

Year 4 Year Group Plan

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
English	<p>Fiction: Stories which raise Issues/dilemmas (4 weeks) Texts: <i>Charlotte's Web</i> by E.B White</p> <p>Non-fiction: Persuasive Texts (4 weeks) Texts: <i>Charlotte's Web</i> by E.B White</p>	<p>Fiction: Stories with Imaginary worlds (4 weeks) Texts: <i>The Lion The Witch and The Wardrobe</i> by C.S Lewis (using extracts only)</p> <p>Poetry: Creating Images (2 weeks) Texts: <i>The Lion The Witch and The Wardrobe</i> by C.S Lewis (using extracts only)</p>	<p>Fiction: Stories from other cultures (3 weeks) Texts: <i>Grandpa Chatterji</i> By Jamila Gavin</p> <p>Non-fiction: Explanation texts (2-3 weeks) Fair, culture differences etc. Texts: <i>Grandpa Chatterji</i> By Jamila Gavin</p>	<p>Fiction: Play scripts (3-4 weeks) Texts: <i>Escape to Pompei</i> by Christina Balti</p> <p>Non-Fiction: Information Texts (3-4 weeks) Texts: <i>Wallace and Gromit's Cracking Contraptions</i> by Haynes</p>	<p>Non-fiction: Recounts: newspapers and magazines (3-4 weeks) Texts: <i>The true story of the three little pigs</i> by John Scieszka & Lane Smith</p>	<p>Fiction: Stories with historical settings (3 weeks) Texts: <i>Robin Hood (Ladybird Classics)</i></p> <p>Poetry: Exploring form - Haiku and Cinquin (2 weeks) Texts: <i>Linked to Seasons (summer)</i></p>
French	<p>On The Move <i>Learning directions and modes of transport.</i></p>		<p>Family and Animals <i>Learning vocabulary for members of the family and pets.</i></p>		<p>Hobbies <i>Learning vocabulary for hobbies and activities.</i></p>	
Maths	<p>Place value, addition and subtraction, length and perimeter, multiplication and division.</p>		<p>Multiplication and division, area, fractions, decimals.</p>		<p>Decimals, money, time, statistics, properties of shapes, position and direction.</p>	
Science	<p>What's That Sound? <i>Learning how sound travels from a source through our ears into our brain.</i></p>	<p>Living Things <i>Learning about food chains, classification grids and habitats.</i></p>	<p>Looking at States <i>Identifying solids, liquids and gases.</i></p>	<p>Teeth and Eating <i>Identifying the different types of teeth and how we digest our food.</i></p>	<p>Power It Up! <i>Learning how to build and create a circuit with bulbs, batteries and buzzers.</i></p>	<p>The Big Build <i>Learning about skyscrapers and large structures and how they are built.</i></p>
Computing	<p>iAlgorithm <i>Looking at robotics and algorithms.</i></p>	<p>iData <i>Looking at ways to represent information.</i></p>	<p>iMail <i>Working together with email.</i></p>	<p>iAnimate <i>Introduction to animation.</i></p>	<p>iProgram <i>Programming puzzles and making shapes.</i></p>	<p>iSafe <i>Looking at ESafety.</i></p>

DT		Mechanisms <i>Designing and Making a Slingshot Car</i>		Structures - Pavilions <i>Experimenting with structures and designing landscapes.</i>		Food – Adapting a Recipe <i>Adding or altering ingredients to create a meal for a set budget.</i> Electrical – Torches <i>Making a simple circuit to create a functioning torch.</i>
History		The Ancient Egyptians <i>Enquiry Question: How much did the Ancient Egyptians achieve?</i>		Roman Britain <i>Enquiry Question: What happened when the Romans came to Britain?</i>		Crime and Punishment <i>Enquiry Question: How has crime and punishment changed over time?</i>
Geography	The Americas <i>Enquiry Question: Can you come on a Great American Road Trip?</i>		Rivers and the Water Cycle <i>Enquiry Question: How does the water go round and round?</i>		Earthquakes and Volcanoes <i>Enquiry Question: How does the Earth shake, rattle and roll?</i>	
Art	Every Picture Tells a Story <i>Looking at works of art and creating a photo collage.</i>		Formal Elements of Art <i>Exploring texture and pattern.</i>		Sculpture <i>Using unusual objects to create 3D works of art.</i>	
Music	Sounds Musical Focus: Exploring sounds Subject Link: Science	Ancient Worlds Music Focus: Structure Subject link: History	Poetry Musical Focus: Performance Subject Link: English	In the Past Musical Focus: Notation Subject Link: PE	Building Musical Focus: Beat Subject Link: PHSCE	Around The World Musical Focus: Pitch Subject Link: Geography
PE	Badminton (Net and Wall Games) Hockey	Golf (Striking & Fielding) Dance	Gymnastics Tennis (Net & Wall Games)	Basketball (Invasion Games) Sports Hall Athletics	Rounders (Striking & Fielding) OAA	Athletics Cricket (Striking and Fielding)

	(Invasion Games)				(Outdoor Adventurous Activities) Tag Rugby (Invasion Games)	
RE	Theme: Buddha's Teaching <i>Key Question: Is it possible for everyone to be happy?</i>	Theme: Christmas <i>Key Question : What is the most significant part of the nativity story for Christians today?</i>	Theme: The 8-Fold Path <i>Key Question: Can the Buddha's teachings make the world a better place?</i>	Theme: Easter <i>Key Question: Is forgiveness always possible with Christians?</i>	Theme: The 8-Fold Path <i>Key Question: What is the best way for a Buddhist to lead a good life?</i>	Theme: Prayer and Worship <i>Key Question: Do people need to go to church to show they are Christians?</i>
PSHE	Me and My Relationships <i>Learning about different kinds of friendships and relationships.</i>	Valuing Differences <i>Understanding that everyone is different and that is what makes us special.</i>	Keeping Myself Safe <i>How to keep safe online and understanding stranger danger.</i>	Rights and Responsibilities <i>What are our responsibilities as members of our school community, family and friends?</i>	Being My Best <i>How to be the best version of myself.</i>	Growing and Changing <i>Understanding how our bodies are changing as we are growing up.</i>
Educational Events and Visits					Visit a Buddhist Temple	