

Long Term Plan 2020-2021 - Year 4

	Autumn		Spring		Summer	
Theme	Amazon Rainforest	Mythical Creatures	Egyptian Civilisation	Chocolate's Journey	Twisted Fairy Tales	Ruthless Romans
Engage (hook for learning)	Zoolab Adoption of an Orangutan	Film afternoon – How to Train Your Dragon Find and make a dragon egg	Visit Bolton museum for Egyptian collection	Film afternoon – Charlie and the Chocolate Factory Making chocolate bars	Print making with potatoes	Visit to Roman site and museum in Chester
Suggested Texts	The Amazon (DK Eyewitness) The Lost Book of Adventure The Great Kapok Tree Journey to the River Sea The Explorer	How to Train your Dragon The Selkie Girl Beowulf The Boy Who Grew Dragons	Egyptians (DK Eyewitness) Meet the Egyptians So You Think You've Got It Bad? – Egypt Pharaoh's Fate The Story of Tutankhamun Secrets of a Sun King	Charlie and the Chocolate Factory Revolting Rhymes Maya, Incas and Aztecs (DK Eyewitness)	Twisted Fairy Tales Into the Forest Red in the City A World of Cities	The Ruthless Romans The Romans (DK Eyewitness) Meet the Romans So You Think You've Got It Bad? – Ancient Rome
English	Non-chronological report about rainforests (3 weeks) Persuasive letter about deforestation (2 weeks) Explanation text about how to survive in the jungle (2 weeks)	Free verse poem about finding the dragon egg (2 weeks) Character description of Toothless (1 week) Narrative to retell the fight between Grendel and Beowulf (2 weeks)	Newspaper/recount about discovering Tutankhamun's tomb (3 weeks) Leaflet about visiting Egypt in the past (2 weeks) Information letter about a visit to Egypt (1 week)	Character description and setting about a new character entering the Chocolate Factory (3 weeks) Poem about the digestive system (2 weeks)	Recount from the perspective of Red exploring the city (2 weeks) Short narrative based on a change to a traditional fairy tale (2 weeks) Biography about Rothenstein (1 week)	Advert about visiting the amphitheatre in Chester (2 weeks) Speech from a Roman soldier (2 weeks) Narrative about the Romans invading Britain (3 weeks)
Maths	Number and place value – 4-digit numbers Addition and subtraction	Perimeter Multiplication and division 1	Multiplication and division 2 Area Fractions	Decimals 1	Decimals 2 Money	Time Statistics Angles and 2-D shapes Position and direction
Science	Living things and their habitats	States of Matter	Electricity	Animals including humans	Brilliant Bubbles	Sound
History			Egyptians	The Mayan Civilisation	Early Islamic civilisation, incl. Baghdad	Romans
Geography	Why are jungles so wet and deserts so dry?		How can we live more sustainably?		Why do so many people in the world live in megacities?	
Art & Design	Draw an invertebrate found in the rainforest using pencil in the style of Andy Warhol	Draw Beowulf for depth and texture	Create an Egyptian hieroglyphic sculpture using clay	Chocolate Bars	Printmaking using Potatoes – City Landscape	Create and paint a replica Roman shield
DT	Amazonian headdresses	Dragon Eggs	Canopic Jars		Learn about Rothenstein	To prepare and cook a savoury dish from a chosen continent
Music	Introduction to Samba Charanga – Mamma Mia		Copy, improvise and compose rhythms, and learn about drones and ostinatos	Create graphic scores for compositions	Listen to folk music from different parts of the world and identify things that are the same/different	Identify song structure ABA or ABC and create own short songs following ABA structure
PSHE	Being Me in My World	Celebrating Differences	Dreams and Goals	Healthy Me	Relationships	Changing Me
RE	Why is Jesus inspiring to some people?	Why are festivals important to religious communities?	Why do some people think life is a journey?	What does it mean to be a Christian in Britain today?	What can we learn from religions?	
PE	Football	Athletics	Gymnastics – Arching and Bridges	Gymnastics – Pushing and Pulling	Tennis	Cricket
	Cross Country	Yoga	Dance – Egyptians	Flag Football	OAA	Dance – Romans
Swimming						
Display	Persuasive letters and posters	Photos of dragon eggs	Persuasive posters and canopic jars	Digestive system diagrams	Twisted fairy tale narrative	Roman speech