

Acorns Long Term Plan Cycle B 2026/2027

Topic Title	How have children's lives changed?	Who lives in Antarctica?	How did the achievement of the ancient Maya impact on society?	Are all settlements the same?	What was important to Ancient Egyptians?	What are rivers and how are they used?
Visit/Visitors	Castleton	Pantomime				
English	Fagan's Girl by Karen McCombie	Big Blue Whale by Nicola Davies (pathways)	The Chocolate Tree	Amazing Islands by Sabrina Weiss and Koji's Island by the Literacy company (pathways)	Zeraffa Giraffa by Dianna Hofmeyr (pathways)	Amazing Rivers by Julia Vosburgh Agnone (pathways)
Maths	Place Value Addition and subtraction	Addition and subtraction Multiplication and division A Area	Multiplication and Division B Length and Perimeter Fractions A	Fractions A Mass and Capacity Fractions B	Fractions B Tiem Decimals Money	Shape Position and Direction Statistics
Science	Forces and Space- Forces and Magnets	Materials – States of matter	Energy – sound and vibrations	Living things- Classification and changing habitats	Plants- plant reproduction	Making connections – how does wind force affect seed dispersal?
History	How have children's lives changed?		How did the achievement of the ancient Maya impact on society?		What was important to Ancient Egyptians?	What are rivers and how are they used?

Geography		Who lives in Antarctica?		Are all settlements the same?		What are rivers and how are they used?
Computing (online safety to be taught across the year)	Computing systems and networks 1 - Networks	Data handling – Comparison cards data bases	Computing systems and networks 3- Journey inside a computer	Microsoft Office 365: Computing systems and networks: Collaborative learning	Data Handling – Investigating Weather	Showcase skills- HTML
Music	Rock and Roll	Creating compositions in response to animations(mountains theme)	Ballads	Haiku music and performance (theme Hanami festival)	Samba and carnival sounds and instruments(Theme – South America)	Changes in pitch, tempo and dynamics (river theme)
Art	Painting and mixed media – Light and Dark		Craft and design – Egyptian Scrolls		Drawing – exploring tone, texture and proportion	
D&T		Cooking – adapting a recipe		Mechanical systems – mechanical cars		Structures – constructing a castle
PSHE	Being Me in My World	Celebrating Differences	Dreams and Goals	Healthy Me	Relationships	Changing Me
MFL	French greetings with puppets	French greetings with adjectives of colour size and shape	Playground games – numbers and age	In a French, classroom	Bon appetit	Shopping for French food
PE	Swimming Gymnastics	Swimming Dance	Swimming Gymnastics	Tag Rugby	Athletics	Mini Tennis

RE	Why is Jesus inspiring to some people?	How do people from religious and non-religious communities celebrate key festivals?	Why are festivals important to religious communities?	Why do some people think that life is a journey and what significant experiences mark this?	What does it mean to be a Hindu in Britain today?	How do family life and festivals show what matters to Jewish people?
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