



Edmund Waller Curriculum Map

Know, Explore, Communicate

Year 1

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2	
Topic	Dinosaurs	Celebrations Around the World	Kings, Queens & Castles	The United Kingdom	Transport Through Time	Australia	
Reading	The Colour Monster, <i>Anna Llenas</i> Mixed, <i>Arree Chung</i> Remixed, <i>Arree Chung</i> Ravi's Roar, <i>Tom Percival</i> The Invisible, <i>Tom Percival</i> Meesha Makes Friends, <i>Tom Percival</i> Perfectly Norman, <i>Tom Percival</i> Handa's Hen, <i>Eileen Browne</i> We're Going on a Lion Hunt, <i>David Axtell</i>		Paperbag Princess, <i>Robert Munsch</i> The Knight Who Said No, <i>Lucy Rowland</i> The Worst Princes, <i>Anna Kemp</i> Princess Smartypants, <i>Babette Cole</i> The Queen's Handbag, <i>Steve Antony</i> Queen Elizabeth 2 (Little Leaders) , <i>Maria Isabel Sanchez</i> Dilwyn the Welsh Dragon, <i>Langley-Swain</i> Margaret's Unicorn, <i>Briony May Smith</i> The Vanishing Lake, <i>Paddy Donnelly</i>		Mr Gumpy's Motor Car, <i>John Burningham</i> Rosie Revere Engineer, <i>Andrea Beaty</i> Amazing Airplanes, <i>Tony Mitton</i> Naughty Bus, <i>Jan Oke</i> Diary of a Wombat, <i>Jackie French</i> Possum Magic, <i>Mem Fox</i> The Koala Who Could, <i>Rachel Bright</i> Short chapter books including <i>Fantastic Mr Wolf, Roald Dahl</i>		
Writing	Narrative Fiction: Ruby's Worry, <i>Tom Percival</i> Narrative Fiction, Other Cultures: Handa's Surprise, <i>Eileen Browne</i>	List poem: Firework Nigh, Andrew Collet Non-Chronological Report: Animals/Humans Letter Writing: I Wanna Iguana, <i>Karen Kaufman Orloff</i>	Narrative, Fairy Tale: Little Red Riding Hood, <i>Lari Don</i> Recount: visit to the Tower of London	Narrative Fiction, Adventure/ Humour: The Queen's Hat, <i>Steve Anthony</i> Narrative, Realistic Fiction: Last Stop on Market Street, <i>Matt de la Pena</i> Diary Writing: based on 'Countries' workshop	Narrative, Realistic Fiction: The Train Ride, <i>June Crebbin</i> Non-Chronological Report: The Wright Brothers Biography: Bessie Coleman	Narrative, Animal Story: Wombat Goes Walkabout Michael Morpurgo Instruction Writing: How to Make a Snack	
Maths	Counting within 100	Part-part-whole Numbers 0 to 5	2D and 3D shapes Numbers 0-10	Additive structures Addition and subtraction facts within 10	Numbers 0 – 20	Unitising and coin recognition Position and direction	
Science	Animals Including Humans		Everyday Materials Seasonal Changes		Plants		
Art	Collage & Paint Dinosaur sculptures	Weaving Firework pictures - pastels	Sculpture Mod Roc castles	Weather painting Turner	Botanical printing Georgia O'Keefe	Aboriginal painting Take One Picture	
Computing	We are treasure hunters	We are TV chefs	We are digital artists	We are publishers	We are rhythmic	We are detectives	
DT		Slider Mechanism Make a greeting card		Frame Structures Make a chair		Cooking and Nutrition Food- fruit salad	
Geography		Simple Maps School and local area	UK Maps and Capital Cities Weather and Seasons			Australia- contrasting location	
History	Personal timeline	Gunpowder plot	British Monarchs		History of transport History of EW		
Music	Carnival of the Animals		Storytime		Pattern	The Seasons	
PE	Gymnastics	Net and wall	Target games	Striking and fielding	Invasion	Dance	
PSHE	Me(myself)		My relationships		Safety		
RE	The Natural World	Christianity	Belonging Who am I?	Right and Wrong	Sharing Food		
Educational Visits/ Workshops	Crystal Palace Park Natural History Museum	Local Church	Tower of London		Transport Museum	Crossing continents & oceans workshop	

Year 2

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Topic	Homes and Families	Town and Country	Fire	Ice	Explorers	Jamaica
Reading	Small group reading using a range of texts to match the children's fluency. Read aloud: The Giraffe, The Pelly and Me, <i>Roald Dahl</i> The Hodgeheg, <i>Dick King Smith</i>		I am the Seed That Grew the Tree: A Nature Poem for Every Day of the Year, <i>Fiona Walters</i> The Dark, <i>Daniel Handler</i> Nikhil and Jay: The Birthday Star, <i>Chitra Soundar</i> Read aloud: Diary of a Killer Cat, <i>Anne Fine</i>		Julian Stories, <i>Ann Cameron</i> The Proudest Blue – <i>Ibtihaj Muhammad</i> Cherry Moon, <i>Zaro Weil</i> Read aloud: Mr Penguin and the Lost Treasure – <i>Alex T Smith</i>	
Writing	Narrative, Fairy Tale: Little Red Reading Hood, <i>Lucy Rowland</i> Poetry: If I were in charge of the World, <i>Judith Viorst</i>	Narrative Fiction, Family/Quest: The Marvellous Fluffy Squishy Itty-Bitty, <i>Beatrice Alemagna</i> Instruction Writing: How to Make a Bird Feeder	Narrative, Chinese Fable: The Magic Paintbrush, <i>Julia Donaldson</i> Diary Writing: The Great Fire of London, <i>Emma Adams & James Weston Lewis</i>	Narrative, Traditional Tale: George and the Dragon, <i>Christopher Wormell</i> Non-Chronological Report: Hibernation (based on Winter Sleep, A Hibernation Story, <i>Sean Taylor & Alex Morss</i>)	Narrative, Native American Legend: The Crow's Tale, <i>Naomi Howarth</i> Information Text: Plants - what is a stem? (based on Our World in Pictures: Trees, Leaves, Flowers & Seeds, <i>Dorling Kindersley</i>)	Narrative, Animal Tale/PHSE: The Owl Who was Afraid of the Dark, <i>Jill Tomlinson</i> Letter: Jamaica/ London
Maths	Numbers 10 – 100 Calculations within 20	Addition & subtraction Introduction to multiplication & division	Introduction to multiplication & division (cont.)	Shape Addition & subtraction of 2 digit numbers	Money Fractions	Multiplication and division Sense of measure
Science	Animals Including Humans		Living Things and their Habitats ←		Plants and Animals	
Art	Painting – George Seurat Sculpture- clay teddies		Textiles – Annie Albers Weaving - hot & cold		Seaside scenes - printing Jamaican artists	Take One Picture
Computing	We are astronauts	We are games testers	We are photographers	We are safe researchers	We are animators	We are zoologists
DT		Textiles Make a toy puppet		Wheels and Axels- make a wind powered car		Cooking and nutrition Make a wrap
Geography		UK Maps, London Continents & Oceans		Maps & compass directions		Comparative study with Jamaica
History	Homes & household objects/inventors		Fire of London/Crimean War/ WW1 Ice Explorers		Explorers -Tudor/Victorian /women	
Music	Musicianship Game Songs	Peter & The Wolf	Musicianship Game Songs	Barbican Concert	Water Music	
PE	Gymnastics Skills & games	Dance Skills & games	Target games Skills & games	Striking & fielding Team games (football)	Invasion Athletics	Net & Wall Athletics
PSHE	My relationships		My safety		Me (myself)	
RE	Hinduism		Christianity		Islam	
Educational Visits/Workshops	Museum of the Home	Science Museum	Museum of London New Cross Fire Station	Horniman Barbican - LSO	Cutty Sark	Caribbean Workshop

Year 3

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Topic	Ancient Egypt	Incredible Earth	From Stone to Iron	Europe & Russia	Tudor Times	Coast
Reading	Storm, <i>Kevin Crossley-Holland</i> A Year Full of Stories, <i>Angela McAllister</i> Werewolf Club Rules, <i>Joseph Coelho</i> Read Aloud: Boy at the Back of the Class, <i>Onjali Q. Rauf</i>		The Lost Happy Endings, <i>Carol Ann Duffy</i> How the Whale Became, <i>Ted Hughes</i> 'Please Mrs Butler, <i>Allan Ahlberg</i> Toshka's Tales: Stories from Russia, <i>James Mayhew</i> The History of Prehistory, <i>Mick Manning</i> Read Aloud: Pinnocchio, <i>Michael Morpurgo</i>		The Ice Palace, <i>Robert Swindells</i> Orchard Books of Fairy Tales, <i>Rose Impey</i> The Selfish Giant, <i>Oscar Wilde</i> Dream Variations, <i>Langston Hughes</i> How Plants Work, <i>Christiane Dorion</i> Read Aloud: Diver's Daughter, <i>Patrice Lawrence</i> Midsummer Night's Dream – <i>Andrew Matthews</i>	
Writing	Narrative Fiction, Humour: Incredible Book-eating Boy, <i>Oliver Jeffers</i> Poetry: Autumn is Here	Narrative, Science Fiction: The Iron Man, <i>Ted Hughes</i> Explanation Text: How a Robot Dog Works	Narrative, Humour/Fairy Tale: The True Story of the Three Little Pigs, <i>Jon Scieszka</i> Persuasive Text/ Holiday Brochure: Skara Brae, <i>Dawn Finch</i>	Narrative, Greek Myth: Theseus and the Minotaur, <i>Lipton & Morden</i> Biography: Malala's Magic Pencil, <i>Malala Yousafzal</i>	Narrative Fiction, Classic/Fantasy: The Happy Prince, <i>Jane Ray</i> Instruction Writing: How to Grow a Healthy Plant	Narrative, Adventure/ Modern Folk Story: The Secret of Black Rock, <i>Joe Todd-Stanton</i> Recount/ Diary: Flood. <i>Alvaro F. Villa</i>
Maths	Adding and subtracting across 10 Numbers to 1,000	Numbers to 1,000 – addition & subtraction and number facts	Right angles Additive relationship and mental strategies	Column addition & subtraction 2,4,8 times tables	Unit fractions	Non-unit fractions Parallel and perpendicular sides
Science	Animals including Humans Forces & Magnets		Rocks		Plants Light	
Art	Sculpture Animals			Painting Impressionism/Kandinsky	Painting -portraits	Take One Picture printing
Computing	We are programmers	We are bug fixers	We are presenters	We are who we are	We are co-authors	We are opinion pollsters
DT		Mechanisms Pop-up books	Textiles Make a cushion			Cooking & Nutrition Make bread
Geography		Landscapes & weathering Earthquakes & volcanoes		Location & climate Physical /human features		Counties & Coast erosion Comparison – New Cross
History	In-depth study of Ancient Egypt		Changes in Britain from Stone to Iron Age		Tudor dynasty & court Tudor London/childhood	
Music	Wider Opportunities - Strings					
PE	Dance Skills & games	Gymnastics Team games (basketball)	Target games Team games (football)	Invasion Team games (rounders)	Striking & fielding Team games (hockey)	Net & Wall Athletics
PSHE	My Relationships		My Safety		Me (myself)	
RE	Sikhism		Peace	Christianity	Buddhism	
Spanish	Hello & how are you?	Nos 1-15 and Age	Colours	In my pencil case	Fruit and veg	Food likes
Educational Visits/Workshops	Horniman	Natural History Museum	British Museum	National Gallery	Hampton Court	Beach

Year 4

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Topic	The Roman Empire	India	Mayan Civilisation	South America	Victorian London	Flood
Reading	Jelly Boots, Smelly Boots, <i>Michael Rosen</i> Mouse, Bird Snake, Wolf, <i>David Almond</i> A Dollop of Ghee and a Pot of Wisdom, <i>Chitra Soundar</i> India, Incredible India, <i>Jasbinder Bilan</i> Read aloud: The Fastest Boy in the World, <i>Elizabeth Laird</i>		Cloud Busting, Malorie Blackman Girls, Goddesses, Giants, Lari Don When Poems Fall From the Sky, Zoro Weil Little Leaders: Visionary Women From Around the World, <i>Vashti Harris</i> Read Aloud: Charlotte's Web, E.B. White		The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe, <i>C. S. Lewis</i> African Caribbean Folktales, Myths and Legends, <i>Wendy Shearer</i> Belonging Street, <i>Mandy Coe</i> Read Aloud: Boy in the Tower, <i>Polly Yen Ho</i> The Last Bear, <i>Hannah Gold</i>	
Writing	Narrative, Traditional Tale: Aladdin & The Enchanted Lamp, <i>Phillip Pullman</i> Diary Writing: The Journey of Iliona (based on Roman Diary: 1 (Diary Histories), <i>Richard Platt</i>	Narrative Fiction, Animals/Environment/ Friendship: The Last Bear, <i>Hannah Gold</i> News Report: Animals being Suffocated by Our Litter	Narrative Fiction, Fantasy/Adventure: Charlie & The Chocolate Factory, <i>Roald Dahl</i> Playscript: The Plague	Narrative Fiction, Adventure: Journey, <i>Aaron Becker</i> Poetry: The River based on The River, <i>Valerie Bloom</i>	Narrative Fiction, Fantasy/Humour: The Lost Thing, <i>Shaun Tan</i> Biography: Grace Darling	Narrative, Adventure/Realistic Fiction: Float, <i>Daniel Miyares</i> Persuasive Advert: The Stroodle - A Sustainable Alternative to Plastic Straws
Maths	Column addition & subtraction Numbers to 10,000	Perimeter 3,6,9 times tables	3,6,9 times tables (cont.) 7 times tables and patterns	Multiplicative relationships Co-ordinates	Fractions greater than 1	Symmetry in 2d shapes Division with remainders
Science	Sound States of Matter		Living Things and their Habitats Animals including Humans		Electricity	
Art		Printing William Morris/India	Textiles South American Art		Victorian Houses Clay	Take One Picture Painting
Computing	We are software developers	We are makers	We are musicians	We are bloggers	We are artists	We are meteorologists
DT	Cooking and Nutrition Fusion food			Textiles Make a cushion		Frame structures Build a bridge
Geography		Biomes & Climate Human/physical geography		Rainforests Study of Manaus		Rivers & the water cycle Causes of flooding
History	The Roman Empire and its impact on Britain		Mayan civilisation c CE900		Victorian London Change & legacy	
Music	Developing Musicianship		Wider Opportunities: Recorder		Poetry & Performance	
PE	Gymnastics Team games (football)	Target games Team games (netball)	Dance Team games (basket ball)	Invasion Team games (hockey)	Net & wall Team games (cricket)	Striking & fielding Athletics
PSHE	My safety		Me (myself)		My relationships	
RE	Christianity		Judaism		Hinduism	
Spanish	Days and Nos 16-31	Months and dates	Face	Body	Animals	Family
Educational Visits/workshops	Museum of London London Amphitheatre	Indian dance workshop	Mayan workshop	Catford Synagogue School Journey	The Ragged School Museum	Deptford Creek

Year 5

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Topic	Anglo Saxons	North America	Ancient Greece	Globetrotting- travel, trade & tourism	The Blitz	Spain- Barcelona
Reading	Poems the Wind Blew In, <i>Karmelo C. Iribarren</i> A Poem for Every Night of the Year, <i>Allie Esiri</i> Beowulf, <i>Michael Morpurgo</i> Between Worlds: Folktales of Britain and Ireland, <i>Kevin Crossley-Holland</i> Read Aloud: The Secret Garden, <i>Frances Hodgson Burnett</i>		The Fib, <i>George Layton</i> This Rock, That Rock, <i>Dom Conlon and Viviane Schwarz</i> The Adventures of Odysseus, <i>Hugh Lupton and Daniel Morden</i> Gods, Men and Monsters, <i>Michael Gibson</i> Read Aloud: The Graveyard Book, <i>Neil Gaiman</i>		Once, <i>Morris Gleitzman</i> Faery Stories, <i>Carol Ann Duffy</i> Still I Rise, <i>Maya Angelou</i> Tales From the Inner City, <i>Shaun Tan</i> Poems From the Second World War, <i>Gaby Morgan</i> On the Move: Poems About Migration, <i>Michael Rosen</i> Read Aloud: On the Move, <i>David Almond</i>	
Writing	Narrative Fiction, Fantasy: Zoo, <i>Anthony Browne</i> Balanced argument: Should We Feed Animals in National Parks? (Based on National Parks of the USA, <i>Chris Turnham</i>)	Persuasive Speech: Anglo-Saxon Call to Arms Narrative Fiction, Mystery: The Nowhere Emporium, <i>Ross MacKenzie</i>	Poetry: The Highwayman, <i>Alfred Noyes</i> Explanation Text: Digestion - How the Body Processes the Food you Eat (Based on 'Gut Garden, <i>Katie Brosnan</i>	Narrative Fiction, Mystery: The Whale, <i>Vita & Ethan Murrow</i> Journal Writing: Mars Transmission	Narrative, Historical Fiction: Rose Blanche, <i>Ian McEwan</i> News Report: Goldilocks	Narrative Fiction, Adventure: The Explorer, <i>Katherine Rundell</i> Persuasive Letter: Invite an author into school
Maths	Decimal fractions Money	Negative numbers Short multiplication & short division	Area & scaling Calculating with decimal fractions	Factors, multiples and primes	Fractions	Converting units Angles & transformations
Science	Properties and changes of materials Animals including humans		Earth and Space		Forces Living things and their habitats	
Art		Painting & drawing Mexican art/Frida Kahlo	Textiles/printing		Mixed Media Paul Nash	Take One Picture sculpture
Computing	We are game developers	We are cryptographers	We are architects	We are web developers	We are adventure gamers	We are VR designers
DT	Electrical systems/ circuits Torches			Pulleys & gears Cable car		Cooking & nutrition Tapas dish
Geography		Human/physical features Location & climate		Trade & transportation Migration		Comparison of Barcelona with London
History	Settlement by the Anglo-Saxons and Scots		Greek life & achievements Influence		The Blitz – key events Childhood	
Music	Developing Musicianship		Wider Opportunities: Ukulele		Media & the Movies	
PE	Swimming Target games	Gymnastics Team games (football)	Invasion Team games (hockey)	Dance Team games (basketball)	Striking & fielding Team games (rounders)	Net and wall Athletics
PSHE	My safety		My relationships		Me (myself)	
RE	Buddhism		Christianity	Islam	Judaism	
Spanish	Pets	Places in town	Sport	Weather	Travel	Descriptions/ Que horas? es?
Educational Visits/workshops	Anglo Saxon Workshop/ Museum of London	Science Museum	Greek Workshop/British Museum	Greenwich Observatory	Imperial War Museum/ Churchill's War Rooms/ Dover Castle Bright Sparks Concert Visit	Dance workshop

Year 6

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Topic	Vikings	Climate Change	Africa		London	
Reading	The Charge of the Light Brigade, <i>Alfred, Lord Tennyson</i> A Christmas Carol, <i>Charles Dickens</i> New and Collected Poems for Children, <i>Carol Ann Duffy</i> Floodland, <i>Marcus Sedgwick</i> Norse Mythology, <i>Neil Gaiman</i> How to Change Everything, <i>Naomi Klein</i> How You Can Save the Planet, <i>Hendrikus Van Hensenbergen</i> Read Aloud: 'Tempest', <i>Leon Garfield</i> Kensuke's Kingdom, <i>Michael Morpurgo</i>		Make More Noise, <i>various authors</i> Binti, <i>Nnedi Okorafor</i> The Secret of the Purple Lake, <i>Yaba Badoe</i> On the Origin of Species, <i>Sabina Radeva</i> Read Aloud: Wonder, <i>R.J. Palacio</i>		Uncle Montague's Tales of Terror, <i>Chris Priestly</i> Under the Moon and Over the Sea: A Collection of Poetry From the Caribbean, <i>John Agard and Grace Nichols</i> Black and British: A Short, Essential History, <i>David Olusoga</i> The History of African Caribbean Communities in Britain, <i>Hakim Adi Wayland</i> Who Are Refugees and Migrants? Anne-Marie Young and Michael Rosen Read Aloud: A Monster Calls, <i>Patrik Ness</i>	
Writing	Narrative Fiction, Adventure/Thriller: Kensuke's Kingdom, <i>Michael Morpurgo</i> Balanced argument: Is screen use making children lazy?	Narrative Fiction, Mystery/Ghost Story: Thornhill, <i>Pam Smy</i> Persuasive Letter: Letter to Mr Scrooge (based on A Christmas Carol, <i>Charles Dickens</i>)	Narrative, Realistic Fiction/War: The Journey, <i>Francesca Sanna</i> Narrative Recount/ Wartime Interview: Letters from The Lighthouse (based on the book, <i>Emma Carroll</i>)	Narrative, Blog: Pet Peeves (based on Step into Your Power, <i>Jamia Wilson</i>) Poetry: The Malfeasance, <i>Alan Bold</i>	Narrative Fiction, Fantasy/ Adventure: The Firework Maker's Daughter, <i>Phillip Pullman</i> Informal Letter: Windrush immigrant writes home Formal Letter of Complaint: about Windrush experience Postcard Recount: Fairy Tale Characters' Postcards from Prison	
Maths	Calculating using knowledge of structures Multiples of 1,000	Numbers up to 10,000,000 Draw, compose & decompose shapes	Multiplication and division Area, perimeter, position & direction	Fractions and percentages	SATS Ratio & proportion	Order of operations Mean average Solving problems with 2 unknowns
Science	Electricity Light		Evolution & inheritance Living things and their habitats		Animals & Humans	
Art	Conceptual Art/sculpture		Batik & Drawing Richard Kimbo		Cityscapes/Street art Drawing & Spray	Take One Picture
Computing	We are toy makers	We are computational thinkers	We are publishers	We are connected	We are advertisers	We are AI developers
DT		Textiles Making aprons		Electrical systems Steady hand game		Cooking & nutrition Make a gluten free pizza
Geography		Climate change Cause & effect		Location & climate Physical/human features		Local geography Change over time
History	Viking & Anglo-Saxon struggle for England		Benin (West Africa) CE 900-1300		London after WW2 Windrush	
Music	Developing Musicianship		Jazz & Blues		Music Technology	
PE	Gymnastics Team games (hockey)	Target games Team games (football)	Invasion Team games (cricket)	Net and wall Team games (netball)	Dance Team games (handball)	Striking and fielding Athletics
PSHE	Me (myself)		My Safety		My Relationships	
RE	Islam	The Journey of Life & Death	Sikhism		Christianity	Understanding faiths & beliefs in Lewisham
Spanish	Clothes	Nos 31+	TV & Film Travel	Hobbies	Jobs	Newspaper project
Educational Visits/workshops	Viking Workshop	School journey	Horniman Museum	Gurdwara	Whitechapel Art Gallery/ Street Art tour	