

Year 4 Long Term Plan

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Focus Days/ Weeks		Anti-Bullying Children in Need	Internet Safety Protective Behaviours	World Book Day	Mental Health Awareness	Sports Day
Class Assemblies						
Topic Theme	Rainforest		The Tudors		Coasts	
Core Texts	Running Wild	Amazon Adventure	Divers Daughter or Queens Token	Tudor non-fiction	Song of the Dolphin Boy	Man Fish
Literacy	Instruction Writing Letter Writing Descriptive writing through	Advert Non chronological reports	Visiting poet Play Scripts Recounts Character descriptions	Biographies Diary entry Non chronological reports	Narrative Informal letter Poetry	Recount Newspaper writing
Maths	Place Value; addition and subtraction; Shape and Measure; Statistics; Fractions					
History			British History: Tudors and Henry VIII Including key events and life in Tudor times			
Geography	Rainforests – location of South America/ rainforests and effects of deforestation. Comparing to London/ local area and creating bar charts to compare rainfall.		UK Maps - Identifying towns and cities on maps and an awareness of how they have changed since Tudor times.		Coasts - mapping of UK surrounding seas and continents and oceans.	
Science	Animals including humans Labelling the human body and functions of digestive system/ teeth	Habitats Environmental changes and the danger to living things	Forces and Magnets		Plants Functions of parts; life cycles; investigating requirements of plants to grow.	

Design Technology	Food Technology – design a healthy snack Make healthy eating choices and explain why Identify food which comes from the UK and other countries in the world		Structures – Tudor portrait frames Create a shell or wooden frame with awareness of how to stiffen and strengthen.		Textiles – sewing and embroidering a sea creature	
Art	Tropical Jungle Mural Mlle Hipolyte Creating layered artwork a range of materials including card, tissue, piping, art straws.		Portrait of Henry VIII by Hans Holbein Sketching - creating portraits of Henry VIII and his 6 wives with tones, shades and correct proportions. Evaluating own work against the artists.		Colour and pattern Katshushika Hosukai – the great wave off Kanagawa Creating seascapes using paint effects/ sketching	
ICT	E-Safety – recap of school internet rules Digital Literacy - searching effectively to create deforestation poster	E-Safety - creating an effective log-on username and password and using independently Multimedia – animation for younger audience	E-Safety – stranger danger and what information it is safe to share	ESAFETY - What to do if something on the internet makes you feel uncomfortable (at home/ school) Safer Internet Day Multimedia – making music or logo	E-Safety – Dangers posed by new technologies Programming	E-Safety – recap Data-Handling Create a simple spreadsheet
Music				Instruments County Music Service – one term of instrument lessons		
P.E.	Invasion Games – passing, receiving, dribbling,, shooting and tackling		Dance - creating a sequenced routine	Gymnastics – exploring different ways of moving and balancing	Striking and Fielding - throwing, catching, striking with bats	Athletics – running, throwing, jumping techniques and relay.
PSHE	Being Me In My World		Dreams and Goals	Healthy Me/ Protective Behaviours	Relationships	Changing Me

RE	What do different people believe about God?		Why are festivals important to religious communities? Why is Jesus inspiring?	Easter story	What does it mean to be a Christian in Britain today?	
MfL		Greetings/ Introductions/ Days/ Months/ Colours/ Where I live/ Alphabet			Fruit and Veg Hungry Giant	Going on picnic with the Gingerbread Man
Learning in the Community						