

Our **core enrichment offer** is an essential part of our curriculum. These experiences are all closely linked to the knowledge and skills that we want all of our pupils to have by the time they leave LCA. As such, these experiences will always be planned as outlined in the table below.

Where possible, we also try and offer children other experiences outside of the curriculum to enhance their experience of school. We call this our **additional enrichment offer**. These experiences have no direct link to the curriculum and therefore can be subject to change from year to year based on several factors including:

Availability of the experience

Some companies will change their offer to schools and therefore we may be unable to book an experience that has happened in school before.

Availability of staff

These experiences will very often require staff to give their time freely outside of their normal, paid working hours and if we do not have enough staff volunteers then these experiences may not go ahead.

Budget Constraints

Unfortunately, as a school we do not have a pot of money available to pay for these additional activities and so we rely solely on parental contributions. If we are unable to cover the cost of any experience through parental contributions then these activities may be cancelled. Most venues have a cancellation policy whereby you lose your deposit or up to 100% of the cost if you cancel after booking. In these cases, the experience may not be planned at all.

Low Uptake from Families

We recognise that many of our families find their budgets being stretched more and more thinly. Therefore, if we don't have enough interest in an experience then it may not be offered or it may be cancelled.

Time in the curriculum

Our school curriculum is very full. Every moment of every day is used to teach children the key skills they will need for the next stage of their journey. Therefore, we may decide not to offer these experiences if curriculum time is tight.

Core Enrichment Offer						
Early Years Foundation Stage	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sing on a stage – Nativity • Learn to ride a balance bike • Watch a caterpillar grow into a butterfly • Chinese New Year WOW Day • Learn how to use a knife and fork • Go welly wandering • Create wild art 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Visit a church • Help a plant grow • Learn to play a glockenspiel 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Visit Lincoln Cathedral • Visit Lincoln Castle • Visit the Museum of Lincolnshire Life • Use a kitchen knife to safely cut food • Learn to thread a needle 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Visit a stone age or iron age exhibition • Graffiti experience day • Visit a mosque • Make a meal using an oven 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Walk around the remains of Roman Lincoln • Visit the Magna Carta/Battle of Lincoln exhibition at Lincoln Castle • Learn to swim 25 metres 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Visit Greetwell Hollow Nature Reserve • Take part in an Anglo-Saxon/Viking re-enactment experience. • Cook a meal using an electric hob. • Visit The Collection • Make a stuffed toy 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Take part in a stage production • Visit the National Holocaust Centre • Take part in a Victorian school experience day • Cook a 3-course meal • Learn to sew a button on • Make a piece of clothing • Become a buddy for a child in EYFS

Whole School Experiences:

- Take part in Sports Day
- Listen to live music
- Learn an additional language
- Play a tuned instrument (recorder/glockenspiel/xylophone)
- Take part in World Book Day
- Take part in a Young Enterprise Experience

Additional Enrichment Offer

Experiences	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Djembe drum workshop • Chinese Dance Workshop 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Visit a zoo or a wildlife park • Go inside a planetarium • Visit from Zoolab • Take a trip on a bus 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Visit the beach 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Light a fire and roast marshmallows 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sleepover at school for 1 night • Take a journey through the digestive system through a virtual reality experience 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2 -night residential away from school
Whole School Experiences	See live theatre – in school or at an outside venue School Discos						
After School Clubs	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sports Club run by Synergy and School staff – multisports, football, netball, cross country • Art Club • Comic Book Club • Reading Club • Singing Club • Signing Club • Construction Club • Dance Clubs • Read aloud club • Debating Club • Poetry Cafe 						