

Year 4 Curriculum Map 2021 - 2022

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
English (Texts studied, and the genre & purpose of writing)	<p>The Journey by Francesca Sanna Setting description Narrative – retell in first person</p> <p>The Adventures of Odysseus by Hugh Lupton, Daniel Morden and Christina Balit (Greek myth) 1st person narrative (myth) Newspaper report</p> <p>Non chronological Report (Ancient Greece)</p>	<p>One Plastic Bag – Isatou Ceesay (Story from other culture) Persuasive Writing – formal letter</p> <p>Ice Palace by Robert Swindells (Adventure) Narrative (adventure) – Retell the story to the villagers from Ivan or his brother Diary – after brother’s disappearance Description of the palace</p> <p>Performance poetry Karl Nova 'The Misinformation Age'</p>	<p>Tin Forest by Helen Ward (fable) Narrative – retell from a different perspective Setting Description – of the forest coming to life Diary - of old man when the bird came and after he disappeared</p> <p>Krindlekrax by Philip Ridley (Thriller) Narrative (suspense) Informal Letter from Corky to Ruskin</p> <p>Non fiction book Anglo Saxons Information text (Anglo Saxons)</p>	<p>Bringing The Rain to Kaipti Plain – Verna Aardema Poetry with figurative language</p> <p>If I was a Rat by Philip Pullman (Fantasy) Formal Letter to the judge Newspaper report on the monster in the sewers</p>	<p>Non fiction text – Vikings Explanation text – The Vikings</p> <p>Arthur and the Golden Rope by Joe Todd Stanton (Historical setting) Narrative (historical) Retell voyage to the land of the Viking Gods Playscript</p>	<p>Promise by Nicola Davies (ethical story) Formal letter – to MP how to improve the city</p> <p>Varraj Paw by S F Said (mystery) Narrative (mystery) – with an alternative ending Persuasive – should Varraj stay or leave? Newspaper report – about the Vanishing</p> <p>Funny poems Revolt Rhymes Roald Dahl</p>
Whole class reading	<p>Beasts Olympics</p> <p>The Lightning Catcher – Clare Weze*</p>	<p>Amari and the Night Brothers – B B Alston*</p>	<p>Beowolf – Michael Morpurgo Monster Slayer – Brian Pattern (Narrative with historical setting)</p>	<p>The Miraculous Journey of Edward Tulane by Kate DiCamillo (adventure)</p>	<p>Matilda – Roahl Dahl</p>	<p>The Girl Who Stole an Elephant *</p>
Mathematics	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Reasoning with large numbers Addition and subtraction 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Multiplication and division Discrete and continuous data 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Securing multiplication facts Fractions 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Time Decimals Area and perimeter 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Solving measures and money problems Shape and symmetry 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Position and direction Reasoning with pattern and sequences 3-D shape
History	<p>Ancient Greece</p> <p>Ancient Greece – a study of Greek life and achievements and their influence on the western world</p> <p>Greek life and influence on the Western World. Studied medicine eg Hippocrates. Aristotle – study of animals. Teach about Olympics and sport.</p>		<p>Anglo Saxons</p> <p>Britain’s settlement by Anglo-Saxons and Scots</p> <p>The Impact of the Anglo Saxons on modern society following the Romans. Teach key kings and queens eg King Alfred. The rise of Christianity. Excellent warriors – Queen Boudicca’s significance</p>		<p>The Vikings</p> <p>The Vikings – Their influence on Britain and religion</p> <p>Their influence on Britain and Religion. First Viking raid, origins from Denmark, Norway and Sweden – Scandinavian culture. Learn about trading, sea explorers in the Caspian Sea, poets and composers</p>	
Geography		<p>The U.K – Scotland/Wales Physical and human features of the UK The pupils will build on knowledge learnt in KS1 about the United Kingdom. They will be able to locate counties and regions. They will describe</p>		<p>Rivers and the Water Cycle: Thames Physical Geography – Water cycle and rivers</p> <p>The children will develop their fieldwork skills and understanding of the water cycle, as well as exploring the</p>		<p>Weather and Climate Hurricanes, Deforestation - New Orleans and Brazil</p> <p>Children will build their understanding of climates, by investigating geographic diversity across the globe, using climate</p>

		physical and human differences across the UK comparing Scotland to London		role of rivers as a centre point of human settlements and development. Fieldwork: workshop by the River Thames (in the locality)		maps and a range of data representations to compare localities. Fieldwork: use data to show how climates have changed over time
Science	Physics Electricity & Circuits Scientists: Brian Cox	Chemistry States of Matter	Chemistry States of Matter Scientists: Antoine Lavoisier	Biology Sound & Hearing	Biology Living things and their habitats	Biology Animals including Humans
PSHE	Being Me in My World	Celebrating Difference	Dreams and Goals	Healthy Me	Relationships	Changing Me
RE	What does it mean to be a Hindu in Britain today?	What does it mean to be a Hindu in Britain today?	Why is Jesus important to some people?	Why do some people think that life is a journey? What significant experiences mark this?	What can we learn from religions about deciding what is right and wrong?	What can we learn from religions about deciding what is right and wrong?
Spanish	Phonetics lessons 1&2 (C) Fruits (E)	<i>Vegetables</i> (E)	<i>Ancient Britain</i> (E)	Presenting Myself (I)	<i>Classroom (I)</i>	<i>Family (I)</i>
Music	Mamma Mia Pop	Glockenspiel 2 Mixed styles	Stop! Grime	Lean On Me Gospel	Blackbird The Beatles/Pop	Reflect, Rewind & Replay Classical
Art	Formal Elements of Art – Pattern		Art and Design: Painting and Drawing Cezanne		Every Picture Tells a Story David Hockney	
DT		Electricity Electrical Systems: Torches		Cooking & Nutrition <i>Adapting a recipe – Making biscuits</i>		Structures: Pavillons
PE – outdoor	Outdoor - Tennis	Outdoor - Football	Outdoor – Tag Rugby	Outdoor - Hockey	Outdoor - Cricket	Outdoor - Athletics
PE – indoor	Indoor - Gymnastics	Indoor - Dance	Indoor - Fitness	Indoor - Handball	Indoor - Yoga	Indoor - Dodgeball
Computing	Computer Systems/ Online Safety The children will learn to collaborate on shared documents such as; slides, forms and spreadsheets Curriculum Links Shared fact files/ slide presentations on Ancient Greece (History) Creating shared instructional booklets for electricity and circuits (Science)	Creating Media - Website Design The children will develop their word processing skills and learn to change layouts, embed videos and link between pages Curriculum Links Creating tourist websites about the UK countries and regions and what you can do in each place (Geography)	Skills Showcase - HTML The children will learn to edit the HTML and CSS of a website and will replace images and text to create fake news stories Curriculum Links Create fake news stories linking to Beowulf by Michael Morpurgo (English Text)	Programming -Further Coding with Scratch The children will revisit the Scratch application and how to code effectively they will learn how to introduce variables Curriculum Links Ongoing multiplication skills practice (Maths)	Programming - Computational Thinking The children will learn about the 4 skill areas of 'computational thinking' and how to use them to solve problems Curriculum Links Applying problem solving skills to solve problems with measures and money (Maths)	Data Handling - Investigating Weather The children will learn to research and store data using spreadsheets. They will use green screens to present weather forecasts Curriculum Links Weather and climate (Geography) Pulleys powered by air/wind (D&T)
Trips	The National Gallery – myths - Ancient Greece (History)	Hindu Temple (RE)	Pizza Express (DT)	National Maritime Museum (Geography)	The British Museum – Vikings (History)	Residential