YEAR 2

'Families and communities'

Virtues:
Faith-filled and hopeful

What kind of person is God calling me to be? - What kind of person is God calling me to be?

Stunning Start

We are all amazing – let's celebrate how unique we are!

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R.E.

Branch 2 – Prophecy and Promise
- What is a prophet?
- Name and identify some prophets
- Advent – waiting for Jesus

Computing – Kapow unit:

Algorithms and debugging (Lessons 1, 2, 4, 5)

P.E. -

Gymnastics
- Describe and explain how performers can transition and link elements. Perform basic actions with control at different speeds and levels. Develop flexibility in a range of shapes and balances.

Science

White Rose unit:

Materials:
- Types of materials
- Comparing materials
- Testing materials
- Plan and investigate: waterproof experiment

Sustainability
- Reducing plastic

Maths

White Rose Unit:

Addition and subtraction:
- Adding and subtracting across 10
- Using number facts to check work
- Comparing number sentences
- Missing number problems

Shape:
-2D and 3D shapes (sort and identify features)
Lines of symmetry

English Core Text

The Little Hen and the great war

Peace Lily

Rhyming couplets, acrostic poems

Short narrative
Character/setting description
Focus: sequence, beginning/middle/end, 3rd person, tenses, oral rehearsal and talk for writing to develop language skills

Other Texts

Remembrance poems

Other Reading

Library books – develop reading for pleasure

Spoken Language – SL

To answer questions using clear sentences.
To begin to give reasoning behind their answers when prompted to do so.

Scripture Focus:

"Create in me a pure heart, O God."
Psalm 52:10

Prayer Focus

Daily prayers

Big Questions

What makes us unique?

Geography –

Weather and climate (hot and cold)
- Types of climates
- What its like to live in hot/cold regions
- Weather chart
- Seasons and expected weather

PSHE –

TenTen units:
- 1.2.1 I am unique
- 1.2.2 Girls and Boys
- 1.2.3 Clean and healthy (my body)

Additional:
- Teeth cleaning - nurse
- Firework safety
- Water safety

Music –

Let's keep singing

Nativity songs

DT – Kapow
Structures: Baby Bear's chair

Fantastic Finish

The Nativity – celebrating the miracle of Jesus' birth.