artists: Kandinsky and Jonathan Lawes Medium: Pencil and paint Structures: Junk Modelling In this unit, pupils explore and learn about various types of permanent and temporary join. They are encouraged to tinker using a combination of materials and joining techniques in the junk modelling area.
PD	Fundamental Movement Skills Dance	Gymnastics Fundamental Movement Skills	Fundamental Movement Skills MOVE IT This mini project teaches children about the importance of exercise, sleep and a balanced diet, and explores outdoor, summer games and activities
MUSIC	Charanga Unit 1 Cross curricular/topic-based focus: Me! - explore: growing, homes, colour, toys, how I look Charanga Unit 2 Cross curricular and topic-based focus: My Stories - explore: using your imagination, Christmas, Festivals, Fairies, Pirates, Treasure, Superheroes, Let's pretend, Once upon a time	Charanga Unit 1 Cross curricular and topic-based focus: Everyone! - explore: family, friends, people and music from around the world Charanga Unit 2 Cross curricular and topic-based focus: Our World - explore: animals, jungle, minibeasts, night and day, sand and water, seaside, seasons, weather, sea, space	Charanga Unit 1 Big Bear Funk - A Transition Charanga Unit 2 React, Rewind and Replay: Consolidation of learning and contextualising the history of music.
COMPUTING	Kapow Computing systems and networks - using a computer. Programming 1: All about instructions	Kapow Computing systems and networks: Exploring hardware Programming 2: Programming Bee-Bots	Kapow Data handling: Introduction to data
RE	Discovery RE Theme: Special People Key Question: What makes people special? Religions: Christianity, Judaism Discovery RE Theme: Christmas Concept: Incarnation Key Question: What is Christmas? Religion: Christianity	Discovery RE Theme: Celebrations Key Question: How do people celebrate? Religions: Hinduism Discovery RE Theme: Easter Concept: Salvation Key Question: What is Easter? Religion: Christianity	Discovery RE Theme: Stories Key Question: What can we learn from stories? Religions: Christian Discovery RE Theme: Special Places Key Question: What makes places special? Religions: Christianity, Islam, Judaism
PSHE PSED	1Decision curriculum through animated story books. 1. Pink goes to school 2. Pink misses mummy 3. Red needs the toilet 4. Blue learns to share 5. Yellow play fights 6. Orange brushes her teeth (link with dentist visit) 7. Yellow wants to play with orange 1Decision curriculum through animated story books. 1. Blues best friend 2. Blue's indoor voice 3. Purple is poorly 4. Yellow learns about germs	Decision curriculum through animated story books. 1. Orange helps out 2. Why does purple play differently? 3. Reds nut allergy 4. Green gets glasses 5. Orange feels worried 6. Rainbow feels angry. 1Decision curriculum through animated story books. 1. Blue explores road safety 2. Pink's screen time 3. Yellow's bed time 4. Green's greens 5. Rainbows food journey 6. Orange moves house.	1Decision curriculum through animated story books. 1. Green's daddy moves out 2. Red goes swimming 3. Rainbow helps at home 4. Yellow goes on holiday 5. Blue gets lost 6. Green stays in hospital One Decision curriculum through animated story books. 1. Purple watches the news 2. Pink is feeling sad 3. Rainbow helps at home MOVING ON This Reception-only project celebrates the children's successes throughout their Reception year. It explores how

YEAR 1	AUT	UMN	SPRING		SUMMER	
HISTORY	WHAT WAS LIFE LIKE FOR OUR GRANDPARENTS GROWING UP?		VICTORIAN SCHOOL DAYS (Keep it Local)		LONDON'S BURNING The Great Fire of London	
GEOGRAPHY	WHERE WE LIVE What are the features of Thurlstone? (Keep it Local)		WONDERFUL BRITAIN What are the main features of the UK?		OUR CAPITAL CITY What geographical features can we see in London?	
ART AND DESIGN	The Art of Drawing and Painting Artist Stimulus- Picasso Drawing/ Painting. Art Medium- Pencil and Paint		The Art of Printing Stimulus- Present day materials Drawing/ Painting/ Print. Art Medium- Foam, Plasticine Print.		The Art of Sculpture Artist Stimulus- Andy Goldsworthy (Walter Mason and Bill Dan) Drawing/ Painting/ Sculpture Art Medium- Mixed Natural Materials.	
SCIENCE	KAPOW Seasonal changes	KAPOW Everyday materials	KAPOW Sensitive bodies	KAPOW Comparing animals	KAPOW Introduction to plants	KAPOW Making connections
COMPUTING	KAPOW Computing systems and networks: Improving mouse skills Programming 1: Algorithms unplugged		KAPOW Skills showcase: Rocket to the moon Programming 2: Bee-Bot		KAPOW Creating media: Digital imagery Data handling: Introduction to data Online safety: Year 1	
DT		POW : Puppets	KAPOW Cooking and nutrition: Fruit and vegetables		KAPOW Wheels and axles	
MUSIC	Charanga - Introducing Beat - How can we make friends when we sing together?	Charanga - Adding rhythm and pitch - How does music tell stories from the past?	Charanga – Introducing tempo and dynamics – How does music make the world a better place?	Charanga -Combining pulse, rhythm and pitch - How does music help us to understand our neighbours?	Charanga - Having fun with improvisation - What songs can we sing to help us through the day?	Charanga - Explore sound and create a story - How does music teach us about looking after our planet?
PE	Fundamental Movement Skills (U1) Ball Skills	Fundamental Movement Skills (U2) Dance	Fundamental Movement Skills (U5) Gymnastics	Fundamental Movement Skills (U6) Ball Skills	Fundamental Movement Skills (U4) Tennis Skills	Athletics Skills Ball Skills
RE	Discovery RE Christianity - Does God want Christians to look after the world?	Discovery RE Christianity - What gift would I have given to Jesus if He had been born in my town and not in Bethlehem?	Discovery RE Christianity -Was it always easy for Jesus to show friendship?	Discovery RE Christianity - Why was Jesus welcomed like a king or celebrity by the crowds on Palm Sunday?	Discovery RE Judaism - Is Shabbat important to Jewish children?	Discovery RE Judaism - Does celebrating Chanukah make Jewish children feel closer to God?
PSHE	1 Decision: Keeping/Staying Safe - Road Safety 1 Decision: Keeping/staying Healthy - Washing Hand	1 Decision : Computer Safety - Online Bullying	1 Decision: Relationships - Friendship 1 Decision: Being Responsible – Water Spillage	1 Decision : Feelings and emotions -Jealousy	1 Decision : Our World - Growing in Our World	1 Decision : Hazard Watch - Baseline Assessment 1 Decision: Fire Safety - Hoax Calling

YEAR 2	AUT	UMN	SPR	SPRING		IMER
HISTORY	PEOPLE WHO HELP US		KINGS AND QUEENS		COAL MINING IN BARNSLEY (KEEP IT LOCAL)	
GEOGRAPHY	OUR LOCAL LAND How is land used in our local area? (KEEP IT LOCAL – Penistone area)		JAMAICA How is Jamaica different from where we live?		THE YORKSHIRE COAST What geographical features can we see on our coastline? (KEEP IT LOCAL)	
ART AND DESIGN	The Art of Drawing and Painting (KEEP IT LOCAL) Artists: Brian Wildsmith Art Medium: pencil and Paint		The Art of Printing (Architecture link) Artists / Stimulus: Paul Klee (Castle and sun) / Kandinsky Medium: pencil, paint, print		The Art of Sculpture Artist: Alexander Calder Art Medium: pencil, paint, paper, wire and plasticine sculpture ('stabile structures')	
SCIENCE	Kapow Habitats	Kapow Microhabitats	Kapow Uses of every day materials	Kapow Life cycles and health	Kapow Plant growth	Kapow Making connections
COMPUTING	KAPOW Computing Systems and Networks: What is a computer? Programming: Algorithms and debugging		KAPOW Computer systems and network: Word processing Programming: Scratch Jr		KAPOW Digital imagery (using tablet devices) Data handling: Introduction to data Online safety year 2	
DT		POW by Bear's chair	KAPOW Mechanisms: Making a Moving Monster		KAPOW Food: A balanced diet	
MUSIC	Charanga Unit 1: Exploring Simple Patterns How does music help us to make friends?	Charanga Unit 2: Focus on Dynamics & Tempo How does music teach us about the past?	Charanga Unit 3: Exploring Feelings Through Music How does music make the world a better place?	Charanga Unit 4: Inventing a Musical Story How does music teach us about our neighbourhood?	Charanga Unit 5: Music that Makes You Dance How does music make us happy?	Charanga Unit 6: Exploring Improvisation How does music teach us about looking after our planet?
PE	Fundamental Movement Skills (U1) Football Skills	Fundamental Movement Skills (U2) Dance	Fundamental Movement Skills (U5) Gymnastics	Fundamental Movement Skills (U6) Ball Skills	Fundamental Movement Skills (U4) Tennis Skills	Athletics Skills Cricket Skills
RE	Discover RE Theme: What did Jesus teach? Concept: Gospel Key Question: Is it possible to be kind to everyone all of the time? Religion: Christianity	Discover RE Theme: Christmas - Jesus as gift from God Concept: Incarnation. Key Question: Why do Christians believe God gave Jesus to the world? Religion: Christianity	Discovery RE Theme: Passover Key Question: How important is it for Jewish people to do what God asks them to do? Religion: Judaism	Discover RE Theme: Easter - Resurrection Concept: Salvation Key Question: How important is it to Christians that Jesus came back to life after His crucifixion? Religion: Christianity	Discover RE Theme: The Covenant Key Question: How special is the relationship Jews have with God? Religion: Judaism	Discover RE Theme: Rites of Passage and good works Key Question: What is the best way for a Jew to show commitment to God? Religion: Judaism

PHSE	1Decision: Keeping/Staying Safe - Tying Shoelaces 1Decision: Keeping/Staying Healthy - Brushing Teeth	1Decision: Relationships - Bullying 1Decision: Relationships - Body Language	1Decision: Being Responsible - Practice Makes Perfect 1Decision: Being Responsible - Helping Someone in Need	1Decision: Feeling and Emotions - Worry 1Decision: Feeling and Emotions – Anger	1Decision : Computer Safety - Image Sharing 1Decision: Computer Safety – Documentary	1Decision: Our World: Living in Our World 1Decision: Our World: Working in Our World
YEAR 3	AUT	UMN	SPR	ING	SUM	IMER
HISTORY		STONE AGES TO THE	IRON AGES		REMARKABLE ROMANS (KEEP IT LOCAL – York)	
GEOGRAPHY	PEAKS AND PENNINES What is a mountain? (KEEP IT LOCAL)			ING EARTH split into sections?	ERUPTION! What is a volcano?	
ART AND DESIGN	The Art of Sculpture Stimulus: Prehistoric / Stone Age art Art Medium: pencil and Paint, Sculpture: Clay or Papier-Mâché			ing and Painting Art Medium: pencil, paint.	The Art of Printing Stimulus: Indian design and patterns (paisley) Medium: pencil, paint, foam block and string print	
SCIENCE	Kapow Movement and nutrition	Kapow Forces and magnets	Kapow Rocks and soils	Kapow Light and shadow	Kapow Plant reproduction	Kapow Making connections
COMPUTING	KAPOW Computing Systems and Networks: Networks and the internet Programming: Scratch		KAPOW Computing Systems and Networks: Networks: Emailing Journey inside a computer		KAPOW Creating media: Video trailers Data Handling: Comparison cards databases Online Safety: Year 3	
DT		POW ng Seasonally	KAPOW Electrical Systems: Electric poster		KAPOW Structures: Constructing a fort	
MUSIC	Charanga: Developing notational skills How does music bring us closer together?	Charanga: Enjoying improvisation What stories does music tell us about the past?	Charanga: Composing and using imagination How does music help to make the world a better place?	Charanga: Sharing musical experiences How does music help us get to know our community?	Charanga Learning more about musical styles How does music make a difference to us every day?	Charanga: Recognising different sounds How does music connect us with our planet?
PE	Fundamental Movement Skills (U1) Hockey Skills	Fundamental Movement Skills (U2) Dance	Fundamental Movement Skills (U5) Gymnastics	Fundamental Movement Skills (U6) Tag Rugby Skills	Outdoor Adventurous Activities Tennis Skills	Athletics Skills Cricket Skills
RE	Discovery RE Sikhism: The Amrit ceremony and the Khalsa - Concept: Incarnation Does joining the Khalsa make a person a better Sikh?	Discovery RE Christianity: Christmas Concept: Incarnation Has Christmas lost its true meaning?	Discovery RE Christianity: Jesus' miracles Concept: Incarnation Could Jesus heal people? Were these miracles or is there some other explanation?	Discovery RE Easter - Forgiveness Concept: Salvation What is 'good' about Good Friday?	Discovery RE Sikhism: Sharing and community - Do Sikhs think it's important to share?	Discovery RE Prayer and worship - What is the best way for a Sikh to show commitment to God?
PSHE	1decision Keeping/Staying Safe and Healthy: Leaning out of windows	1decision Relationships: Touch	1decision Being Responsible: Stealing	1decision Feelings and Emotions: Grief	1decision Our World: Looking after our world	1decision Hazard Watch: Suitable for years 1-3 and taught where suitable

	Medicine					
SPANISH	Language Angels Phonetics I am Learning Spanish	Language Angels Phonetics Animals	Language Angels Phonetics Instruments	Language Angels Phonetics I am able I know how to	Language Angels Phonetics Ice creams	Language Angels Phonetics Fruit/vegs
YEAR 4	AUT	UMN	SPR	ING	SUM	IMER
HISTORY		ANGLO SAXONS AN	ND VIKINGS		EXCELLENT EGYPTIANS	
GEOGRAPHY	What happen	G RIVERS s to our water? AL – River Don)	AMAZON TO What is a		ROUND THE WORLD IN 80 DAYS – world locations What discoveries have explorers made?	
ART AND DESIGN	The Art of Drawing and Painting Artist: Margaret Godfrey Art Medium: pencil and Paint (Mixed)		Stimulus: Anglo-Saxon Illu	rt of Printing Illuminated letter prints and encil, paint, collograph print The Art of Sculpture (Architecture link) Artist: Zaha Hadid Medium: Paper / Card		Artist: Zaha Hadid
SCIENCE	Kapow Digestion and food	Kapow Electricity and circuits	Kapow States of matter	Kapow Sound and vibration	Kapow Classification and changing habitats	Kapow Making connections
COMPUTING	KAPOW Computing systems and networks: Collaborative learning. Programming 1: Further coding with Scratch		KAPOW Creating media: Website design Skills showcase: HTML		KAPOW Programming 2: Computational thinking Data handling: Investigating weather Online safety: Year 4	
DT		POW tems: Torches	KAPOW Food: Adapting a recipe		KAPOW Structures: Pavilions	
MUSIC	Charanga Interesting time signatures - How does music bring us together?	Charanga Combining elements to make music - How does music connect us without past?	Charanga Developing pulse and groove through improvisation - How does music improve our world?	Charanga Creating simple melodies together - How does music teach us about our community?	Charanga Connecting notes and feelings - How does music shape our way of life?	Charanga Purpose, identity and expression in music - How does music connect us with the environment?
PE	Fundamental Movement Skills (U1) Hockey Skills	Fundamental Movement Skills (U2) Dance	Fundamental Movement Skills (U5) Gymnastics	Fundamental Movement Skills (U6) Tag Rugby Skills	Outdoor Adventurous Activities Tennis Skills	Athletics Skills Cricket Skills
RE	Discovery RE Beliefs and Practices How special is the relationship Jews have with God? Buddha's Teachings Is it possible for everyone to be happy?	Discovery RE Christmas What is the most significant part of the nativity story for Christians today?	Discovery RE Passover How important is it for Jewish people to do what God asks them to do? The 8-fold Path Can the Buddha's teachings make the world a better place?	Discovery RE Easter Is forgiveness always possible for Christians?	Discovery RE The 8-fold path What is the best way for a Buddhist to lead a good life?	Discovery RE Prayer and Worship Do people need to go to church to show they are Christians?

PHSE	1 Decision Keeping and Staying Safe - Cycle Safety Keeping and Staying Healthy - Healthy Living	1 Decision Growing and Changing - Appropriate Touch	1 Decision Being Responsible - Coming Home on Time	1 Decision Feelings and Emotions – Jealousy	1 Decision Computer Safety - Online Bullying The Working World - Chores at Home	1 Decision A World Without Judgement - Inclusion and Acceptance (child and adult views)
SPANISH	Language Angels Phonetics Presenting myself	Language Angels Phonetics My family	Language Angels Phonetics Habitats	Language Angels Phonetics In the classroom	Language Angels Phonetics At the cafe	Language Angels Phonetics What is the weather
YEAR 5	AUT	UMN	SPI	RING	SUN	IMER
HISTORY	VICTORIAN	PENISTONE [LOCAL)		Y GREEKS	MARVELOUS MAYANS	
GEOGRAPHY	Why did people choos	N SHEFFIELD e to settle in Sheffield? L – a local city)	What is farmin	TO FORK In g like in the UK? That is farmed locally?)	FABULOUS FOOD! Where do things grow best?	
ART AND DESIGN	(KEEP IT Artist: L.S Lowry Art Medium: p	f Sculpture T LOCAL) Dencil, paint, sculpture wire, foil Clay	Artist: Frida Kahlo D	of Printing rawing/ Painting/ Print encil, paint, print	The Art of Drawing and Painting (Digital link) Artist: Georgia O'Keefe Art Medium: pencil and Paint	
SCIENCE	Kapow Mixtures and separation	Kapow Properties and changes	Kapow Earth and space	Kapow Life cycles and reproduction	Kapow Imbalanced forces	Kapow Human timeline and making connections
COMPUTING	Computing systems and I	POW networks - search engines ning: music	Data Handling	POW g - Mars Rover 1 ng – Micro: bit	KAPOW Creating media - Stop motion animation Skills showcase - Mars Rover 2 Online Safety: Year 5	
DT		POW ems: Doodlers	KAPOW Food: What could be healthier?		KAPOW Mechanical Systems: Making a pop-up book	
MUSIC	Charanga: Getting started with music tech - how does music bring us together?	Charanga Emotions and musical styles - how does music connect us with our past?	Charanga: Exploring key and time signatures - how does music improve our world?	Charanga Introducing chords - how does music teach us about our community?	Charanga: Words, meaning and expression - how does music shape our way of life?	Charanga Identifying important musical elements - how does music connect us with our environment?
PE	Fundamental Movement Skills (U6) Netball/Football	Fundamental Movement Skills (U1) Dance	Fundamental Movement Skills (U3) Gymnastics	Fundamental Movement Skills (U2) Tag Rugby	Outdoor Adventurous Activities Tennis	Athletics Cricket
RE	Discovery RE: Unit 1: Belief into action How far would a Sikh go for his/her religion? Unit 2: Prayer and Worship	Discovery RE: Unit 3: Christmas Is the Christmas story true?	Discovery RE: Unit 4: Beliefs and Moral Values Are Sikh stories important today? Unit 5: Hindu Beliefs	Discovery RE: Unit 6: Easter How significant is it for Christians to believe God intended Jesus to die?	Discovery RE: Unit 7: Prayer and Worship What is the best way for a Sikh to show commitment to God?	Discovery RE: Unit 9: Beliefs and Practices What is the best way for a Christian to show commitment to God?

	What is the best way for a Hindu to show commitment to God?		How can Brahman be everywhere and in everything?		Unit 8: Beliefs and Moral Values Do beliefs in Karma, Samsara and Moksha help Hindus lead good lives?	
PHSE	1Decision: Keeping/Staying Safe Keeping/Staying Healthy	1Decision : Being Responsible	1Decision: Feelings and Emotions	1Decision: Computer Safety Y5	1Decision: The Working World A World without Judgment	1Decision : Growing and Changing
SPANISH	Language Angels Phonetics Do you have a pet	Language Angels Phonetics The date	Language Angels Phonetics My home	Language Angels Phonetics clothes	Language Angels Phonetics The Olympics	Language Angels Phonetics Habitats
YEAR 6	ALIT	UMN	SDR	ling	SUM	MFR
HISTORY	BRITAIN AND THE SLAVE TRADE		THE WORLD WARS (KEEP IT LOCAL LINKS – Thurlstone war effort		PEACE AT LAST - POST WAR BRITAIN (KEEP IT LOCAL LINKS – Peak District National Park)	
GEOGRAPHY	OUR CHANGING WORLD What is climate change?		KEEPING THURLSTONE CLEAN What do cars do to our air? (KEEP IT LOCAL)		BRRRRR! Is there life in the polar regions?	
ART AND DESIGN	The Art of Sculpture (KEEP IT LOCAL) Artist: Henry Moore (War Sculpture) Art Medium: pencil and paint, sculpture (Wire and Papier-mâché or clay)		The Art of Drawing and Painting (Digital link) Artist: Victoria Topping Art Medium: pencil, paint, digital (Adobe Fresco)		The Art of Printing Artist: William Morris / Darwin's botanical drawing Art Medium: pencil, paint, print combing textiles.	
SCIENCE	Kapow Classifying big and small	Kapow Light and reflection	Kapow Evolution and inheritance	Kapow Circuits, batteries and switches	Kapow Circulation and exercise	Kapow Making connections
COMPUTING	Computing systems and	POW networks - Bletchley Park Intro to Python	KAPOW Data handling: Big Data 1 Creating media: History of computers		KAPOW Data handling 2: Big Data 2 Skills showcase: Inventing a product Online safety: Year 6	
DT		POW Playgrounds	KAPOW Food: Come dine with me		KAPOW Textiles: Waistcoats	
	Charanga	Charanga	Charanga	Charanga	Charanga	Charanga
MUSIC	Developing melodic phrases How does music bring us together?	Understanding structure and form How does music connect with our past?	Gaining confidence through performance How does music improve our world?	Exploring notation further How does music teach us about our community?	Using cords and structure How does music shape our way of life?	Respecting each others composition How does music connect us with the environment?
PE	Fundamental Movement	Fundamental Movement Skills (U1) Dance	Fundamental Movement Skills (U3) Gymnastics	Fundamental Movement	Outdoor Adventurous Activities Tennis	Athletics Cricket
RE	Skills (U6) Netball/Football Discovery RE Islam – What is the best was for Muslims to show commitment to god?	Discovery RE Christianity Incarnation: How significant is it that Mary was Jesus' mother? Christmas: Do Christmas celebrations and	Discovery RE Belief and meaning Is anything ever eternal? Christianity:	Skills (U2) Tag Rugby Discovery RE Easter Is Christianity still a strong religion 2000 after Jesus was on earth?	Discov Belief and m Islam – Does belief in Akhir live	rery RE noral values. rah help Muslims lead good

		traditions help Christians understand who Jesus was and why he was born?				
PHSE	1Decision Keeping/ Staying Safe - Cycle safety, water safety, peer pressure	1Decision Keeping/ Staying Healthy - Healthy living, smoking, alcohol Growing and Changing - relationships, puberty, conception	1Decision Being Responsible -coming home on time, looking out for others, stealing Feelings and Emotions - jealousy, anger, worry	1Decision Computer Safety - online bullying, image sharing, making friends online	1Decision The Working World - chores at home, enterprise, in-app purchases	1Decision A World Without Judgement - breaking down barriers, inclusion and acceptance, British values
SPANISH	Language Angels Phonetics At school	Language Angels Phonetics Healthy lifestyle	Language Angels Phonetics At the weekend	Language Angels Phonetics World war 2	Language Angels Phonetics Vikings	Language Angels Phonetics Me in the world