










Fairfield Long Term Plan Themes Overview

Our creative curriculum follows a themed approach; this overview highlights the planned themes for the next academic year. This is a creative approach to learning building on the criteria for an outstanding curriculum. It ensures that our pupils learn in the most creative ways, and are involved in what they are learning. The most important underlying principle of our thematic approach curriculum is to help our pupils learn. It provides a flexible framework that enhances areas of our provision to develop and support our pupil's needs, interests, curiosity and stimuli through pupil led and adult initiated activities. Some constant threads may include weather, celebrations e.g. birthdays etc. We believe that a successful curriculum is brought to life by high quality teaching, inspirational learning activities and opportunities to listen and plan for the developing interests and motivations of each and every pupil.

Year 1	Theme Focus	Celebrations, Festival and Events	Enrichment Opportunities
Autumn Term	 <p style="text-align: center;">Fashion and Textiles</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Starting School • Jeans for Genes Day • MacMillan 'Bake a Cake' • Autumn / Harvest • Halloween • Bonfire Night • Diwali • Remembrance Day • Christmas Jumper Day 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Harvest for the Homeless • Textile / Fashion show/cat walk • Well-being Day • Festival of Light • Christmas Café / Market
Spring Term	 <p style="text-align: center;">Green and Grow</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • New Year • Chinese New Year • Pancake Day • Valentine's Day • St David's Day • World Book Day • Lots of Socks (Downs Syndrome) • Mother's Day • Easter • Careers Week 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Shades of Green • Valentine's Day • Recycle Clothes Fair • Careers Week • World Book Day
Summer Term	 <p style="text-align: center;">Travel and Transport</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • May Day • Eid al Fitr • Father's Day • Transitions • Id-ul-Adha 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Elmer Day (Difference, Inclusion, Diversity) • Eid Celebrations • Lightwater Valley Trip • Fan Woods • Sports Day • Well-being Day • Post 16 Graduation Event • Transition to New Classes Fortnight • Pathway Visits out of school to experience various forms of transport

Year 2	Theme Focus	Festivals and Events	Enrichment Opportunities
Autumn Term	<p data-bbox="450 209 864 240">Changes and New Beginnings</p> 	<ul data-bbox="954 209 1323 560" style="list-style-type: none"> • Jeans for Genes Day • National Fitness Day • Apple Day • World's Biggest Coffee Morning • Halloween • Bonfire Night • World Kindness Day • Diwali • Remembrance Day • Children in Need Day • Christmas Jumper Day 	<ul data-bbox="1536 209 2029 424" style="list-style-type: none"> • Family event – giant coffee morning • New friendships – pen pals in other schools • Anti-bullying • Cyber safety • Sex Ed/Relationships • Harvest Celebration – Sharing • Christmas Celebrations
Spring Term	<p data-bbox="517 592 797 624">People Who help Us</p> 	<ul data-bbox="954 624 1335 967" style="list-style-type: none"> • New Year • Big Garden Bird Watch • Child Mental Health Week • Chinese New Year • Valentine's Day • Pancake Day • World Book Day • Lots of Socks (Downs Syndrome) • Mother's Day • Autism Day • Easter 	<ul data-bbox="1536 592 2074 711" style="list-style-type: none"> • Visits from the police, fireman, members of the local community • Careers Week • World Book Day
Summer Term	<p data-bbox="562 1026 752 1058">Environment</p> 	<ul data-bbox="954 1058 1435 1345" style="list-style-type: none"> • May Day • Elmer Day (Difference, Inclusion, Diversity) • Big Garden Bird Watch • Chinese New • Eid al Fitr • Father's Day • Post 16 Leavers Event • Transition to New Classes • Id-ul-Adha 	<ul data-bbox="1536 1026 2029 1281" style="list-style-type: none"> • Recycling art project • Junk modelling • Visit to recycling plant • Whole school project to improve an area of school • Eid Celebrations • Lightwater Valley Trip • Sports Day

Year 3	Theme Focus	Celebrations, Festival and Events	Enrichment Opportunities
<p>Autumn Term</p>	<p>Keep Fit and fabulous</p> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Jeans for Genes Day • Recycling Week • National Eye Health Week • MacMillan Coffee Morning • Harvest Festival • Halloween • Diwali • Bonfire Night • Anti-bullying Week • Road Safety Week • St. Andrews Day • Remembrance Day • Christmas Jumper Day 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Jumpstart Johnny visit • Huddersfield Town/Batley Bulldogs • Chef in school to do Ready, Steady, Cook • Christmas café/market • Well-being Day
<p>Spring Term</p>	<p>Animal Kingdom</p> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Burns Night • Big Garden Bird Watch • Child Mental Health Week • Chinese New Year • Valentine's Day • Pancake Day • St David's Day • World Book Day • National Careers Week • St. Patrick's Day • Lots of Socks (Downs Syndrome) • Mother's Day • Autism Day • Easter 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Zoolab/Sam's Safari • Pets at Home visits • Ponderosa/Farm visit • Yorkshire Wildlife Park • World Book Day • National Careers Week
<p>Summer Term</p>	<p>Our Community</p> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • St. George's Day • Eid Ul Fitr • Father's Day • Eid Ul Adha • Transitions to new classes • Safeguarding Week 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Car wash • Community visits • Speakers to come into school to speak to students about what they offer in the community. • Eid celebrations • Lightwater Valley • Sports Day • Leavers' Celebrations • Community Garden Project