



**Silver Birch and Willow
Classes
Half Term Plan
Autumn 2 2015**

Science

**Properties and changes
of materials 1**

PE

Year 5: Swimming each
Wednesday
Football, Handball and
Dodgeball
with Blackburn Rovers
each Monday.

Year 4: Multi-sports

Computing

**Online
Spanish**

Days, dates and parts of the
body
How the Spanish celebrate
Christmas and New Year

**Creative Curriculum
D & T / Art and Design**

**Egyptian Art
(continued from last half-
term).**

**Focus on Art in the style of
Gaudi and Picasso.**

**Creative Curriculum
Let's Celebrate!**

**Other Learning
Opportunities**

Learning about Poppy
Day
Poetry Week: 9th
November onwards

**Creative Curriculum
Geography/ History**

The Ancient Egyptians

**Christmas / New Year
celebrations around the world.**

Music

Year 4- Brass lessons
Year 5- learning songs
and dances for Young
Voices

Year 5: Let's get cooking!
(Tuesdays)

Please ask your child about
their chosen
Enrichment activity each
Friday.



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Core Subjects
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English

Classic Poetry

focusing on poems by Roger McGough and Michael Rosen.

Discussing poems.
Annotating features of poems
Comparing poems by Michael Rosen
Extending a poem

Discussing and evaluating how authors use language
Exploring how grammar affects the style of poems
Comparing poetry by Rosen and McGough
Using vocabulary for effect
Writing own poetry in the style of McGough or Rosen

Stories that raise issues and dilemmas

Spelling, Punctuation and Grammar

Reading activities

Maths

Factors

Prime Numbers

Multiples

Square numbers

Using partitioning to double and halve decimals

Multiplication and Division

Problem solving involving

multiplication and division

Changing fractions to decimals and vice versa

Equivalent fractions

Problem solving involving fractions

Finding the area of shapes (irregular and regular)

Converting digital and analogue times

Using timetables

Solving problems involving time

Times tables

Mental Maths

RE

Our Gospel value this half term is:

Compassion

RE units this half term:

Year 5

Bible Explorer

Year 4

Christmas (exploring the symbolism of light)