

Year 4	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4	Term 5	Term 6
Topic	<u>History – The Tudors</u>	<u>History – The Tudors</u>	<u>Hot & Cold – Arctic & Antarctic</u>	<u>Hot & Cold- India</u>	<u>Habitats</u>	<u>Habitats</u>
Writing: all have SPaG embedded.	Battle of Bosworth recount Newspaper Reports/recounts – The Mary Rose	Imaginary World Stories – book link.....Aaron Becker Journey or Chalk or Leon and the place between	Information Texts – The Inuit (Look at a range of non-fiction texts)	Monsoon Poems – adventurous vocab/similes/metaphors Story – Book link Tuesday David Wiesner	Diaries and informal letters (persuasion) – The Day the Crayons Quit Drew Daywelt & Oliver Jeffers Persuasive speeches- Book: The Naked Molerat	Information Texts – The Wonder Garden Kritjana Williams Dreamgiver (film clip – drama unit) – story writing Forms of poetry – insect link.
Reading: inference, summary, dictionaries, words in context, skimming & scanning, themes, predicting, non-fiction retrieval.	A Pig called Henry	A Pig called Henry	Race to the Pole – Horrible Geography book	The Top of the Taj Mahal. Stories with morals - India	Skimming & Scanning techniques – linked to non-fiction habitats topic.	The Wonder Garden & Poetry
Maths	<i>Reasoning, problem solving, conjecture and generalisation</i> <i>Mental methods & times table rock stars</i> Number and place value, counting on, Multiplying and dividing by 10,100 and 1000, Rounding Written methods & word probs	<i>Reasoning, problem solving, conjecture and generalisation</i> <i>Mental methods & times table rock stars</i> Recap 4 rules Data – linked to topic Shape – triangles and quadrilaterals, angles. Word problems for all.	<i>Reasoning, problem solving, conjecture and generalisation</i> <i>Mental methods & times table rock stars</i> Symmetry Fractions Decimals Word problems for all.	<i>Reasoning, problem solving, conjecture and generalisation</i> <i>Mental methods & times table rock stars</i> Position & direction Measures Time Word problems for all.	<i>Reasoning, problem solving, conjecture and generalisation</i> <i>Mental methods & times table rock stars</i> 4 Rules recap Revision – arithmetic and reasoning. Assessment Investigations. Word problems for all.	
Science	Materials	Solids, liquids & gases	Keeping warm – insulation book links: the emperor’s egg and the Snowman	Sound Book Link: 5 minutes peace by Jill Murphy.	Habitats Book Link - insect poems	Habitats book link – Sparrow Girl & Tadpoles Promise
Art & D.T	Market house – charcoal sketches Make a Tudor rose – card	Design & make clay shields Tudor portraits – pouncing, paint, wood cutting with saws. link: trip to Boughton House	Abstract cold art – mixed media Inuit birds – water colour	Paisley patterns – oil pastel Ardivasi art – pencil crayon on black	David Hockney – flower field - painting Maths link: Butterfly symmetry – pencil crayon and oil pastel	Mod rock insect models Goldsworthy art – natural materials mixed media Frog art - watercolour

Geography / History / Science	<u>HISTORY</u> Battle of Bosworth drama & activities. Flag making/shields Henry VIII family tree – blind date Henry’s wives & Henry ‘This is your life.’	<u>HISTORY</u> Sulgrave Manor trip – life of a Tudor child	<u>GEOGRAPHY</u> HOOK day: fly, frozen planet & abstract art. Book link - Shackleton’s journey – link to Race to the Pole Maths link – measurements of arctic animals Maths link – temperature bar charts & line graphs	<u>GEOGRAPHY</u> India HOOK day: hindi writing/ music, map work & facts. Diary of an Indian child (Chembakoli) – compare & contrast lives. Trip – Mandir Experience: Indian dancing Indian food – cooking (maths link weighing etc) and research.	<u>SCIENCE</u> Hook Day: water cycle activities. Life processes, habitats, insects, Classification, branching data bases,	<u>SCIENCE</u> Food chains Book link – insect poems), environment (book link – Sparrow Girl), life cycle of a butterfly (all classes have caterpillars!) and frog (book link – Tadpoles promise). Leaf animal art
PSHE/British Values/P4C	Scaredy Squirrel		Hot or cold? 24 hours light or dark?	Rich v Poor?		
P.E	Real P.E. Tennis/hockey	Real P.E. Tennis/hockey	Swimming Dance – cold link	Swimming	Athletics	Team Games
R.E	Christianity in Action	Christianity in Action	Hinduism	Hinduism	Hinduism	Humanism
French	Asking and answering questions	Masculine & feminine nouns	Likes & dislikes & counting	Clothing & months of the year	Numbers 1-40 & telling the time	Where in the world is French spoken?
Music	A range of activities including: musical appreciation, singing & the playing of instruments.					
ICT	We are Tour Guides: Create a virtual tour of the school: insert photos into ppt. Create hyper links, use picture tools, insert recorded sounds.	We are Amazing Program a maze style game	We are Programmers Understand the concept of Loops by programming Angry Birds.	We are Penguin Experts Use an excel database to sort and filter penguins to answer questions. Use AutoSum and fill tool. Create a range of graphs.	We are Composers Compose and edit a piece of music on Audacity using own input and pre-recorded music. We Know the Power of Words Pupils identify actions that will make them Upstanders in the face of cyber bullying.	We are Turtle Artists Explore how to create 2D shapes of varying sizes. Introduction to repeat commands.
Enrichment/visitors/visits	Boughton House Market House	Sulgrave Manor Christmas Play		Indian cooking & Dancing. Mandir trip		Fermyn woods – bug hunting.