



	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Half term theme	Intrepid Explorers	Time Travellers	Beautiful or Useful?	Intrepid Explorers	Time Travellers	Beautiful or Useful?
Half Term Topic	Geography: Earthquakes	History: Ancient Egyptians	Design & Technology: Simple Circuits & Switches	Geography: Rivers & Seas	History: Anglo Saxons and Vikings	Art Rotation: 1. 1950s – Painting 2. India – Textiles 3. Sculpture
Quality texts linked to topic	<p><i>The Turtle's Shell</i> <i>Mr Wah</i> <i>The Fox and the Crow</i> <i>Little Inchkin</i> <i>Where the Mountain Meets the Moon</i> <i>Running on the Roof of the World</i> <i>Earthquakes and Tsunamis</i> by Ben Hubbard <i>Earth Shattering Earthquakes</i> by Anita Ganeri</p>	<p><i>Great Women who Made History (Hapshepsut)</i> <i>Ancient Egypt tales of gods and pharaohs</i> by Marcia Williams <i>Secrets of a Sun King</i> <i>Egyptian Myths</i> <i>Cinderella of the Nile</i> <i>Mystery of the Egyptian Scroll Series</i></p>	<p>Non-fiction texts <i>The Danger Gang</i> <i>Rosie Revere, Engineer and Ada Twist, Scientist</i> both by Andrea Beaty</p>	<p><i>Nen and the Lonely Fisherman</i> by Ian Eagleton <i>The Great Wave</i> by Veronique Massenet <i>All the Water in the World</i> by George Ella Lyon <i>Water Dance</i> by Thomas Locker <i>Come on, Rain!</i> by Karen Hesse <i>Ethan the Raindrop</i> by Sean Patrick Guidera <i>Earthquakes and Tsunamis</i> by Ben Hubbard <i>Journey to the River Sea</i> by Eva Ibbotson</p>	<p><i>Viking voyagers</i> <i>How to live like a Viking Warrior</i> <i>So you want to be a Viking?, Horrible Histories Vicious Vikings</i> <i>Nat Geo Kids Everything Vikings</i> <i>Anglo-Saxon Chronicles</i> <i>Norse Myths: Tales of Odin, Thor and Loki</i></p>	<p><i>HerStory: 50 Women and Girls Who Shook the World</i> <i>Fantastically Great Women who Changed the World</i> <i>Little People – David Attenborough</i> <i>Stories for Boys Who Dare to be Different: true tales of amazing boys who changed the world without killing dragons</i></p>
Reading: Whole Class Text	<p><i>The Boy who biked the world – Riding home through Asia</i> by Alastair Humphreys (Non-fiction biography)</p> 	<p><i>Ancient Egypt: Gods, Pharaohs and Cats</i> by Marcia Williams</p> 	<p><i>Kay's Anatomy</i> by Adam Kay</p> 	<p><i>Kensuke's Kingdom</i> by Michael Morpurgo</p> 	<p><i>How to Train your Dragon</i> by Cressida Cowell</p> 	<p>Non Fiction & Poetry Focus <i>Caribbean Dozen: Poems from Thirteen Caribbean Poets</i> by John Agard & Grace Nichols</p> 
Writing	<p>Newspaper report Non-chronological report Letter Writing</p>	<p>Diary Entry Narrative Non-chronological report</p>	<p>Instructions</p>	<p>Newspaper report Non-chronological report Letter Writing Instructions</p>	<p>Diary Entry Narrative Non-chronological report Instructions</p>	<p>Poetry Narrative Instructions</p>

Handwriting	Use the diagonal and horizontal strokes needed to join letters and understand which letters, when adjacent to one another, are best left unjoined.		Use the diagonal and horizontal strokes needed to join letters and understand which letters, when adjacent to one another, are best left unjoined.		Increase the legibility, consistency and quality of his/her handwriting, e.g. by ensuring that the down strokes of letters are parallel and equidistant and writing is spaced sufficiently so that the ascenders and descenders do not touch.	
Maths 	Number: Place Value Number: Addition & Subtraction	Measurement: Area Number: Multiplication & Division	Number: Multiplication & Division Measurement: Length & Perimeter Number: Fractions	Number: Fractions Number: Decimals	Number: Decimals Measurement: Money Measurement: Time	Geometry: Shape Statistics Geometry: Position & Direction
Science	Living Things & their Habitats	Electricity	Animals including Humans	States of Matter	Sound	Working Scientifically Focus [within Whole School Themed Project]
History		Ancient Egyptians			Anglo Saxons and Vikings	
Geography	Earthquakes			Rivers & Seas		
Computing	Coding Online Safety	Online Safety Spreadsheets	Writing for Different Audiences	Logo Presentation Creation	Game Creation Coding	Coding Navigation
Art and Design	Sketching	The Big Draw	Painting	The Big Draw	Collage	The Big Draw

Design Technology			Simple circuits and switches			
MFL: Spanish	¿Que tiempo hace? Weather – Weather dialogue and forecast	¿Que te gusta hacer? Action verbs & opinions <i>Christmas traditions in some Spanish-speaking countries</i>	La comida sana Food Healthy & unhealthy food	Las pescadoras Valencianas <i>Joaquin Sorolla – Spanish Painter</i> Describing a picture: hay/no hay, ¿donde esta? ¿de que color es? ¿que hay? <i>Gloria Fuertes – Spanish poet</i>	Me gustan los animals y las frutas Animals Fruits Expressing opinions <i>Animals and fruits from Spain & South America</i>	Cuando llueve me pongo un paraguas Weather Weather forecast Clothing
RE	How does a synagogue show what is important to Jews?	How do those who believe build a relationship with God?	How do different Christians show their beliefs?	Why is the Qur'an special to Muslims?	Visit to a Place of Worship: Sikh Gurdwara	What happens when we die?
PSHE Jigsaw 	Being Me in my World	Celebrating Difference	Dream and Goals	Healthy Me	Relationships	Changing me
Music	Rhythmic Rondos Body Percussion & Polyrhythm	Winter Concert Preparation	Music Technology	Composing with Instruments	Year 4 Production	Dance from Around the World
PE	Football	Dodgeball Benchball	Athletics	Basketball	Hockey	Cricket
Curriculum Enrichment	Wow Day Black History Month Trip linked to half termly focus	Wow Day The Big Draw Exhibition Trip linked to half termly focus	Wow Day Trip linked to half termly focus	Wow Day World Book Day Science Week The Big Draw Exhibition Trip linked to half termly focus	Wow Day Visit to a place of worship Trip linked to half termly focus	Wow Day Whole School Theme Project The Big Draw Exhibition Pride Month Trip linked to half termly focus