THAKEHAM PRIMARY SCHOOL



CURRICULUM OVERVIEW

Learning Journey Years A and B and Key Quality Texts Choices

Year A

Year B

Book Choice Key (why they are being used):

love of reading, grammar elements, poetry, character descriptions, story structure, playscripts, diary entry, recounts, instructions, non-chronological report features, persuasive writing, letter features, vocabulary building

Beatles Class EYFS	Marvelous Me Bug school Harry's Bucket full of dinosaurs Monsters Not Allowed Nursery/rhymes What makes me a me? Leaf Tree Nature Trail Oliver's Vegetables 5 days of Diwali We are Going on a bear hunt The Street Beneath my Feet The Skies above my eyes Let's Celebrate Zim Zam Zoom Hello hedgehog Martha Maps it out Elmer Stick Man Stick Man Nativity Nativity playscript The Jolly Christmas Post Man Dear Santa	Out of this world Mad about dinosaurs Dinosaur Roar Trex on tour Stomp, chomp, big roars, here come the dinosaurs Dinosaur girl The Great Race Let's get growing! The World Came to My Place Today Jasper's Beanstalk Ten Seeds The Tiny Seed The Extraordinary Gardner I love my Mum Three Go Farming The Easter story	Mighty minibeasts Butterfly Dance Mad about Minibeasts Betsy Buglove Saves the Bees Let's get moving! Beegu Naughty Bus Emergency Pirate Frank Space poems Wright Brothers Mae Amongst the Stars Look up Little People Big dreams	Marvelous Me Bug school Harry's Bucket full of dinosaurs Monsters Not Allowed Nursery/rhymes What makes me a me? Leaf Tree Nature Trail Oliver's Vegetables 5 days of Diwali We are Going on a bear hunt The Street Beneath my Feet The Skies above my eyes Let's Celebrate Zim Zam Zoom Hello hedgehog Martha Maps it out Elmer Stick Man Stick Man Nativity Nativity playscript The Jolly Christmas Post Man Dear Santa	The Great Race George Saves the World by Lunchtime Michael Recycle The Tin Forest Wangari's Tree of Peace The Extraordinary Gardner Let's get growing! The World Came to My Place Today Jasper's Beanstalk Ten Seeds The Tiny Seed Three Go Farming The Easter story	Mighty minibeasts Butterfly Dance Mad about Minibeasts Betsy Buglove Saves the Bees Non fiction Ask Dr K Fisher about Minibeasts Twist and Hop Minibeast Bop Let's get moving! Beegu Naughty Bus Emergency Pirate Frank Space poems Wright Brothers Mae Amongst the Stars Look up Little People Big dreams
Wonder Class KS1	Dragons and Dinosaurs Sir Scallywag and the deadly dragon poo The Dinosaur that Pooped a Planet Franklin's Flying Bookshop 'Tyrannosaurus Drip' 'Sir Charlie Stinky-socks' 'Dragon Post' 'The Egg' by M. P. Roberston	Frozen Planet 'Lost and Found' by Oliver Jeffers 'The Emperor's Egg' by Martin Jenkins 'The Life of Captain Scott' 'The Great Explorer' by Chris Judge	Where the Wild Things Are 'Gorilla' by Anthony Browne 'Where the Wild Things Are' 'Giraffes Can't Dance' by Giles Andrede 'The Gruffalo' by Julia Donaldson 'Mixed Up Chameleon' by Eric Carle 'Elmer the Elephant' by Eric Carle 'Mogg' by Judith Kerr 'You're Called What?!' by Kes Gray	I'm Alive! 'Shark in the Park' by Nick Sharratt 'The Tunnel' by Anthony Browne 'What is Pink?' by Christina Rossetti 'The Black Book of Colours' by Menena Cottin 'Three Little Pigs', traditional tales 'The Three Little Wolves and the Big Bad Pig' 'The Giant Jam Sandwich' by John Vernon Lord 'How to Make a Snowflake'	Surfs Up! 'Wombat Goes Walkabout' by Michael Morpurgo 'Who am I?' by Moira Butterfield 'A Kid's Guide to Australia' by Jack L Roberts Drusillas Information Leaflet What the Ladybird Heard at the Seaside by JD 'Clean Up!' by Nathan Bryon Narrative 'The Lighthouse Keeper's Lunch' by Ronda Armitage	Fire! Fire! 'Toby and the Great Fire of London' by Margaret Nash The Great Fire of London Unclassified by Nick Hunter 'Who Was Samuel Pepys?' by Paul Harrison 'Vlad and the Great Fire of London' by Kate Curningham 'Fire Engine' by Annabel Savery 'The Dream of a Fire Engine' by Kimiko Hahn
Marley Class LKS2	Who Am I? Matilda by Roald Dahl How to be a genius by Roald Dahl BFG by Roald Dahl Rumaysa: A Fairytale by Radiya Hafiza	Swords and Sandals Stone Age Boy by Satoshi Kitamura Romans on the Rampage by Jeremy Strong How to wash a woolly mammoth by Michelle Robinson Escape from Pompeii by Christina Balit	Temples, Tombs and Treasures Marcy and the Riddle of the Sphinx by Joe Todd-Stanton The Egyptians Jonny Marx & Chaaya Prabhat The Egyptian Cinderella by Shirley Climo Flat Stanley: The Great Egyptian Grave Robbery Sara Pennypacker & Jon Mitchell Egyptology: Search for the Tomb of Osiris Dugald Steer	Reaching for New Heights The Abominable by Eva Ibbotson Mountains of the world by Dieter Braun Gymnastics by Michael Rosen Block City by Robert Louis Stevenson The Man who bought a mountain – Twinkl Original	Dazzle and Decibels The Lion the witch and the wardrobe by C.S Lewis The Firework Maker's Daughter by Philip Pullman	Vile Victorians The Street Child by Berlie Doherty The Ragged School Oliver Twist by Charles Dickens Tilly and the Time Machine by Adrian Edmondson
Franklin Class UKS2	Texts not highlighted as used to consolidate a range of literacy elements: Darwin's Delight Darwin's Dragons by Lindsay Galvin What Mr Darwin Saw by Mick Manning Holes by Louis Sachar The Tree of Life by Charles Darwin	Texts not highlighted as used to consolidate a range of literacy elements: My Kingdom The Highway Man by Alfred Noyes Beowulf Legend The Sleeper and the Spindle by Neil Gaiman Wonder by R.J. Palacio Macbeth by Shakespeare Wonder by R.J. Palacio	Texts not highlighted as used to consolidate a range of literacy elements: A Child's War When the sky falls by Phil Earl My Secret War Diary by Flossie Albright by Marcia Williams No Ballet Shoes in Syria by Catherine Bruton First Times Newspaper Articles concerning climate change	Texts not highlighted as used to consolidate a range of literacy elements: Reach for the Stars Orion Lost by Alistair Chisolm Hidden Figures by Margot Lee Shetterly Theseus and the Minotaur by Anthony Horowitz Mythologica: An encyclopedia of gods, monsters and mortals from ancient Greek by Dr. Stephen P. Kershaw	Texts not highlighted as used to consolidate a range of literacy elements: Daring Explorers Wolf Wilder by Katherine Rundell The Ways of the Wolf Kindle Edition by Smriti Prasadam-Halls The Polar Bear Explorers' Club by Alex Bell First Times Newspaper Articles concerning climate change	Texts not highlighted as used to consolidate a range of literacy elements: Extreme Earth The Curse of the Maya by Johnny Pearce Maya: A Journey Through the Maya World by Dr Diane Davies Crater Lake by Jennifer Killick

SMSC, VALUES & BRITISH VALUES

Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
School value: Care, Co-operation	School value: Curiosity, Enjoyment	School value: Perseverance,	School value: Responsibility	School value: Reflective	School value: Honesty
		Courage			
British Value: The rule of law	British Value: Mutual respect		British Value: Tolerance	British Value: Individual liberty	British Value: Equality and diversity
		British Value: Democracy			
SMSC: Difference between right	SMSC: Appreciating the viewpoints		SMSC: Faiths, cultures, feelings and	SMSC: Why is it good to know	SMSC: The importance of cultural
and wrong, Consequences	of others	SMSC: Importance of working with	values other than own, Recognising	about the world around us?	and ethnic diversity
		others, The value of being part of a	what we share in common,		
		Community, How to resolve	Different types of people in our		
		differences	society		

CURRICULUM ENRICHMENT THEMES

	Activities	Responsibility Roles	Visits Out	Visitors In	In the local community
Y6	Bikeability	Assembly Set Up Assembly Music EYFS Buddies	Magistrates in the Community Competition		Assisting at Thakeham Pre-school 3hr session Serving and entertaining at a Thakeham Coffee Morning at the Thakeham Village Hall Gardening services at Holy Trinity Centre
Y6			Y5 More Able Maths and Science workshops led by SGS		
Joint Y5/6	PGL Activty Centre Residential – 5 days (alternate years) Forest School 6x half day sessions Lodge Hill Activity Day March Music Festival PE Tournaments	Digital Leaders Book Worms Thakeham Reporter Play Leaders School Councillor Leading the school Harvest Festival Leading the school Christmas Carol Service Leading the Easter Service	Science trip to Chichester Planetarium English trip to Sleepy Hollow woods, Sullington History trip / WW11 Evacuation Exercises @ The Bluebell Railway RE trip to the Buddhist Temple, Hove RE trip to the Crawley Mosque Heart dissection at SGS Local walk to Sullington Warren to the Saxon burial ground	Magistrates in the Community workshop Storrington Wardens Visit Zoolab 'Biodiversity Workshop' Rainbow Theatre Company Shakepeare Workshop	Choir Performance at Sussexdown Care home WW2 Tea Party
Y3/4	Harvest Festival Christmas Carol Concert Christmas Nativity Easter Service Forest School 6x half day sessions Victorian Day March Music Festival Dance Taster at SGS Tennis taster at SGS	Digital Leaders School Councillor	History Trip to Weald and Downland Museum Fishbourne Roman Palace Geography River Adur Field trip	Earth Rocks – Fizz Pop Science Workshop Lend me your ear – Fizz Pop Science Show me the light – Fizz Pop Science Ancient Egyptians Workshop	Choir Performance at Sussexdown Care home
Y1/2	Harvest Festival Christmas Nativity Easter Service Forest School 6x half day sessions March Music Festival Multigame Taster at SGS Dance Taster at SGS	School Councillor	Geography walk to Sullington Warren Science trip to Drusillas Park History trip to Arundel Castle Autumn, spring, summer walk	Fire Service	
EYFS	Harvest Festival Christmas Nativity Easter Service March Music Festival Pirate day Forest School 6x half day session		Visit to the Forest School area Visit to the church Pulborough Brooks	Hedgehog Visit Minibeast visit Fire visit on site Paramedic Visit on site	

At Thakeham we CARE

CARE - COURAGE - AMBITION - RESPECT - ENJOYMENT

Year A

Year B

	Autumn	Spring	Summer	Autumn	Spring	Summer
Beatles Class EYFS	Marvellous Me What makes me special?	Out of This World What makes our world an amazing place to be?	Mighty Minibeasts Why should we be kind to animals?	Marvellous Me What makes me special?	The Great Race What makes our world an amazing place to be?	Mighty Minibeasts Why should we be kind to animals?
Wonder Class KS1	Dragons and Dinosaurs How did the motte and bailey help protect a king?	Frozen Planet What makes a great explorer?	Where the Wild Things Are What makes our world exciting and wonderful?	I'm Alive! How am I unique?	Surf's Up! Why should we look after our planet?	Fire! Fire! How did the Great Fire of London change our cities?
Marley Class LKS2	Who Am I? How did the stone age affect our lives today?	Swords and Sandals What was the impact of the Roman Empire on Britain?	Temples, Tombs and Treasures How did the ancient Egyptians build the pyramids?	Reaching for New Heights Where and when did the earliest civilisations begin?	Dazzles and Decibels How has watching and listening to music changed over time?	Vile Victorians How was Victorian Britain changed by the industrial revolution?
Franklin Class UKS2	Darwin's Delights Why did migrants come to Britain?	My Kingdom Who was more vicious? The Saxons or the Vikings?	A Child's War Could I have survived the Blitz?	Reach for the Stars How have the Greeks shaped my world?	Daring Explorers How has Thakeham changed?	Extreme Earth Were the Maya the greatest civilisation ever?