



Year 2 – Curriculum Overview 2026-27



	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Reading RWI Literacy Shed+	At Stanburn, our chosen SSP is Read Write Inc. By ensuring high-quality phonics teaching and improving literacy levels, we will ensure we: give all children a solid base on which to build as they progress through school and help them develop the habit of reading both widely and often, for both pleasure and information. Pupils from Yr 2 onwards also take part in VIPERS sessions.					
Writing	Non-Fiction – Wanted poster Poetry – Poem based on ‘The Big Bad Wolf’ Recount – Diary entry (fiction)	Non-chronological Report Letter writing (informal) Fantasy Narrative	Recount – Class Trip Instructions	Character Profile Recount – Diary entry (fiction) Poetry – Acrostic Poem	Information Leaflet Persuasive Letter	Narrative – Describing a setting Recount – Class Trip Poetry – Shape Poems
		UK Parliament Week		British Science Week		World Environment Day
Maths White Rose Education	Place Value Addition and Subtraction Shape		Money Multiplication and Division Length and Height Mass, Capacity and Temperature		Fractions Time Statistics Position and Direction	
Science	Uses of Everyday Materials		Living Things and their Habitats		Animals, including Humans	Plants
History	Events beyond living memory: How did London change after the Great Fire of London?				Significant Individuals: Why are Florence Nightingale, Mary Seacole and Edith Cavell still remembered today?	
Geography			Where do people live in the UK?			Would you prefer to live in a hot or cold place?
Art and DT KAPOW	DT: Mechanisms Fairground Wheel	Art: Drawing Understanding Tone and Texture	DT: Cooking & Nutrition Balanced Diet	Art: Sculpture and 3D Clay Houses	DT: Textiles Pouches	Art: Painting and Mixed Media Life in Colour
Computing Purple Mash	1. Creating Pictures (L 1-5) 2. Making Music (L1)	1. Making Music (L2-3) 2. Spreadsheets (L1-5)	1. Spreadsheets (L6) 2. Route Explorers (L1)	1. Route Explorers (L2-4) 2. Questioning (L1-3)	1. Questioning (L4) 2. Coding (L1-6)	1. The Internet (L1-4)
PE PE Hub	Dance 1 Send and Return 1	Gymnastics 1 Hit Catch Run 1	Run Jump Throw 1 Hit Catch Run 2	Dance 2 Attack Defend Shoot 1	Attack Defend Shoot 2 Send and Return 2	OAA Gymnastics 2
RE KAPOW	Why do we need to give thanks?	What do candles mean to people?	How do we know some people have a special connection to God?	What is a prophet?	How do some people talk to God?	Where do some people talk to God?
PSHE Jigsaw	Being me in my world	Celebrating differences	Dreams and goals	Healthy me	Relationships	Changing me
Music	Music Theory with Keyboards (Level 2)		Ragas and Dragon Scales	Music in Nature	Samba (with Yr2 performance at Summer Fair)	
MFL Mr French	MFL is taught from KS2					