

## WOOTTON WAWEN CE PRIMARY SCHOOL – A CREATIVE CURRICULUM.

At Wootton Wawen CE Primary School we have used the implementation of the New Primary Curriculum as an opportunity to develop a curriculum that inspires and challenges our pupils. It uses topics that encourage children to explore

- Who we are
- What life was like in the past
- Our responsibility for planet earth
- Keeping fit and healthy
- How the world works
- What the world around us is like

*“A good school makes the National Curriculum work for them rather than be a slave to it.”*

### ***Mick Waters. President of the Curriculum Foundation***

**As a church school** we believe that the RE curriculum allows the children the space they need to get to grips with who they are, what life can mean for them and what the meaning of life might entail for other people and the world around them.

**As educators** with a responsibility for preparing children for life in an ever changing world we are developing a range of technologies to bring learning to life; these are used for problem solving creative projects and enterprise activities.

We have adopted the **Prospects Curriculum** to use alongside the units of work we have developed and trialled over the past few years. We believe these provide a broad, balanced curriculum that is relevant to our children.

We teach **Maths and English** in line with the new National Curriculum but we are keen to make sure that children are given plenty of opportunity to apply the skills that are learnt in all areas of the curriculum.

We will now be teaching **Computer Science** in each year group but will also make extensive use of Information Technology to support learning and bring the curriculum to life.

The **Modern Foreign Language** we have chosen to teach is **French**; we currently have a link with a French School and are looking to extend the project work we do in this area.

As a church school we have a responsibility to create a school where children are viewed as unique creations of God that deserved to be listened to, nurtured and allowed to grow in a positive but challenging environment We are developing a series of topic grids which we hope will give you a clear overview of what is being taught through each theme. These will be published on the school portal under the class pages and also in the class pages of the website.

Our current topics can be found at the end of this document.

	CERRY	WILLOW	CHESTNUT	BIRCH	SYCAMORE
AUTUMN	SCHOOL DAYS	LONDON'S BURNING/ LONDON TODAY	IT'S GOOD TO BE ME	INVADERS	COVENTRY BLITZ
SPRING	POLES APART	INDIAN SPICE	CHINA	WILD WATER	PASSPORT TO THE WORLD
SUMMER	FLIGHT	OH I DO LIKE TO BE BESIDE THE SEASIDE	MEET THE FLINSTONES	RAINFOREST	HEALTHY LIFESTYLES

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SPRING	POLES APART	INDIAN SPICE	TOMB RAIDERS	ROMANS RULE	LIGHTS CAMERA ACTION
SUMMER	FLIGHT	OH I DO LIKE TO BE BESIDE THE SEASIDE	LOCATION, LOCATION	STRATFORD	WHO CARES?

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