

Peckover Class Curriculum Overview – Autumn 2025

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2
English	<p>Fiction – suspense tale with focus on descriptive setting using expanded noun phrases and relative clauses</p> <p>Non-Fiction – recount (newspaper report)</p>	<p>Fiction – losing tale with focus on character</p> <p>Non-Fiction – explanation text with focus on uses of materials for specific purposes</p>
Maths	<p>Place value and algebra</p> <p>Addition and subtraction</p> <p>Multiplication and Division</p>	<p>Fractions, decimals and percentages</p> <p>Measures – capacity, volume and mass</p> <p>Geometry – position and direction</p>
Art	<p><u>Style in Art</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. An introduction to style in art: technique 2. Rococo Style 3. Rococo v Modernism 4. Abstract Art 5. Colour Theory 6. Rachel Jones 	<p><u>Islamic Art and Architecture</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Introduction to Islamic art and architecture 2. Elements of Islamic art 3. Elements of Islamic architecture 4. The Alhambra 5. The Taj Mahal 6. The influence of Islamic art
Computing	Coding – making and controlling sprites, simple game construction	Coding – Minecraft hour of code
DT	Building a toy using a cams mechanism	

Geography	<u>Spatial Sense</u> 1. Maps: dividing the world into sections. 2. Eastern and Western hemispheres 3. Maps: using co-ordinates to locate places. 4. Maps: drawn to different scales. 5. Relief maps	<u>Mountains</u> 1. Mountains 2. The Alps 3. The High Peaks of the Himalayas 4. American Mountains 5. African Mountains
History	<u>Baghdad 900 CE</u> 1. The Rise of Islam 2. Baghdad : A City of Peace 3. Baghdad : Building a City 4. Baghdad : A Centre for Learning in the Islamic Golden Age 5. The Mongol attack on Baghdad and the Regional Powers	<u>The Early British Empire</u> 1. The British Empire 2. Global Trade 3. The Mughal Empire and the East India Company 4. The Seven Years War 5. What motivated Britain to Build an Empire?
Latin	<u>Last Days at Vindolanda</u> Verb endings, subject and object	<u>Iulius Joins the Army</u> Noun genders, adverbs
Music	<u>Livin' on a Prayer</u> Listen and appraise Singing	<u>Classroom Jazz 1</u> Listen and appraise Three note bossa and five note swing

	Improving and composing using instruments Performing Evaluating performance	Improving and composing using the glockenspiel Performing Evaluating performance
PE	Forest School Tag Rugby	Hockey Dance styles
PSHE	Beginning and Belonging (rules, positive relationships, cooperation, coping strategies)	Diversity and Communities (equality, inclusion, discrimination)
RE	Creation and Science: Conflicting or Complementary?	Incarnation: Was Jesus the Messiah? (Prophecy and Evidence)
Science	<u>The Human Body</u> 1. Gestation and Infancy 2. Adolescence and Puberty 3. Slowing Down 4. Growth in Humans and Animals 5. Preparation for Assessment (research and scientific drawing)	<u>Forces</u> 1. Forces Including Gravity 2. Air Resistance, Water Resistance and Friction 3/4. Guided Investigation: Paper Drop 5. Pulleys, Gears and Levers