St John the Baptist - Autumn Matrix – Year 2 2026-2027

Autumn1 7wk 2days weeks Autumn 2 7 weeks	1 Inset Tue 1st Wed 2nd Sept	2 7th Sept	3 14th Sept	4 21st Sept	5 28th Sept	6 5th Oct	7 12th Oct	8 29th Oct 4 days Fri INSET	HALF TERM	1 2nd Nov	2 9th Nov	3 16th Nov	4 23rd Nov	5 30th Nov	6 7th Dec	7 14th Dec Close on Fri 18th
Behaviour Focus	**'Love One Another'** **BE A GOOD FRIEND**									**'Love One Another'** **BE KIND AND LOVING**						
RE **Lighting the Path**	**Branch 1 – Creation and Covenant** *How does the story of Noah and God's promise help us understand why it's important to take care of the world?*							THEME WEEK -	27th -31st October	**Branch 2 – Prophecy and Promise** *What do the stories of Jesus' birth in St. Luke's Gospel teach us about how special he is, and how can we get ready for his arrival during Advent?*						
English Texts	**The Lighthouse Keeper**									**The Pirates Next Door**						
English Grammarsaurus Literacy Shed	**Narrative (Character Description)** The Lighthouse Keeper			**Non-Chronological Report** Sea Creatures						**Recount (Diaries)** Pirate adventure diary			**Instructions** How to find buried treasure			
	Poetry Repeating Patterns									**Poetry** Repeating Patterns						
Maths **INSPIRE**	**Number and Place Value** **Addition and Subtraction** INSPIRE 2 - Unit 1 Numbers to 100 Unit 2 Addition and Subtraction within 1000									**Addition and Subtraction** **Multiplication and Division** INSPIRE 2 - Unit 2 Addition and Subtraction within 1000 Unit 3 Using Models: Addition and Subtraction Unit 4 Multiplication and Division						
Science **Switched on Science**	**Topic 2/3 – Materials, changes in materials** NC Programme of Study – Uses of Everyday Materials									**Topic 1 – Healthy Me -** NC Programme of Study – Animals including Humans						
History **Plan Bee**										**Intrepid Explorers** NC Programme of Study – Significant Individuals						

Geography **Plan Bee**	**On the Farm** NC Programme of Study – Fieldwork, Human and Physical Geography			
DT **Plan Bee**				**Delightful Decorations** NC Programme of Study – Design, make and evaluate textiles.
Art & Design **Plan Bee**	**Colour Creations** NC Programme of Study – Design and make products, techniques in colour, pattern and texture, work of a range of artists			
Music **Charanga/ Wops**	**Pulse and Rhythm** NC Programme of Study – Listening and creating			**Christmas Performance** NC Programme of Study - Singing
PE **LEA scheme**	**Dance activities** **FMS** NC Programme of Study – Perform dances using simple movement patterns and master basic movements (running, jumping, throwing and catching)			**Gymnastics** **FMS – Playground games** NC Programme of Study - Master basic movements (balance, agility and coordination) and participate in team games
Computing	**Introduction to Purple Mash – Information Technology** **Creating Pictures** NC Programme of Study – Information Technology			**Making Music** NC Programme of Study – Information Technology
PSHE **One Decision**	**Keeping and staying safe** **Road Safety and Healthy Eating**			**Relationships** **Body Language**