# **English:**

## **Key Texts:**

The Blue Balloon

Man on the Moon

Whatever Next!

Harvey Slumfenburger's Christmas Present

### **Skills:**

Discussing ideas and planning through role play, pictures and captions.

Writing captions and sentences.

Forming letters correctly and developing neat presentation.

Grammar—Capital letters & full stops. Pluralisation (adding –s & -es).

Spelling—Phase 3 tricky words and Year 1 High Frequency Words.

### Reading/Phonics:

Secure phase 3 Letters & Sounds.

Apply phonics to segmenting and writing simple mono-syllabic words.

Introduction to Guided Reading.

#### **Skills:**

- Identify main characters and events in stories.
- Comment on stories and texts with evidence.



# RE:

# **Bible Stories -The Nativity Story**

What do Christians believe about the Nativity?

The importance of the Characters, who they were, and how they impacted on the lives of others.

Belonging and the importance of love, tolerance, respect and faith.

### Art/DT:

Use drawing and paining to develop and share ideas, experiences and imagination.

Design and create a model hot air balloon using Papier-mâché.

Design and create models of aircraft using recyclables.

### Maths—White Rose Maths:

#### **Addition & Subtraction:**

Represent number bonds and related subtraction facts within 20.

Understand and use mathematical symbols + - =. Add and subtract one-digit numbers to 10, including 0. Solve one-step problems that involve simple addition and subtraction to 20.

#### Geometry & Shape:

Recognise and name common 2D & 3D shapes.

#### Place Value

Count forwards and backwards from any given number (within 30). Say one more and one less than numbers up to 30.

Read, write and represent numbers up to 20 in numerals, words and pictures.

#### Science:

#### **Animals:**

Classify & categorise common animals according to a range of criteria (e.g. where they live, what they eat).

#### **Seasonal Change:**

Observe changes in our environment and climate between Autumn and Winter

### **Investigations:**

Make and test paper aero planes. Investigate and test how a hot air balloon works.

### Computing:

Use technology safely and respectfully.
Use technology purposefully to create, organise, store, manipulate and retrieve digital content.

### PE:

Tag rugby lead by PE coaches every Tuesday.

#### PSHE:

### Be friendly, be wise:

Explore how to make friends and be good friends. Discuss feelings and strategies to manage them.

#### Music:

We are listening to and learning about different sounds and rhythms.

### Geography:

Understand the difference between towns, cities, countries and continents.

Use maps, atlases and globes to locate different countries.

#### History:

Recall information about the first ever flight and jet era.