

Year 7 Curriculum Overview- Texts are rotated between classes over the year

	LB1	LB2	LB3	LB4	LB5	LB6
English- Core school	Bad Guys		Charlie & The Chocolate Factory		Revolting Rhymes	
	Writing focus: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Recount • Information writing • Instruction writing • Persuasive writing • Creative writing • Descriptive writing • Email – formal and informal SPAG focus: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Capital letters • Full stops • Punctuation • Word class- nouns, adjectives and verbs Drama focus: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Small group role play • Drama games • Hot seating • Freeze frame 		Writing focus: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Book review-opinion writing • Descriptive writing • Comparative writing • Diary writing- narrative writing • Information writing • Newspaper article • Instruction recipe writing SPAG focus: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Comparative conjunctions • Superlatives and imperative verbs • 1st person narrative • Punctuation and layout in non-fiction • Time connectives Drama focus: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hot seating • In the Manner of the Word • Object focus • Guided tour • Roll on the wall 		Writing focus: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Diary Entry writing • Newspaper article- creative writing • Persuasive writing • Instruction writing • Letter writing- informal and formal • rhyme SPAG focus: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tenses- past tense • Speech marks • Adjectives • Similes & antonyms • Time connectives Drama focus: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hot-seating • Freeze frames • Role play • Playscript • Charades- Drama games 	



English- SLD	This is Me SLD EMS curriculum		Planet Earth SLD EMS Curriculum		The World Around Me SLD EMS Curriculum	
Maths - Core School	Place value – counting on/back, value of digits, finding more/less, multiples, odd/even. Addition & Subtraction – number bonds, missing numbers, mental and written methods. Money – recognise/use coins, give change	Multiplication and division – repeated addition, mental methods, sharing Properties of 2D/3D shapes , inc. nets. Classify and sort shapes. Fractions – unit and non-unit fractions, equivalent fractions. Length and perimeter – units of length, calculate perimeter of 2D shapes and composite shapes.	Place value – rounding, ordering and comparing. Graphs and charts – bar charts, tables, pie charts, line graphs, real life graphs. Comparing/totalling/interpreting data. Time – sequencing events, calendar events. Converting 12-24hr digital/analogue. Decimals – calculations with decimals (inc. money) Sequences – number patterns, times tables, counting patterns. FUNCTIONAL MATHS TASKS	Addition & Subtraction – written methods, inverses, estimation and checking Money – add/subtract money, giving change, £ and p. notation Fractions – compare and order fractions. Calculations with fractions. Mass/capacity/temperature - measuring. Reading scales. Probability – vocabulary, probability scale, probability of events. FUNCTIONAL MATHS TASKS	Multiplication and division – formal written methods. Solve problems. Place Value – negatives, Roman Numerals Time – 12-24 hr analogue and digital clocks. Converting time. Reading time and solving problems. Percentages – percentages of amounts. Fraction/decimal/percentage equivalence. Area (and perimeter) – 2D shapes and composite shapes. Read and interpret timetables. Averages – mean, median, mode and range. FUNCTIONAL MATHS TASKS	Problem solving with 4 ops One-and two-step problems. Coordinates/position/direction – Read/plot coordinates. Reflect/translate shapes. Symmetry. Angles of turn. Directions. Volume – volume of 3D shapes and composite shapes. Ratio and proportion – scaling recipes and scaling problems. Converting units – convert between metric units for length/mass/capacity. FUNCTIONAL MATHS TASKS
AQA Tasks: 119180 116173 117710 Kinetic letters Phonics/functional vocab Colourful Semantics			AQA Tasks: 110266 106934 74984 Kinetic letters Phonics/functional vocab Colourful Semantics	AQA Tasks: 110247 110444 112082 71534 78936 Kinetic letters Phonics/functional Vocab Colourful Semantics		



	Charts – tally charts, pictograms. FUNCTIONAL MATHS TASKS	Angles and construction – Recognise, measure and draw angles. Parallel lines. FUNCTIONAL MATHS TASKS				
Maths - SLD	Four lessons per week to follow skills area: (1.) Understanding number – place value and vocabulary (2.) Number – calculations (3.) Measures including time (4.) Money					
	One lesson per week to follow topic themes below:					
	Toys Sorting and classifying	Toys Shopping lists Wish lists Adding totals	Days, months, seasons Recording using tally charts and bar charts	Days, months, seasons Calendar events	Animals and plants Data handling	Animals and plants Symmetry in nature
Science	Biology Topic 1 – Animal and Plant Cells Chemistry Topic 1 – Mixing, dissolving and separating solutions and solids. Physics Topic 1 – Forces and their effects.			Biology Topic 2 – Eating, drinking and breathing. Chemistry Topic 2 – Elements, Mixtures and compounds. Physics Topic 2 – Energy transfers and sound.		
Sport and Leisure	Sport Invasion Games 1 Football/ Touch Rugby Leisure SAQ/ Interval/ Fartlek/ Continuous/ Circuit/ Group exercise training	Sport Invasion Games 2 Basketball/ Netball/ Handball Leisure Rowvember – Fitness Suite Fitness Health and Wellbeing Flag Football/ Goalball/ Yoga	Sport Net Wall Games 1 Sitting Volleyball Leisure Yoga/ Health walks/ Fitness suite Health and Wellbeing Football/ Benchball/ Dance	Sport Target Games Dodgeball/ Inclusive Sports (Boccia/ New Age Kurling) Leisure OAA – Problem Solving Health and Wellbeing Touch Rugby/ Frisbee/ Arrows Archery	Sport Striking and Fielding Leisure Athletics Health and Wellbeing Golf/ Dodgeball/ Fitness Suite	Sport Net Wall 2 Tennis/ Table Tennis Leisure Athletics Health and Wellbeing Rounders/ Boxercise/ Multi-Sports



	Health and Wellbeing Capture the Flag/ Netball/ Table Tennis					
Humanities	Humanities Skills <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Timelining - Map skills - Direction - Understanding the world 	Kings and Queens <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Past and present - Traditions - Monarchy - Progression 		Into the Wild <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Environment and nature - Seasons and climate - Responsibility 		
Computing	Familiarisation of school network – evaluation of software. (Cover e-Safety and safety in the computer suite)	Creating a presentation - including digital photography and research on the internet.	Coding – creating simple games. Espresso.	What is a database Creating graphs. Excel	Logo – Giving commands to an onscreen turtle.	e-Safety and use of emails.
Design Technology	‘Working with Wood’ Health & Safety in the workshop. Use of hand tools and basic machine tools. Using softwood and hardwood. Designing and making a pencil holder.	‘Shape and Form’ Using layers to create a calendar frame. Using colours and contrast.	‘Working with Plastic’ Exploring properties of plastics. Making an acrylic key-fob.	‘Toy Cars’ Experimenting with mad designs. Being safe a simple – making a rolling toy for a child.	‘Wooden Robots’ Practicing more accurate marking and cutting. Making it individual.	‘Coat Hooks’ Practical projects for particular purposes.
Cooking and Nutrition	Introduction to Cooking – Basic skills & safety	Dairy, Alternatives & Modifying Recipes	Food Choice & Meal Making			

(NB 3 LBs delivered as timetabled as double lessons)	<p>Theory: layout of food room, equipment, expectations for working, hygiene & safety, Eatwell guide.</p> <p>Skills: knives, kettles, grater, peelers, hob (frying/boiling/simmering), oven (baking), mixing & stirring.</p> <p>Recipes: Couscous salad, vegetable soup, savoury crumble</p>		<p>Theory: dairy & the alternatives, sources of protein & alternatives, ways recipes can be modified.</p> <p>Skills: knives, weighing, measuring, grating, slicing, spreading, grill, portioning, dividing, handling fish.</p> <p>Recipes: Pizza toast, goujons/bean burgers, breakfast muffins</p>	<p>Theory: food choices, seasoning, flavouring, presentation.</p> <p>Skills: knives, hob, stir-frying, draining, handling raw chicken, peeling, blitzing, forming, blenders.</p> <p>Recipes: Stir-fry, vegetable curry, koftas, choice week.</p>			
PSHE	Self-Awareness and Managing Feelings	Self-Care, Support and Safety	Changing and Growing	Healthy Lifestyles	Careers	The World I Live In	
Art	Primary and Secondary Colours	Printing- Block and Stick	Natural Forms	Natural Forms	Wax relief/Batik	Weaving	
Music	Musical Elements	Pitch / Keyboard Skills	Rhythm	Hip Hop	Ukulele	African Drumming	
Ethics	Christianity – What do Christians believe? What do I believe?	Christianity – What do Christians believe? What do I believe?	Judaism – What is it like to follow a Jewish way of life in Britain today?	Judaism – What is it like to follow a Jewish way of life in Britain today?	Islam – What is it like to follow a Jewish way of life in Britain today?	Islam – What is it like to follow a Jewish way of life in Britain today?	