

Donhead Curriculum Plan 2025-26

	PP2		
	Michaelmas	Lent	Trinity
English	Tadpole's Promise: Own version narratives Simple explanations, speech and thought bubbles, setting descriptions, extended explanation Jim and the Beanstalk- Sequel stories Narrative retellings (including dialogue), thought bubbles, informal letters	Dear Earth: Informative leaflet Future aspirations, a set of instructions, poems, travel blogs, persuasive speeches The Minpins: Own version adventure narratives Danger posters, setting descriptions, character descriptions, information reports, postcards	Ocean Meets the Sky: Own version fantasy narrative Setting & character descriptions, labels, diaries, postcards, captain's logs, instructions, dialogue A Walk in London: guidebook, Instructions, persuasive poster, setting descriptions, captions, postcards, diary entry
Reading	Eric Too Small Tola	Hotel Flamingo The Street Beneath My Feet	The Magic and Mystery of Trees Dixie O'Day: In The Fast Lane
Maths	Number: Place Value Number: Addition and Subtraction Geometry: Shapes	Measurement: Money Number: Multiplication and Division Length and height Mass, Capacity and Temperature	Number: Fractions Statistics Measurement: Time Position and direction
RE	<u>Branch 1 : Creation and Covenant</u> 1.The Bible 2. Noah's Ark 3. Sin and Hope 4. God's Covenant 5. Wonder of Creation 6. Stewards of Creation 7. Caring for Creation 8. God's Gift 9. Baby's Baptism 10. Baptism Symbols 11. First Sacrament	<u>Branch 3: Branch 3 Galilee to Jerusalem</u> 1.John the Baptist 2. Jesus' Baptism 3. Baptism and Repentance 4. Prayers of Repentance 5. Importance of Repentance 6. Reflection 7. Jesus in the Desert 8. The Parable of the Lost Sheep 9. The Lost Sheep Project (Lesson 8 continued) 10. The Cure of the Paralytic	<u>Branch 5: To the Ends of the Earth</u> 1.The Ascension 2. Pentecost 3. The Acts of the Apostles 4. St Paul 5. The Holy Spirit 6. The Fruits of the Spirit 7. The Fruits of the Spirit (2) 8. An Open Heart 9. Saint Carlo Acutis 10. Symbols of the Holy Spirit 11. The Holy Spirit in my Life

	12. Baptism Reflection <u>Branch 2 : Prophecy and Promise</u> 1. Prophets 2. The Prophet Isaiah 3. Zechariah 4. John the Baptist's Birth 5. The Annunciation of Jesus 6. Mary's Magnificat 7. The Advent Wreath 8. Jesus' Birth 9. Justice in Our World 10. Carol Service 11. Las Posadas	11. Calming of the Storm <u>Branch 4: Dessert to Garden</u> 1. Holy Week in Art 2. Jesus' Words on the Cross 3. Jesus on Forgiveness 4. Sacrament of Reconciliation 5. Effect of the Sacrament 6. Forgiveness in our School 7. Reconciliation in Art 8. Lent and Reconciliation 9. Reconciliation and Easter 10. Easter Vigil Mass 11. Signs and Symbols of the Easter Vigil.	12. St Catherine of Siena <u>Branch 6: Dialogue and Encounter</u> 1. The Good Samaritan 2. Fratelli Tutti 3. Who is My Neighbour? 4. Being a Good Neighbour 5. Good Neighbours Today
CCH	A Contrasting Locality (Tocuaro, Mexico) The Isle of Struay	Stone Age Ancient Egypt	Our Green Friends Earth's Resources
Science	Animals, including humans Uses of everyday materials	Plants Electricity	All living things and their habitats. Animal variation.
RHE	Me, my body and my health Emotional wellbeing and attitudes	Getting on and falling out Keeping safe and people who can help me	Relationships The world around us
Spanish	'The Very Hungry Caterpillar' Numbers (revise); Days of the week; Fruits and food; Colours; Christmas in Spain	The solar system Planets; Colours and adjectives; creating a fact file about the solar system Easter in Spain	<u>Food;</u> numbers up to 30, saying opinion, ordering food
Art/DT	Animals and Nature in Autumn (Christmas cards for FOD)	Collage Themed Art, Egyptian and Stone Age art and Working with Clay	Understanding Perspective and Art inspired by Artists
Music	Exploring pitch using bodies, voices, percussion instruments, major/minor modes; Learning, rehearsing and performing Nativity Production songs (TBC)	Learning and rehearsing songs for PP Concert; Exploring percussion Instruments made from different materials; Exploring pitch in greater depth	Exploring timbre, tempo and dynamics; Learning and rehearsing songs for PP Concert; Exploring sounds

PE	Locomotive Skills : Application of skills, complex movements in games. Emphasis on creativity, control and leadership. Throwing and Catching: Refinement of throwing and catching techniques, introduction to strategic thinking and coordination, and application of skills in more complex activities. Emphasis on teamwork, communication when performing catching skills.	TGFU: PP2 students to play modified games to teach strategies and skills needed to play sports in KS2. Develop decision-making and positioning skills to create space in team games. Gymnastics: PP2 students will develop their gymnastics skills by balancing using equipment, creating shapes in flight, forward rolls and following basic sequences.	Striking, gathering and targets: To develop hand-eye co-ordination when using an object to strike a bouncing ball. They will focus on gathering a ball to perform a throw action, and using throwing actions to hit target, adhering to basic rules. Students will improve their understanding of scoring in striking games like cricket and rounders. Athletics: PP2 will continue to improve their sprinting actions and provide basic feedback to their peers. They will look into the middle and end of sprint races.
Computing	Online Safety; Coding; Bebras Computational Thinking Challenge	Online Safety; Spreadsheets; Questioning;	Creating Pictures; Making Music; Presenting Ideas