Curriculum information Birch Class Spring Term 2026

Communication, Language and Literacy Skills	Mathematical Skills	Knowledge and Understanding of the World	Creative Skills	Physical Skills	Personal, Social Education Skills	Computing Skills
Reading/ comprehension- RWI Phonics **Handwriting** – letter formation focusing on formation **Spelling** – Y 1 and 2 common exception words, suffixes and prefixes, words in phonetic groups **Grammar** – Exclamation marks, Adjectives, verbs and nouns, Past tense -ed suffix and present tense -ing, Plurals, Commas for lists, Question marks **Writing** – Focus on sentence structure using 'I can, we can, you can' model for all children	**Y1** Number: Place value (within 20), Addition and subtraction (within 20), Place value (within 50), Height and length Mass and volume **Y2** Number: Money, Multiplication and division Length and height Mass, capacity and temperature	**Science:** Animals including humans **History:** Why should we remember these women? Florence Nightingale, Mary Seacole, Edith Cavell. **Geography:** Hot and Cold places	**DT:** Vehicles **Art:** Expressive Painting **Music:** Charanga Music Program – exploring sounds, learning to listen	**Starlight:** dance – seasonal themes **Kick:** ball skills: rolling, catching, throwing	**Fruits of the spirit:** Love Goodness Joy **RE:** Who is Jewish and how do they live? What is the 'good news' Christians believe that Jesus brings? **PSHEE/RSE:** Keeping myself safe Rights and responsibilities	Digital painting Making music