Dodford Curriculum Overview: Based on Chris Quigley Curriculum

Spring – Cycle B

	EYFS		Year 1 and Year 2	Year 3 and Year 4
			Concept Led Subjects	
EYFS Topics Sp1:	Material World Sp2: Toy Town		M1-Spr 1	
Geography	Sp1: What are the first signs of Spring?		- Continents and Oceans Knowledge categories:	M2 – Spr 2 - Climate Change
	Buds		Location Physical features	Knowledge categories:  Physical processes
	Frogs spawn  Green leaves on trees		Human features	Human processes
	New shoots		Enquiry question: What is the difference between a continent and a country or an ocean and a sea?	Enquiry question: What the impact of human processes on our planet?
	Birds carrying nesting material			
	Spring lambs			
	Spr 2: Where do my toys come from?  Toys local and around the world.  Talk about places in your local community where children can buy toys. Find the location on a map.  Look at toys from around the world and compare them with the toys we have in our setting.	HUMAN IMPACT		

History	Spr 1: Why is it important to learn	M1 – Spr 2	M2 – Spr 1
,	from past experiences?	- Space and Flight	- The Vikings
	mem past expensions	Knowledge categories:	- Company of the comp
	Children talk about past experiences		Knowledge categories:
	in relation to book characters	Travel and exploration	Location
	including bravery and making difficult	Location	Travel and exploration
	choices.	Main events	Beliefs
		Artefacts	Settlements
	Compare and contrast characters		Conflict
	from stories, including figures from the	Enquiry question: Should humans explore other	
	past.	planets?	Enquiry question: Where the Vikings
			just fierce warriors?
	Spr 2: How have toys changed		
	overtime, why have they changed?		
	My toys  Parents toys  Grandparents' toys  Victorian toys		
	Parents toys		
	Alone by		
	Grandparents' toys		
	Victorian toys		
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	<u> </u>	Knowledge led subjects	
Art & Design	Spr 1: Painting and Mixed Media	Spr 1 - Painting and Mixed Media: Colour Splash	Spr 1 - Drawing: Power Prints
KAPOW)	-	Exploring colour mixing through paint play,	Using everyday electrical items as a
	Paint My World	children use a range of tools and work on different	starting point, pupils develop an
	Creating child-led paintings using	surfaces. They create paintings inspired by Clarice	awareness of composition in drawing
	fingers and natural items as tools,	Cliff and Jasper Johns	and combine media for effect when
	children learn that colours can be		developing a drawing into a print.
	mixed and that paintings can be		
	abstract or figurative. They make		
	collages and explore different		
	techniques for using paint when		
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Design and Technology (CQ)	Seasonal Crafts Winter - Threaded snowflakes: Using threading skills to create snowflakes with pipe cleaners and beads.  Spr 2: Seasonal Crafts Spring - Sun catcher: Collecting flower petals to create card suncatchers. Easter - Egg threading: Threading coloured wool to create an egg pattern.  Spr 1: Use previous key skills in original ways.  Make 3 Pigs houses  Make a 3D junk robot  Spr 2: Represent own ideas.  Make a toy	Spr 2 – Mechanisms – wheels and axles  Through ALL topics there should be the concept thread of:  Technical knowledge Practical knowledge Design inspiration Design process	Spr 1 – Structures – shell  Through ALL topics there should be the concept thread of:  Technical knowledge Practical knowledge Design inspiration Design process
Computing	Spr 1: Purple Mash Unit: Drawing skills	Purple Mash Year 1: Unit 1.4 Lego Builders Unit 1.5 Maze Explorers	Year 3: YEAR 3 Unit 3.1 Coding Number of Weeks – 6 Main Programs – 2Code
	Spr 2: Purple Mash Unit: Robots Unit: Sounds	Unit 1.6 Animated Story Books  Year 2: Unit 2.5 Effective Searching Unit 2.7 Making Music Unit 2.6 Creating Pictures	Unit 3.3 (Review year 2 first) Spreadsheets Weeks – 3 Programmes – 2calculate Unit 3.6 Branching Databases Weeks-4 Programs- 2Question

			Year 4:
			Unit 3.7 Simulations Programs- 2Simulate 2Publish Unit 3.8 Graphing Weeks – 3 Programs – 2Graph
MFL	N/A	N/A	Plan It
			Our School
			All Around town
Music (CHARANGA)	Spr 1: Everyone	Spr1 - Having Fun with Improvisation  What songs can we sing to help us through the	Instrumental: FAME PROJECT
	Spr 2: Our World	day? Spr 2 - Focus on Dynamics and Tempo How does music teach us about the past?	Charanga – Spr 2 – Enjoying Improvisation What stories does music tells us about our past?
P.E. Spr 1: Throwing and Catching Spr 2: Dance		Spring 1 – Yoga Basketball	Spring 1 – Yoga Basketball
	Spr 2: Dance	Spring 2 – Dance Netball	Spring 2 – Dance Netball
PHSE	Spr 1: Jigsaw: DG (Dreams and Goals)	DG – Dreams and Goals	DG – Dreams and Goals
	Aspirations, how to achieve goals and understanding the emotions that go	Aspirations, how to achieve goals and understanding the emotions that go with this	Aspirations, how to achieve goals and understanding the emotions that go
	with this	HM – Healthy ME	with this  HM – Healthy ME
		Being and keeping safe and healthy	Being and keeping safe and healthy

	Spr 2: Jigsaw: HM (Healthy Me) Being and keeping safe and healthy		
R.E.	Spr 1: Unit F3: Why is Easter special for Christians?  Spr 2: Unit F4: Being special: where do we belong?	CHRISTIANS GOSPEL: 1.4 What is the 'good news' Christians believe Jesus brings?  CHRISTIANS SALVATION: 1.5 Why does Easter matter to Christians?  Easter Visit to Dodford Church	MUSLIMS  L2.9 How do festivals and worship show what matters to a Muslim?  L2.10 How do festivals and family life show what matters to Jews
Science	Spr 1: Materials and their Properties -Similarities and differences between manmade and natural objects.  Spr 2: Toys -Use toys to investigate scientific ideas. Ping Pong Float, Pull Back Car, Toy Freeze.	M1 Chemistry  Investigating materials Animals and humans	M2 Chemistry     Investigating materials – rocks and soils     Investigating materials – states of matter
Values	Spring 1 – Resilience and Collaboration	Spring 2 - Respect and Diversity	•