



Brimpton Church of England Primary School

Curriculum Information for Lilac Class – Autumn 2026

Literacy

Autumn 1 (September and October)

Text: A Walk in London by Salvatore Rubbino

Outcomes: guidebook, instructions, setting description

Reception - Letter formation, reading and writing CVC words, name writing.

Year 1 – Letter formation, constructing and recording sentences independently, capital letters, full stops.

Autumn 2 (November & December)

Text: Last Stop on Market Street by Matt de la Peña

Outcomes: poems, character description, own narrative.

Reception – Name writing, letter formation, writing words and captions.

Year 1 – Letter formation, constructing and recording sentences independently, capital letters, full stops.

Maths

Nursery:

- More than, fewer than, same
- Explore shapes and objects
- Repeating patterns
- Hear and say number names
- An introduction to 1, 2 and 3

Reception

- Matching, sorting and comparing objects and amounts
- Understanding numbers 5
- Circles, triangles and shapes with 4 sides
- Language around measure and patterns

Year 1

- Recapping key skills from reception
- Place value within 20
- Addition and subtraction within 20
- Place value within 100
- Shape

RE

Religion – Christianity

Autumn 1 - Who do Christians believe created the world?

Autumn 2 – Nature and God

Topic

Autumn 1 – History - Ancient Egypt

The children will learn what Ancient Egypt looked like and how it compares to the modern day. They will learn about hieroglyphs, the pyramids and important pharaohs.

Autumn 2 – DT – Fabric Bunting

Children will design, make and evaluate their own Christmas bunting. They will learn which materials are needed, how to attach components together and how to peer and self-evaluate their finished products.

Art

The children will have access to art activities daily in the continuous provision. This term will focus on the children becoming familiar with the art area and messy play. They will also be exposed to a variety of mediums.

PSHE

Autumn 1
– Being me in my world

Autumn 2
– Celebratin

Music

Children will build a repertoire of songs and will then learn to move to music to match the tempo, pitch or dynamics. Children will also learn how to associate emotion with music.

PE

Autumn 1 - Team Games

Autumn 2 – Key skills - balance

Science

Reception – Children will learn about seasonal changes. They will learn about the four seasons, and how the environment changes throughout the year.

Year 1 – The children will be learning about everyday materials and their properties. They will also investigate why certain objects are made of given materials.

Key Information

Reading – Children are expected to read **everyday** at home for at least five minutes. This should be recorded in their reading records. We will check reading records at least twice a week on **Tuesdays and Fridays**. Reading books will be changed once they have been read through twice. This is to build children's fluency when reading.

Spare Clothes – All children need to have spare clothes in school **every day**. They can be in a bag that stays on their peg or kept in their school bag. Spare clothes should include underwear, socks, trousers/skirt/dress and a polo top. If your child is prone to accidents at **least 3 pairs of underwear and socks** is needed.

Wellies/outdoor shoes need to be in school if they aren't already – we go outside in all weathers.

All clothes/belongings need to be named please.