



**Thomas Bullock Church of England Primary Academy**  
**Curriculum Map 2024/25**  
**Africa Class**  
**(Year 2)**



2024–2025	Autumn Term		Spring Term		Summer Term	
	Autumn 1 8 weeks	Autumn 2 7 weeks	Spring 1 6 weeks	Spring 2 6 weeks	Summer 1 5 weeks	Summer 2 8 weeks
<b>Theme</b>	<b>Kings and Queens</b>	<b>The Great Fire of London</b>	<b>Planet Earth</b>		<b>They Made a Difference</b>	<b>Life in Kenya</b>
<b>English</b>	Story writing – If I Were a Giant (2 weeks)  Poetry- If I Were a King/Queen (2 weeks)  Non-chronological report – Castles (3 weeks)	Report (recount of events) – The Great Fire of London (3 weeks)  Retelling a traditional story with an alternative ending (4 weeks)	Poetry – Write and perform (2 weeks)  Narrative – Writing another chapter for an adventure story (2 weeks)  Explanation text – food chains and habitats (3 weeks)  Character description stories (3 weeks)		Non-fiction report – Protecting the environment (2 weeks)  Instructions – How to look after our planet (2 weeks)  Diary entry – Amazing Grace (2 weeks)	Journey stories – Meerkat Mail (5 weeks)  Fiction – Parody of the Gingerbread Man (2 weeks)
<b>Grammar Focus</b>	Alternative pronunciation and spellings Capital letters and full stops Past tense Adjectives and Expanded noun phrases	Different sentence types Nouns, verbs and adverbs Present tense	Subordination (and coordination) Past Tense Suffixes -ing - er, -est, - ed	Apostrophes - Possession and Contraction Commas in a list	Different sentence types Present/ past tense	Consolidation: Tenses Punctuation (. ? ! , ' ) Word Classes
<b>Reading</b>	If I Were a Giant If I Were King/Queen Castles	The Great Fire of London Little Red Riding Hood	The Owl and the Pussy Cat The Owl Who Was Afraid of the Dark Fantastic Mr Fox		Guardians of the Planet Amazing Grace	Meerkat Mail The Stinky Cheese Man
<b>Maths</b>	Place Value (4 weeks) Addition and Subtraction (3 weeks)  Multiplication Facts: 2's	Addition and Subtraction (2 weeks) Shape (3 weeks)  Multiplication Facts: 4's	Money (2 weeks) Multiplication and Division (3 weeks)  Multiplication Facts: 3's	Fractions (3 week) Length, Height, Mass, Capacity, Temperature (2 weeks)  Multiplication Facts: 5's, 10's, 11's	Addition and Subtraction (2 weeks) Fractions (3 weeks) KSI SATS Multiplication Facts: 2's, 4's, 3's, 5's, 10's and 11's	Time (3 weeks) Statistics (1 week) Position and Direction (1 week)  Multiplication Facts: 2's, 4's, 3's, 5's, 10's and 11's
<b>Science</b>	Animals and Survival	Uses of Materials	Habitats		Protecting Our Environment	Plants and Growth
<b>Art</b>		Great Fire of London Collage	Animals in Their Habitats Painting		African Prints	
<b>Design Technology</b>	Construction: Crowns			Textiles: Animal Finger Puppets		Structure: Plant Pots
<b>Computing</b>	Online Safety Computing Systems and Networks	Creating Media (Digital Photography)	Programming A (Robot Algorithms)	Data and Information (Pictograms)	Creating Media (Digital Music)	Programming B (Programming Quizzes)
<b>Geography</b>			Planet Earth			Life in Kenya
<b>History</b>	Kings and Queens	The Great Fire of London			They Made a Difference	
<b>Music</b>			Music Hub			
<b>PE</b>	Tag Rugby/Real PE	Gymnastics/Real PE	Dance/Real PE	Tennis/Real PE	Cricket/Real PE	Athletics/Real PE
<b>Religious Education</b>	Why is light an important symbol for Christians, Jews and Hindus?	What does the nativity story teach Christians about Jesus?	How do Christians belong to their faith family?	How do Jewish people celebrate Passover (Pesach)?	Why do people have different views about the idea of God?	
<b>PSHE</b>	What makes a good friend?	What is bullying?	What jobs do people do?	What is money?	What helps us grow and stay healthy?	What helps us stay safe?