

# Y2 Autumn Term 2 Curriculum Map

**Our focus book this term is:**

*The Koala who could*

Meet Kevin. A koala who likes to keep things the same. Exactly the same. But sometimes change comes along whether we like it or not... And, as Kevin discovers, if you step outside your comfort zone and try new things, you might just surprise yourself!

## Literacy

Sequencing events in a story

Using adjectives and adverbs to describe a character

Identifying a characters thoughts and feelings

To write a diary entry

To write a non-chronological report

## Science – Animals Including Humans—Growth and Survival

### Key Knowledge and Skills to learn:

To **find out** the baby names of animals and know that these offspring will grow into adults.

To **find out** how different animals have babies.

To know how humans change as they get older.

To **find out** what animals need to survive.

## Geography– Kenya

### Key Knowledge and Skills to learn:

To know the names and locate the 7 continents

To Know the names of and locate the five oceans of the world

To identify the human and physical features of Kenya

To know which fruits grow in Kenya but not in the UK

To know which animals we would find in Kenya but not in the UK

To compare the life of a child in Kenya to a child in the UK



## RE

### How does the symbol of light help us to understand the meaning of Christmas for Christians?

What does Jesus mean when He says, "I am the light of the world"?

What do you think the most important symbol on the Christingle is and why?

How and why do artists use the symbol of light in their religious paintings?

Who is your 'guiding light'?

## Computing— Coding

Online safety: To know how to search and share

### Coding

To understand what an algorithm is

To create a program

To design an algorithm that follows a timely sequence

To understand the functions of buttons in a programme

To debug simple programs

## Core Learning Skills

### Developing Independence and Responsibility

### PSHE – Happy and Healthy Relationships

To know what makes a happy friendship

To know ways to respect others' privacy and personal space.

To know that worries can build up and affect our lives.

## Maths

Length

Graphs

Multiplication and division

## Guided Reading

Where possible choose books related to: animals, humans, ken-ya

## Homework

Science - To explore the environment as a factor of survival for animals, including humans.

## Other

Harvest assembly