

Assembly Planner for Primary Schools Year 2

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SEPTEMBER – ANIMALS AND GOD'S CREATION

Week 1 – God Made the Animals

- **Bible Reading:** Genesis 1:24–25
- **Song:** *All Things Bright and Beautiful*
- **Message:** God made every animal with care — from elephants to ants — and said it was *good*.
- **Activity:** Children name their favourite animal and thank God for it in a short “Thank You” prayer.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=teu7BCZTgDs&t=51s> – Bible Story

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=FT_oDqOEGpc&list=RDFT_oDqOEGpc&start_radio=1
– All Things Bright and Beautiful

Week 2 – The Brave Little Sparrow: God Cares for Everyone

- **Bible Reading:** Matthew 10:29–31 — “*Not one sparrow falls to the ground outside your Father’s care.*”
- **Song:** *He’s Got the Whole World in His Hands*
- **Message:**
Even the smallest creatures matter to God — and so do we! Jesus said that God knows every sparrow and even counts the hairs on our heads. We don’t need to feel unimportant or forgotten, because God watches over everyone.
- **Activity:**
 - Children make paper sparrows or feathers and write on them one way they can show kindness to someone small or quiet.
 - Optional reflection: “God loves me and cares for me.”

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7napTbMKmKU&list=RD7napTbMKmKU&start_radio=1
– Bible Story (Song)

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=kDBJNQiuugnM&list=RDkDBJNQiuugnM&start_radio=1
– He’s Got the Whole World in His Hands

Week 3 – The Good Shepherd and His Sheep

- **Bible Reading:** John 10:14–15 — “*I am the good shepherd; I know my sheep and my sheep know me.*”
- **Song:** *The Lord’s My Shepherd*
- **Message:**
Jesus calls Himself the Good Shepherd because He knows each of us by name and looks after us, just as a shepherd cares for his sheep. We can trust Him to guide us and keep us safe.
- **Activity:**
 - Children draw themselves as part of God’s flock and write one way they can “follow” Jesus this week (e.g. being kind, telling the truth).
 - Younger pupils: Cotton wool sheep craft; older ones: write a short prayer thanking God for guidance.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ar732X9uO3I> – Bible Story

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=nGPOMB5ZRq8&list=RDnGPOMB5ZRq8&start_radio=1 – The Lord is My Shepherd

Week 4 – Balaam’s Donkey: Listening to God’s Warnings

- **Bible Reading:** Numbers 22:21–33
- **Song:** *Be Bold, Be Strong* or *Our God is a Great Big God*
- **Message:**
Balaam ignored God’s warnings, but his donkey could see the angel blocking the road. God sometimes uses surprising ways to get our attention. We should slow down, listen, and notice when God might be guiding us to do the right thing.
- **Activity:**
 - “Listening Game”: pupils sit quietly for one minute and notice what they hear — a reminder to listen for God’s voice.
 - Draw or act out Balaam and the donkey; discuss why listening is important.

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ksS84_vxAIM – Bible Story

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=eaXPXWBcE3I&list=RDeaXPXWBcE3I&start_radio=1 – Great Big God



OCTOBER – LEARNING FROM GOD’S CREATURES

Week 5 – The Ant and the Lazy Grasshopper (Proverbs Wisdom)

- **Bible Reading:** Proverbs 6:6–8 (“Go to the ant, you sluggard...”)
- **Song:** *This Little Light of Mine*
- **Message:** We can learn from animals — ants work hard and prepare well.
- **Activity:** “Busy as an Ant” teamwork challenge (build something together quickly).

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=_svBrlehmMo – Bible Story

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QCN893hzueQ&list=RDCN893hzueQ&start_radio=1
– This Little Light of Mine

Week 6 – The Donkey and Jesus

- **Bible Reading:** Matthew 21:1–9 (Jesus enters Jerusalem on a donkey)
- **Song:** *Hosanna, Hosanna in the Highest*
- **Message:** Even humble animals have an important job — just like the donkey carried Jesus.
- **Activity:** Write or draw something humble you can do to help others this week.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=EYd1YnCIuWk> – Bible Story

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=B_p7810nDx0&list=RDB_p7810nDx0&start_radio=1
– Hosanna in the Highest

Week 7 – Harvest and the Creatures of the Earth

- **Bible Reading:** Psalm 104:24–28
- **Song:** *My Lighthouse*
- **Message:** All living things depend on God — let’s be thankful for food and creatures that help us grow it.
- **Activity:** Bring a food item for a Harvest collection or make a “Thank You, God” fruit collage.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=zYvdiNfEx10> – Bible Story

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=HA8VtUPgqTc&list=RDHA8VtUPgqTc&start_radio=1
– My Lighthouse

NOVEMBER – THE SEA AND GOD’S POWER

Week 8 – Jesus Calls the Fishermen

- **Bible Reading:** Matthew 4:18–20
- **Song:** *My Light house*
- **Message:** Jesus calls us to follow Him and help others find God’s love.
- **Activity:** Cut out fish shapes and write ways to be a “fisher of kindness.”

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=TWD_kRWcVjY&list=RDTWD_kRWcVjY&start_radio=1
– Bible Story

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=HA8VtUPgqTc&list=RDHA8VtUPgqTc&start_radio=1
– My Lighthouse

Week 9 – Jonah and the Big Fish

- **Bible Reading:** Jonah 1:1–17
- **Song:** Jonah and the Whale
- **Message:** We can’t hide from God’s plan, but He always forgives when we turn back to Him.
- **Activity:** Make a simple whale craft with paper plates or blue paper.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=WOSadLyqshg> – Bible Story

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-cC7ndrnWxw&list=RD-cC7ndrnWxw&start_radio=1 –
Jonah and the Whale

Week 10 – Jesus Calms the Storm

- **Bible Reading:** Mark 4:35–41
- **Song:** *My Lighthouse* (Rend Collective)
- **Message:** When we feel afraid, Jesus is with us and can bring peace to our storms.
- **Activity:** Paper boat prayers — write something that worries you and place it in a “peaceful sea” basket.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=uYLHqdSO9OY> – Bible Story

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=HA8VtUPgqTc&list=RDHA8VtUPgqTc&start_radio=1
– Lighthouse

Week 11 – Peter Walks on Water

- **Bible Reading:** Matthew 14:22–33
- **Song:** *Jonah and the Whale*
- **Message:** Keep your eyes on Jesus, even when life feels stormy.
- **Activity:** Trust exercise — take turns guiding a blindfolded partner safely across a short path.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=U69Ag6wEyB0> – Bible Story

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-cC7ndrnWxw&list=RD-cC7ndrnWxw&start_radio=1 –
Jonah and the Whale

DECEMBER – THE SEA OF WONDER AND CHRISTMAS HOPE

Week 12 – The Starfish and Helping Hands

- **Bible Reading:** Galatians 6:9–10 (“Do good to everyone.”)
- **Song:** *Give Me Oil in My Lamp*
- **Message:** Every small act of kindness makes a big difference — like throwing one starfish back into the sea.
- **Activity:** Write one kind act on a paper starfish and place it on a classroom “Kindness Wall.”

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=l40726EIRq4&list=RDl40726EIRq4&start_radio=1 –
Bible Story

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3OGMjDlIEJM&list=RD3OGMjDlIEJM&start_radio=1
– Give me Oil

Week 13 – The Sea and the Shepherds (God’s Message Spreads Everywhere)

- **Bible Reading:** Luke 2:8–14
- **Song:** *While Shepherds Watched Their Flocks*
- **Message:** Just as the sea touches every land, God’s love reaches every person.
- **Activity:** Children draw or decorate stars to remind them that God’s love shines everywhere.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=L5m2GE6DFeM> – Bible Story

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=eSyUvOUZwxQ&list=RDeSyUvOUZwxQ&start_radio=1 – While Shepherds

Week 14 – Christmas by the Sea: God’s Greatest Gift

- **Bible Reading:** Luke 2:1–20
- **Song:** *O Come, All Ye Faithful*
- **Message:** The birth of Jesus is the greatest gift of love — for all creation, on land and sea.
- **Activity:** Nativity reflection — children place animal cut-outs around a paper manger and thank God for sending Jesus.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=xKcjSKrDtIU> – Bible Story

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1tM5pwvUGMI&list=RD1tM5pwvUGMI&start_radio=1 – Come all ye faithful

JANUARY — Light and New Beginnings

Week 1

Epiphany – The Visit of the Wise Men

Matthew 2:1–12

Jesus is the light for all nations; we can seek and follow God’s light.

We Three Kings / The Virgin Mary Had a Baby Boy

Make paper stars and write one way to be a light for others.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=22SMUUMsx0o> – Bible Story

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=jBwL3y-Wlms&list=RDjBwL3y-Wlms&start_radio=1

– We Three Kings

Week 2

The Boy Samuel (*Children in the Bible*)

1 Samuel 3:1–10

God calls even children to serve Him.

Here I Am, Lord

Quiet time: listen for God's voice in our hearts.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=P13uIsFW7OA> – Bible Story

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=X_v9JKi4Ajo&list=RDX_v9JKi4Ajo&start_radio=1 -

Here I am Lord

Week 3

Jesus Welcomes the Children (*Children in the Bible*)

Matthew 19:13–15

Jesus loves and values every child.

Jesus' Love Is Very Wonderful

Create a display: "We are all special to God."

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=VPUMDVBO7dY> – Bible Story

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=CaMVjO_GruA&list=RDCaMVjO_GruA&start_radio=1 – Jesus'

Love is Very Wonderful

Week 4

St Brigid of Kildare

Proverbs 31:20 / Acts 9:36 (Dorcas parallel)

Brigid shared God's love through kindness and care.

This Little Light of Mine

Make St Brigid's crosses; discuss helping others.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=cs69466qVHs> – Proverbs

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QhIRTnc06es> – Acts

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QCN893hzueQ&list=RDQCN893hzueQ&start_radio=1

– This Little Light of Mine

FEBRUARY — Caring and Faith

Week 5

The Feeding of the 5,000 (*Children in the Bible – the boy who shared*)

John 6:1–14

God can use even small gifts to do great things.

Give Me Oil in My Lamp

Write one small act of kindness to do this week.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=S6rj9cAJrWE&t=5s> – Bible Story

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3OGMjDlIEJM&list=RD3OGMjDlIEJM&start_radio=1

– Give me oil in my lamp

Week 6

The Widow's Offering (*Women in the Bible*)

Mark 12:41–44

God values generosity of heart, not amount.

Make Me a Channel of Your Peace
Coins of caring – collect for a charity.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=dJo6WDxBCRc> – Bible Story
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=fYz14jEoaeU&list=RdfYz14jEoaeU&start_radio=1 –
Make me a channel of your peace

Week 7

St David of Wales

Matthew 5:16

“Do the little things” – small acts show big faith.

Shine, Jesus, Shine

Each class makes a “Good Deeds” flower display.

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=SJT_RTbwKLY&list=RDSJT_RTbwKLY&start_radio=1 – Bible story (Song version)
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=E_i-GxtbD54&list=RDE_i-GxtbD54&start_radio=1 –
Shine Jesus Shine

Week 8

The Samaritan Woman at the Well (*Women in the Bible*)

John 4:1–30

Jesus welcomes everyone and brings living water.

As the Deer Pants for the Water

Water imagery art – Jesus as Living Water.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Z8HBbOIXLD8> – Bible Story
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=FBppKZ0eJIQ&list=RDFBppKZ0eJIQ&start_radio=1 –
As the Deer Pants for the Water

MARCH — Lent, St Patrick & Easter

Week 9

Lent Begins – Jesus in the Wilderness

Matthew 4:1–11

Lent is a time to pray, give, and turn back to God.

Be Strong and Courageous

Discuss giving up or taking on something good.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mc-x4qKY6Wc> – Bible story
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=t34ajxa7TCI&list=RDt34ajxa7TCI&start_radio=1 –
Strong and Courageous

Week 10

St Patrick

Matthew 28:19–20 / Psalm 23

Patrick shared the Good News with courage.

Be Thou My Vision

Make shamrocks – remember Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=UcFw8pLBSIo> – Bible Story

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Optrm7IF16s&list=RDOptrm7IF16s&start_radio=1 – Be Thou My Vision

Week 11

The Anointing of Jesus by Mary of Bethany (*Women in the Bible*)

John 12:1–8

Mary showed love and devotion to Jesus.

Jesus' Love Is Very Wonderful

Write “thank you” prayers for people who care for us.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mkiUmR8OQWk> – Bible Story

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=CaMVjO_GruA&list=RDCaMVjO_GruA&start_radio=1 – Jesus' Is Very Wonderful

Week 12

Palm Sunday & Holy Week

Luke 19:28–40

We can welcome Jesus into our lives.

Sing Hosanna

Palm leaves craft or parade.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=z-39h0xYqdE> – Bible Story

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=nBo9BM6QVxs&list=RDnBo9BM6QVxs&start_radio=1 – Sing Hosanna

Week 13

Easter – The Resurrection

Luke 24:1–12

Jesus is alive! Hope and joy for all.

Thine Be the Glory

Decorate “Alleluia” butterflies or flowers for display.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=K3QkZsKLU2o&t=11s> – Bible Story

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=kDBJNQiuM&list=RDkDBJNQiuM&start_radio=1 – Whole World

APRIL — New Life and Growing Faith

Week 14

The Road to Emmaus

Luke 24:13–35

Jesus walks with us every day.

He's Got the Whole World in His Hands

“Journey footprints” mural of trust in Jesus.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=K3QkZsKLU2o&t=11s> – Bible Story
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=kDBJNQiugnM&list=RDkDBJNQiugnM&start_radio=1
[1](#) – Whole World

Week 15

Ruth and Naomi (*Women in the Bible*)

Ruth 1

Friendship, loyalty, and faithfulness.

Love Divine, All Loves Excelling

Friendship pledge or cards.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=SDmjO7X8ELI&t=85s> – Bible Story
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3OGMjDlIEJM&list=RD3OGMjDlIEJM&start_radio=1
– Oil in my lamp

Week 16

The Boy Who Shared His Lunch (*Children in the Bible*)

John 6:1–14

God can use our small gifts to do big things.

Give Me Oil in My Lamp

Name one way you can share or help others.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=S6rj9cAJrWE&t=6s> – Bible Story
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3OGMjDlIEJM&list=RD3OGMjDlIEJM&start_radio=1 – Oil in my lamp

Week 17

Esther the Brave Queen (*Women in the Bible*)

Esther 4:10–17

God gives courage to stand up for what is right.

Be Bold, Be Strong

“Courage crowns” – when did you do something brave?

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=KPDRmkh7J9c> – Bible Story
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=x9Bgxzk_P8w&list=RDx9Bgxzk_P8w&start_radio=1 – Be Bold Be Strong

MAY — Faith and the Spirit

Week 18

Jairus' Daughter (*Children in the Bible*)

Mark 5:21–43

Jesus brings life and hope.

Shine, Jesus, Shine

Write prayers for people who need healing.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ZRDKoYjUjBc> – Bible Story
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=E_i-GxtbD54&list=RDE_i-GxtbD54&start_radio=1 – Shine Jesus Shine

Week 19

Miriam and the Baby Moses (*Children & Women in the Bible*)

Exodus 2:1–10

God uses children to bring about His plans.

This Little Light of Mine

Retell the story with puppets.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hI9rDikU-FM> – Bible Story
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QCN893hzueQ&list=RDQCN893hzueQ&start_radio=1 – Light of Mine

Week 20

The Ascension of Jesus

Acts 1:6–11

Jesus returns to heaven but is still with us.

Sing Hosanna

Cloud craft – prayers rising to heaven.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=UcFw8pLBSIo&t=1s> – Bible Story
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=nBo9BM6QVxs&list=RDnBo9BM6QVxs&start_radio=1 – Sing Hosanna

Week 21

Pentecost – The Coming of the Holy Spirit

Acts 2:1–13

The Spirit gives us courage and unity.

Spirit of the Living God

Make flame decorations and pray for the fruits of the Spirit.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OMQKy1Mx49M> – Bible Story
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=nBo9BM6QVxs&list=RDnBo9BM6QVxs&start_radio=1 – Sing Hosanna

JUNE — Living God's Way

Week 22

The Fruit of the Spirit

Galatians 5:22–23

The Holy Spirit helps us grow good qualities.

This Little Light of Mine

Fruit-shaped paper prayers.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-aRnggryObM> – Bible Story

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QCN893hzueQ&list=RDQCN893hzueQ&start_radio=1
– Light of Mine

Week 23

Jesus Blesses the Children (*Children in the Bible*)

Mark 10:13–16

Jesus loves and values every child.

Jesus' Love Is Very Wonderful

Closing prayer of thanks for friendship and learning.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=VPUMDVBO7dY> – Bible Story

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=CaMVjO_GruA&list=RDCaMVjO_GruA&start_radio=1
– Jesus Love it Very Wonderful