

Neptune School: Grow Phase Curriculum Overview (Academic Year 24-25)

GROW	AUTUMN 1	AUTUMN 2	SPRING 1	SPRING 2	SUMMER 1	SUMMER 2
WOW EXPERIENCE	The Holburne Museum "Portals to the Past" (Historical Workshops)	The Creation Station Cerro Gordo	Bristol Museum & Art Gallery Bath's Fashion Museum	The Earth Science Centre (Cranfield University) Gloucestershire Wildlife Trust – Robinswood Hill	The Red Lodge Museum Bath Assembly Rooms and Museum of East Asian Art	We The Curious Bristol Zoo Gardens
TOPIC (HISTORY/ GEOGRAPHY)	Pharaohs (History)	Hola Mexico! (Geography)	Groundbreaking Greeks (History)	Our Changing World (Geography)	Dynamic Dynasties (History)	Darwin Delights (Geography/ Science)
SUGGESTED TEXTS	Secrets of a Sun King by Emma Carroll	Holes by Louis Sachar	Who let the gods out? By Maz Evans	Boy in the Tower by Polly Ho-Yen	Chinese Fairy Tales and Legends by Frederick H. Martens and Richard Wilhelm	Sky Hawk by Gill Lewis
ENGLISH	Instruction writing Persuasive writing Expository writing (leaflet about ancient Egypt) Descriptive writing (Comic writing)	Letter writing Description writing (Scripts) Persuasive writing (advert for Camp Green Lake) Expository writing (Fact files about lizards)	Narrative writing (storyboarding) Descriptive writing (fiction writing) Poetry Expository writing (posters)	Writing to persuade Diary writing Description writing (Comic) Balanced argument	Myth and legend writing Narrative writing Poetry Expository writing (biographies for dynasties)	Fact File/ Chronological Writing Biography writing Poetry Balanced argument
MATHS	Number (Place Value), Number (Addition and Subtraction)	Number (Multiplication and Division A), Number (Fractions A)	Number (Multiplication and Division B), Number (Fractions B), Number (Introduction to Decimals and Percentages)	Number (Decimals and Percentages), Measurement (Perimeter and Area), Statistics	Geometry (Shape), Geometry (Position and Direction) Number (Decimals – Part of)	Number (Decimals), Number (Negative Numbers), Measurement (Converting Units), Measurement (Volume)
SCIENCE	Investigations: - Why does milk go off? - Do all solids dissolve? - Do dock leaves cure a sting?	Investigations: - How can we make red? - How do you create shadows? - Can you clean dirty water?	Investigations: Properties and changes of materials unit - How do insulators work? - How can we sort different mixtures? - Can changes be reversed?	Investigations: Forces and mechanisms unit - Why do objects fall? - How does resistance work? How do levers and pulleys work?	Investigations: Earth and Space unit - What does the solar system look like? - How do we have days? - Why does the moon change?	Investigations: - How have eyes evolved? - How many worms are underground? Why do birds have different beaks?
PSHE	Being Me in My World	Celebrating Differences	Dreams and Goals	Healthy Me	Relationships	Changing Me
PHYSICAL EDUCATION	Gymnastics and Trampoline	Dance/ Movement and Sequencing	Swimming	Games (Attacking and Defending)	Outdoor & Adventure Activities	Athletics
DESIGN TECHNOLOGY (COOKING)	Egyptian Gastronomy <i>(Food Hygiene and Safety)</i>	Fiesta Flavour Fest <i>(Basic food preparation and cooking)</i>	Feast of the Gods <i>(Using Kitchen Equipment and Utensils)</i>	Sustainable Savories <i>(Cooking techniques and knowledge)</i>	Flavors of Ancient China <i>(Personalised Review)</i>	Galápagos Adventure Feast <i>(Baking)</i>
RELIGIOUS EDUCATION	<u>Islam</u> What is the best way for a Muslim to show commitments to God?	<u>Christianity</u> Is the Christmas story true?	<u>Islam</u> How is the Qur'an vital to Muslims today?	<u>Christianity</u> How significant is it for Christians to believe that God intended Jesus to die?	<u>Islam</u> Does belief in Akhirah (life after death) help Muslims to lead a good life?	<u>Christianity</u> What is the best way for a Christian to show commitment to God?
COMPUTING	Strategic Searching Online	Online Safety	Coding with Scratch: Developing Games	Radio Station	Flowol	Communication and Collaboration
CAREERS	Grow throughout Life	Explore Possibilities	Manage Career	Create Opportunities	Balance Life and Work	See the Big Picture
PUPIL-CENTRED CURRICULUM						
EXPRESSIVE ARTS (ART & DESIGN)	Charcoal Chronicles of Ancient Egypt <i>(Gestural Drawing with Charcoal)</i>	Mayan Mosaic Art <i>(Working with Shape and Colour)</i>	Mythical Mosaics: Stories of Ancient Greece <i>(Telling Stories Through Drawing and Making)</i>	World Map Collage <i>(Cloth, Thread, Paint)</i>	Animating Ancient China <i>(Making Animated Drawings)</i>	Nature's Canvas - Creating with the Elements <i>(Using Natural Materials to Make Images)</i>
EXPRESSIVE ARTS (DESIGN & TECHNOLOGY)	Crafting Ancient Egypt	Mayan-Inspired Crafts	Designing a Greek Amphora	Map and Environment Cushions <i>(Cross-stitch and applique – Cushions)</i>	Wearable Technology: Inspired by Ancient China	Darwin's Expedition - Design and Create
PREPARATION FOR ADULTHOOD	Health	Community Inclusion	Independent Living	Health	Community Inclusion	Independent Living