

Year 4 long term planning

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	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
	7 weeks + 3 days	7 weeks	6 weeks	7 weeks	4 weeks	7 weeks
English genres	Character/setting description Retell of a chapter Non-chronological report	Comparison between story and poem Informal letter Setting description	Retell Prediction- what happens next (tension) Biography	Explanation – water cycle Diary Retell	Retell Explanation text Biography (science link)	Non-chronological report- Egyptians Letter
Poetry		Some One By Walter de la Mere	The Lost Words By Robert Macfarlane		Shape poems	
English SPAG	Standard English forms for verb inflections Expanded noun phrases	Speech punctuation (including commas) Fronted adverbials and use of commas after them	Use of paragraphs to organise ideas around a theme Grammatical difference between plural and possessive -s	Appropriate use of pronoun or noun within and across sentences	Apostrophes for plural possession	Assess and Review
Class text	Viking Boy By Tony Bradman TONY BRADMAN BLOOD, FIRE VENGEANCE VIKING BOY	Viking Boy By Tony Bradman TONY BRADMAN BLOOD FIRE VENGEANCE VIKING BOY	Running on the Roof of the World By Jess Butterworth ISS PUTTERWORTH Running Roof	Running on the Roof of the World By Jess Butterworth Running Running	Secrets of a Sun King By Emma Carroll EMMA CARROLL SECRETS OF A SUN KING	Secrets of a Sun King By Emma Carroll EMMA CARROLL SECRETS OF A SUN KING

Picture book week	Cloud Chaser By Anne-Fleur Drillon	The Day War Came By Nicola Davies Nicola Davies	Somebody Swallowed Stanley By Sarah Roberts	Jumanji By Chris Van Allsburg	The Phoenix of Persia By Sally Pomme Clayton	FArTHER By Grahame Baker- Smith
VIPERS Skills	Retrieval Vocabulary	Inference	Predictions Vocabulary	Summarise	Explain	VIPERS recap
History coverage	Britain's settlement by Anglo-Saxons and Scots/Viking and Anglo-Saxon struggle for the Kingdom of England to 1066	Britain's settlement by Anglo-Saxons and Scots/Viking and Anglo- Saxon struggle for the Kingdom of England to 1066			Earliest civilisations and an in-depth study of Ancient Egypt	Earliest civilisations and an in-depth study of Ancient Egypt
Geography unit	What are rivers and how are they used?		Why do people live near volcanoes?		Who lives in Antarctica?	
Trips/Visitors	Tatton Park - Vikings		Blue Planet – Coral Reef (Science link)		Egyptian workshop	
Maths	Number and place value Comparing Rounding Addition Perimeter & area	Subtraction Multiplication Division Real life maths (Enterprise)	Multiplication Division Fractions	Fractions Decimals Division	Fractions Decimals Lines of symmetry Coordinates	Angles Measures Time Conversions
Spelling rules/ patterns	 These words are homophones or near homophones. They have the same pronunciation but Different spellings and/or meanings. 	 The suffix '-ation' is added to verbs to form nouns. The suffix '-ation' is added to verbs to form nouns. Adding -ly to adverbs. Remembering words 	 Adding the suffix '- ion.' When the root word ends in 'd,' 'de' or 'se' then the suffix '-ion' needs to be '-sion.' 	 The 'au' digraph The suffix '-ion' when the root word ends in 't' or 'te' then the suffix becomes '-tion.' The suffix '-ion' becomes '-ssion' when 	 Homophones – words which have the same pronunciation but different meanings and/or spellings. 	Challenge words

	'in'/'into. spellings 'in-' mea • Before a starting v 'in-' prefi 'il-'. Befo word sta • the prefi becomes • The prefi	th 'not' and '.' In these the prefix ns 'not.' root word with I, the ix becomes re a root rting with r ix 'in-' x 'sub-' eans under '-le' beco Addi an ac adve lette Word soun word origi	ng in '-y' become '- nd words ending in ome '-ly.' ng '-ly' to to turn djective into an orb when the final r is 'l.' d with the 'sh' od spelled ch. These ds are French in n.	 Adding the suffix – ous.' Sometimes the root word is obvious and the usual rules apply for adding suffixes beginning with vowel letters. Sometimes there is no obvious root word though. The suffix '-ous.' The final 'e' of the root word must be kept if the sound of 'g' is to be kept. The 'ee' sound spelled with an 'i.' The suffix '-ous.' If there is an 'ee' sound before the '-ous' ending, it is usually spelled as i, but a few words have e. 	the root word ends in 'ss' or 'mit.' The suffix '-cian' used instead of '-sion' when the root word ends in 'c' or 'cs' Adding '-ly' to create adverbs of manner. These adverbs describe how the verb is occurring.	 The /s/ sound spelled c before 'i' and 'e'. Some words have similar spellings, root words and meanings. We call these word families. 'sol word family' and 'real word family' Some words have similar spellings, root words and meanings. We call these word families. 'phon word family' and 'sign word family' Prefixes – 'super-' 'anti' and 'auto.' The prefix bimeaning two. 	
Sc		ls and their Ma perties	terials and their Properties	Living things and their habitats	Animals including humans	Sound	Electricity
Week 1 and perce Explorin	kenspiels Exploring perform	g pitch and Explo	ging and playing: pring melodies and stave notation	Singing and playing: Exploring melodies and scales	Singing and playing: Exploring sharps/flats/chords and playing in parts Exploring structure/style Vocal songs Listening videos	Singing and playing: Exploring performing together End of year music show	Singing and playing: Exploring performing together End of year music show

Singing and playing: Intro to Glockenspiels Exploring pitch, notation and technique						
PE	Football Netball	Handball Hockey	Dance Cricket	Gymnastics Tennis	Athletics	Golf Rounders
PHSE	Relationships Positive friendships, including online	Anti-Bulling Week Responding to hurtful behaviour; managing confidently; recognising risks online Respecting differences and similarities; discussing difference sensitively	Safer Internet Day Living in the wider world What makes a community; shared responsibilities	How data is shared and used Making decisions about money; using and keeping money safe	Mental Health Week Health and Wellbeing Maintaining a balanced lifestyle; oral hygiene and dental care	Personal identity; recognising individuality and different qualities; mental wellbeing Medicines and household products; drugs common to everyday life
RE	What do Hindus believe God is like?	What do Hindus believe God is like?	Why do Christians call the day Jesus died 'Good Friday'?	Why do Christians call the day Jesus died 'Good Friday'?	How and why do people mark the significant events of life?	How and why do people mark the significant events of life?
D & T		Linkages and levers- Christmas cards				Decorative stitches- cross stitch bookmarks
French	Seasons	Vegetables	Presenting Myself	My Family	In the Classroom	At the Restaurant
Computing	Digital Literacy – Self- image and Identity The Internet	Data Logging / Editing Audio	Repetition in Shapes	Photo Editing	Repetition in Games	Editing Audio / Data logging
Art	Drawing Power Prints (omit lesson 1)	Painting and mixed media Light and dark	Sculpture and 3D Mega Materials (omit lesson 4)	Sculpture and 3D Mega Materials (omit lesson 4)	Craft and Design Ancient Egyptian Scrolls	Craft and Design Ancient Egyptian Scrolls