

Year 4 Long Term Plan

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Focus Days/ Weeks	Loudmouth National Poetry Day	Anti-Bullying Children in Need	Internet Safety Protective Behaviours	World Book Day	Mental Health Awareness	Sports Day
Celebration Event		Christmas decorations		Roman mosaics		Tudor performance
Topic Theme	Rainforests		The Romans		Shakespeare/ The Tudors	
Core Texts	The Great Kapok Tree – Lynne Cherry	The Explorer – Katherine Rundell Bear Grylls Adventures - The Desert Challenge	The Leopard in the Golden Cage – Julia Edwards	Romulus and Remus	Prince and the Pauper – Mark Twain	Treason – Berlie Doherty
Literacy	Instruction Writing Narrative writing Letter Writing Non chronological reports		Biography Persuasive adverts Recount		Play Scripts Recounts Poetry Descriptive writing Letter writing	
Maths	Place Value; addition and subtraction; Shape and Measure; Statistics; Fractions, decimals, time and money					
History			How did the arrival of the Romans change Britain?		Local history: William Shakespeare What is the Tudor legacy within Warwickshire?	
Geography	Why are rainforests so wet and deserts so dry?		Identify the location of Ancient Rome and Roman towns in UK		How can we live more sustainably?	
Science	Animals, including	Living things and their habitats –	States of Matter – comparing and grouting materials; observe		Plants – identify the functions of	Rocks – compare and group

	Humans – describe the digestive system; identify the different types of teeth and functions; construct and interpret food chains	recognise living things can be grouped; explore and use classification keys; recognise changing environments and their impacts of living things	materials changing state when they are heated and cooled and measure temperatures; identify the parts played by evaporations and condensation	different flowering plants; explore the requirements of plants for life and growth; investigate how water is transported in plants	different kinds of rocks; simply describe how fossils are formed; recognise how soils are made
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		Textiles – sewing and decorating a Roman purse	Structures – Tudor portrait frames Create a shell or wooden frame with awareness of how to stiffen and strengthen.	
Art	Tropical Jungle Mural - Mlle Hipolyte		Colour and pattern – Michelangelo		Drawing - Portrait of Henry VIII by Hans Holbein
ICT	Online safety – Self Image and Identify Online Relationships Effective searching effectively to create deforestation poster	Online safety – Online Reputation and Bullying Introduction to AI	Online safety – Health/ Wellbeing/ Lifestyle Coding	Online safety – Privacy and Security/ Safer Internet Day Safer Internet Day Logo	Online safety – Managing Online Information Unpacking hardware and software Animation - creating digital animation
Music	County Warwickshire Music Playing with rhythm – playing together and rhythmic structures		County Warwickshire Music Musical contrasts		County Warwickshire Music Melody builders - exploring melodies and song structures

P.E.	Dance Swimming	Gymnastics Swimming	Games Swimming	Games Swimming	Striking & fielding Swimming	Athletics Swimming
PSHE	Being Me In My World	Celebrating Difference	Dreams and Goals	Healthy Me/ Protective Behaviours	Relationships	Changing Me
RE	How might your world view lead you to do hard things for good reasons?		What or who is God? How is the divine understood in theistic world views?		Do you have to be part of a faith community to express and organised world view?	How have religion and history entwined in this area? *Extra unit
MFL	Days / months / school	Classroom commands/ places in town	Family / body parts	Face/ body parts	Feeling unwell/ jungle animals	Weather /ice cream
Learning in the Community	Christmas theatre performance		Roman workshop – Freshwater Theatre Company		Visit linked with Tudors/Shakespeare	