

St Stephen Churchtown Academy

Medium Term Overview 2026

Term: Autumn 1





	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6	Week 7
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Reading Vocabulary & Retrieval	Baseline Assessment	Vocabulary – The Lambton Worm (Myth) Alan Turing (Biography)	Vocabulary - Mexico City (Aztec folk tale) The Airship (Historical narrative)	Vocabulary - Woman's football (Persuasive Letter). A Cowardly Champion (Fantasy)	Retrieval – Who invented red and yellow cards (information) Ice (Other cultures narrative)	Retrieval – Snow Globe (portal narrative) Famous Empires (Historical information)	Retrieval - A Fairy Gruesome Murder (Play Script) Adrift (Adventure)
Writing Dystopian Literature Non- Chronological Report	Grammarsaurus – nouns	Grammarsaurus - Verbs	Grammarsaurus – subject/single clause sentences	Grammarsaurus – Single clause sentences, subject/verb focus	Grammarsaurus – subject/verb focus	Non Chronological report – WAGOLL, SPAG features, Sentence stacking	Non Chronological report – Planning, indepednetn writing, editing
Maths Place Value Calculation	Baseline assessment	Number and Place Value – ordering, digit values, comparing.	Number and Place Value – multipliying and dividing by 10, 100,1000, negative	Number and Place Value – negative numbers, rounding	Calculation – Addition & Subtraction	Calculation – Multiples and factors, order of operations, Multiplication	Calculation – Multiplication & Division
Science Animals including humans	Introduction – Pre assessment	How our pulse rate changes - experiment	How the Human Circulatory System Works – research	How the Human Circulatory System Works – write up	How other animals circulatory systems work	What makes a healthy lifestyle?	How water and nutrients are transported around the body
Computing		To explain the importance of	To recognise how data is transferred	To explain how sharing	To evaluate different ways of	To recognise how we	To evaluate different methods

Computer		internet	across the	information online	working together	communicate	of online
systems and contexts		addresses	internet	can help people	online	using technology	communication
History	Bridging activity – Who were the	What was St Stephen like in	What can the 1841 census tell	What jobs did people do in St	What were homes and	How did people in St Stephen	What does the 1841 census help
St Stephen in 1841	Victorians?	1841?	us about life in St Stephen?	Stephen in 1841?	families like in the 1840s?	cope with hardship and illness?	us understand about life in St Stephen?
Geography							
Art Pencil Sketches	Artist Focus – Leonardo da Vinci's drawings Who was Leonardo da Vinci, and how did he use pencil drawing to explore the human body and inventions?	Controlled sketching & Observational drawing How can practicing controlled sketching help you draw the form and structure of objects more accurately?	Shading and cross-hatching techniques How can shading techniques like cross-hatching and blending help create depth and texture in pencil drawings?	Drawing inventions – combining imagination and observation How can you combine observation and imagination to create a pencil drawing of an invention inspired by da Vinci?	Drawing inventions – combining imagination and observation How can you combine observation and imagination to create a pencil drawing of an invention inspired by da Vinci?	Layering and texture building in drawing How can layering pencil marks and using different textures add interest and realism to your drawings?	Evaluation and presentation How can evaluating your own drawings help you understand the human body and the process of exploration better?
DT							
RE Christians and how to live: what would Jesus do?	The greatest commandments	Foundations for living	Sermon on the Mount	Giving and Charity	Healing and Compassion	Prayer as a Foundation	Justice and Forgiveness
PE 1 Netball	How can I work as a team to create scoring opportunities?	How can I work as a team to regain possession?	Why is marking vital in netball and how can I avoid my marker?	How can I "pass and move" to create scoring opportunities?	How can I use a range of passing styles to create scoring opportunities?	Can I combine my learnt technique to develop a successful team and win a game of netball?	How can I work as a team to create scoring opportunities?

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		makes an	makes an	makes an	pupils'	skills required to	the skills required
PE 2		effective team	effective team	effective team	communication	make an	to make an
		with the focus	leader.	with the focus on	and	effective team.	effective team.
Communication		being on		collaboration and	collaborating		
& Tactics		creating tactics		communication.	within their team.		
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PSHE							
			Solve the			Acting	
Me & My	Let's negotiate	British Values	friendship	Behave Yourself	Assertiveness skills	appropriately	
Relationships			problem			арргорнатогу	
Music		Do what you	Do what you	It's all about love	It's all about love	Sunshine on a	Assessment
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MfL (KS2)					. •	. •	
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All About Me		Who lives where?	go to school to	Where is the	Comparing towns	like my town	town description
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