

Lambs Lane Curriculum Overview

Year 2 – Cycle A



	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Class Author	Julia Donaldson		Anthony Brown		Quentin Blake	
Class texts	<p>The Troll – Julia Donaldson</p> <p>The Snail and the Whale – Julia Donaldson</p> <p>Camille and the Sunflowers – Laurence Anholt</p>	<p>The BFG – Roald Dahl</p> <p>The Big Ugly Monster and the Little Stone Rabbit – Chris Wormell</p> <p>The Magic Box – Kit Wright</p>	<p>The Lighthouse Keeper’s Lunch – David and Rhonda Armitage</p> <p>The Three Little Wolves and the Big Bad Pig – Eugene Trivizas</p> <p>Mahatma Gandhi – Albert Arrayas</p>	<p>The Tunnel – Anthony Brown</p> <p>The Enormous Crocodile – Roald Dahl</p> <p>Blob – David Walliams</p> <p>One Giant Leap: The Story of Neil Armstrong – Don Brown</p>	<p>Mrs Armitage on Wheels – Quentin Blake</p> <p>Fantastic Mr Fox – Roald Dahl</p> <p>If you were a kid aboard the Titanic – Josh Gregory</p> <p>I am Emelia Earhart – Brad Meltzer</p>	<p>The Finger Eater – Dick King Smith</p> <p>Rivers and Coasts – Izzy Howell</p>
English	<p>To entertain Narrative based on Snail and the Whale</p>	<p>To entertain Poetry – magic box Poetry linked to Guy Fawkes/ Fireworks</p>	<p>To entertain Retelling of Lighthouse Keeper’s Lunch</p>	<p>To inform Recount of an event</p>	<p>To entertain Narratives with a problem Narrative linked to the Titanic journey</p>	<p>To entertain Adventure story Story about an adventure to the seaside Trip to the coast recount</p>
	<p>To inform Information text about sea creatures Information text about the Great Fire of London</p>	<p>To inform Instructions to explain how to make something DT text - How to make a London bus</p>	<p>To entertain Traditional tales</p>	<p>To inform Explanation of how things work Description linked to moon landing</p>	<p>To entertain Descriptive writing</p>	<p>To entertain Narrative story based on The Finger Eater</p>
Maths	Place value Comparing and ordering Addition and subtraction	Multiplication and division Shape Problem solving	Fractions Money Data	Time and measurement Calculation	Calculation in context Measurement Recap	Time Recap Problem solving
Science	Explore Living things and their environments Investigate how we grow Investigate materials and whether they are waterproof <i>Scientist study: Charles Mackintosh</i>	Explore seeds and bulbs Investigate elasticity of materials Explore microhabitats	Investigate plant growth Know how to keep healthy Investigate the usefulness of materials <i>Scientist study: John Dunlop</i>	Describe lifecycles Investigate decomposing Explore cold habitats Know the journey food takes to our shops	Investigate buoyancy Describe food chains Explore how to keep healthy <i>Scientist study: Louis Pasteur</i>	Describe different habitats Investigate how surfaces change movement Learn how our body changes

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History	British Events Great Fire of London Coronation of Elizabeth	Fighting for a cause Guy Fawkes Robert the Bruce	Leadership Queen Victoria Mahatma Gandhi Nelson Mandela	Great achievements Moon Landing	Famous Journeys First flight Titanic First trains	Helping others Grace Darling Martin Luther King	
Geography	Settlements Spencers Wood Mumbai – India London - UK	Settlement differences Edinburgh – UK Warsaw – Poland	Settlement differences Mumbai - India Cape Town – S. Africa	Weather/ Climate Warsaw - Poland Mumbai - India Cape Town – S. Africa	Human geography UK - Bridges, buildings, tunnels (Focus Scotland and England)	Coasts Brighton – UK Cape Town – S. Africa	
Art/ DT	Art – Painting Watercolours, exploring backgrounds and foregrounds	DT – Moving parts London buses with moving wheels	Art – colour and pattern Paper sculptures	DT - Cookery Biscuits	Art – Texture and Pattern Weaving and collage	Art - Form Clay rock pools	DT – Structures Photo frames
Music	Hands, feet and heart South African styles <i>Appreciation, use of glockenspiels, composition</i>	Christmas play - singing	I wanna play in a band Rock <i>Comparison of genre, composition</i>	Zootime Reggae <i>Comparison of genre, composition</i>	Friendship song PHSE – friends <i>Composition of lyrics</i>	Reflect, rewind and replay Western Classical	
RE	Christianity Is it possible to be kind to everyone all the time?	Christianity What is the good news that Jesus brings?	Islam – Does praying help a Muslim in their everyday life?	Christianity Easter - resurrection	Islam Does going to a Mosque give Muslims a sense of belonging?	Islam Does completing Hajj make a person a better Muslim?	
Computing	E-Safety What is IT? Intro to coding	E-Safety Digital photography	E-Safety Making music Computing skills – word processing	E-Safety Coding – creating simple algorithms	E-Safety Data and pictograms	E-Safety Creating quizzes Computing skills - presentations	
PE	Football Gymnastics	Netball/ Basketball Dance	Hockey/ Tag Rugby Gymnastics	Tennis Dance	Athletics Cricket	Athletics Outdoor adventure/ basic orienteering	
PSHE	Being in my world	Celebrating difference	Dreams and goals	Healthy me	Relationships	Changing me	
MFL	French Greetings Counting and colours		French Objects, animals French songs		French Simple sentences		

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Class texts	<p>The Troll – Julia Donaldson</p> <p>The Snail and the Whale – Julia Donaldson</p> <p>Somebody Swallowed Stanley – Sarah Roberts</p> <p>Greta and the Giants - Zoe Tucker</p>	<p>The BFG – Roald Dahl</p> <p>The Big Ugly Monster and the Little Stone Rabbit – Chris Wormell</p> <p>The Magic Box – Kit Wright</p> <p>Birrarung Wilam – Aunty Joy Murphy</p>	<p>The Lighthouse Keeper’s Lunch – David and Rhonda Armitage</p> <p>The Three Little Wolves and the Big Bad Pig – Eugene Trivizas</p> <p>Stephen Hawking - Maria Vegara</p>	<p>The Tunnel – Anthony Brown</p> <p>The Enormous Crocodile – Roald Dahl</p> <p>Blob – David Walliams</p>	<p>Mrs Armitage on Wheels – Quentin Blake</p> <p>Fantastic Mr Fox – Roald Dahl</p> <p>Rivers and Coasts – Izzy Howell</p> <p>A River - Marc Martin</p>	<p>The Finger Eater – Dick King Smith</p> <p>Frida Kahlo – Maria Vegara</p> <p>G is for Gold Medal - Brad Herzog</p>
English	<p>To entertain Narrative based on Snail and the Whale</p>	<p>To entertain Poetry – magic box</p> <p>Letter from Captain Cook</p>	<p>To entertain Retelling of Lighthouse Keeper’s Lunch</p> <p>Science poetry</p>	<p>To entertain Descriptive writing</p> <p>Description of their local area</p>	<p>To inform Recount of an event</p>	<p>To entertain Narratives with a problem</p> <p>Information text - Olympics</p>
	<p>To inform Information text about sea creatures</p> <p>Instructions link to DT</p>	<p>To inform Instructions to explain how to make something</p> <p>Diary entry – Captain Scott</p>	<p>To entertain Traditional tales</p>	<p>To entertain Adventure story</p> <p>Story in a familiar setting - local area</p>	<p>To inform Explanation of how things work</p> <p>Explanation of formation of a river</p>	<p>To entertain Narrative story based on The Finger Eater</p>
Maths	<p>Place value</p> <p>Comparing and ordering</p> <p>Addition and subtraction</p>	<p>Multiplication and division</p> <p>Shape</p> <p>Problem solving</p>	<p>Fractions</p> <p>Money</p> <p>Data</p>	<p>Time and measurement</p> <p>Calculation</p>	<p>Calculation in context</p> <p>Measurement</p> <p>Recap</p>	<p>Time</p> <p>Recap</p> <p>Problem solving</p>
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Geography	Comparing climate UK – Spencers Wood Mexico City The Arctic	Physical geography Australia Antarctica	Studying the UK Cardiff Belfast	Studying the UK Spencers Wood Reading Cardiff	Journeys of a river UK – Thames Mexico - Colorado	Coastal comparison Australia Mexico Antarctica
Art/ DT	DT - Cooking Salads	Art - Aboriginal art Patterns and printing	DT - Sewing skills Hand puppets	Art - Sculpture Local landscape art	DT – Joining and design Moving parts book	Art – Drawing Portraits
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