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	Autumn	Summer			
Theme					
Hook	Mystery Box of Artefacts	Dragon Doodle	Egyptian Buffet		
Enrichment	Canal and River Trust Workshop Pantomime Wigan Council Road Safety Workshop	Viking Workshop PSHE- Life Education Visit	World Museum Liverpool- Egyptian Workshop		
Showcase	Special Worship- Harvest Festival	Learning Showcase- Vikings	Y4 Egyptian Museum for Y3		
	Autumn	Spring	Summer		
Reading	Anglo-Saxon Boy- Tony Bradman	CRESSIDA COWELL DRAGON How to Train your Dragon By Cressida Cowell	The Boy at the Back of the Class By Onjali Rauf		
	The Lighthouse- Literacy Shed Unit	Saga of Biorn- The Animation Workshop			
	Poetry- Haikus	Poetry- Onomatopoeia	Poetry-The Wind - Christina Rossetti		
	Reading Objectives taught throughout the year				

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Diary Entry



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Write a persuasive letter to PM

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	Word Reading			Comprehension	
	 Apply knowledge of root words, prefixes and decode and understand new vocabulary Rea recognise further exception words 		 Check that a text makes sense and explain word meanings in context Ask auestions to clarifu understandina 		
	 Pevelop positive attitudes to reading through exposure to a wide range of fiction, non-fiction, plays and poetry Read texts organised in different ways and for different purposes Use dictionaries to check word meaning Become familiar with a range of traditional tales, myths and legends and retell some orally Identify themes and conventions across different texts Prepare and perform poems/plays using appropriate intonation and expression Discuss language choices and their effect on the reader Recognise different forms of poetry Check understanding of what is read; ask questions and explain word meanings in context Make and justify inferences and predictions Summarise main ideas across paragraphs Identify how language, structure and presentation contribute to meaning 		Discuss and evaluate texts, taking turns and listening to others		
	 Retrieve and record information from non-fiction Take part in discussions about a range of books, listening and responding to others 				
Writing	Expanded noun phrases and prepositional Charac phrases Settin Fronted adverbials Act		of Biorn or description description n writing spired by Biorn	Boy at the Back of the Class Fact file Create a new character Write in the style of an author Discussion/Balanced argument- Should the UK help refugees?	

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	The Anglo-Saxon Boy- Character profile Setting description Character description Dialogue Battle recount Historical narrative Poetry Haikus Cross Curricular Geography- what causes an oxbow lake? Science- Experiment write up (teeth experiment) History- Day in the life of an Anglo-Saxon Design and Technology- Recipe write up	How to Train Your Dragon Diary Entry Instructions Descriptive Writing/adjectives Adventure Narrative Non-chronological report Poetry Onomatopoeia Cross Curricular Geography- Explanation of the Water cycle	Poetry Write a poem about the weather Perform a poem Cross Curricular Science- Biography of a scientist History- Recount of Liverpool museum trip Geography- Deforestation fact file
Grammar and Punctuation	 The Lighthouse Expanded noun phrases (with modifying adjectives and prepositional phrases) Use of fronted adverbials, including commas after fronted adverbials Variety of sentence openers for effect Using apostrophes to mark singular and plural possession Maintaining first person and past tense in diary writing; using time adverbials The Anglo Saxon Boy Expanded noun phrases and prepositional phrases for character and setting description Use of paragraphs to organise ideas around a theme 	Saga of Biorn - Expanded noun phrases and accurate adjective choices - Use of prepositional phrases to describe setting - Use of fronted adverbials - Varied sentence structure for effect - (action writing) - Use of inverted commas in speech - Paragraphing and narrative structure How to Train Your Dragon - First person and past tense in diary writing	Boy at the Back of the Class Organisational devices (subheadings) in fact files Expanded noun phrases; fronted adverbials in character description Adopting authorial tone and voice Use of conjunctions for contrast in balanced argument (e.g., however, although) Modal verbs and persuasive language in formal letters Paragraphing for cohesion Poetry Figurative language (similes/metaphors) Expanded noun phrases for description Spoken language features in performance

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	 Use of inverted commas and other punctuation to indicate direct speech Appropriate choice of pronoun or noun to aid cohesion Chronological and causal conjunctions in recounts Use of fronted adverbials in narrative writing Poetry Selecting vocabulary for effect and precision Understanding word classes and sentence structure (syllable focus) Cross Curricular Use of causal language and conjunctions in explanations (Geography, Science) Imperative verbs and organisational devices in instructions (DT Recipe) Use of time adverbials in recounts (History – day in the life) 	 Imperative verbs and adverbials in instructions Expanded noun phrases and descriptive vocabulary Variety of sentence openers in adventure narrative Organisational devices such as headings/subheadings in nonchronological report Technical vocabulary; factual tone Poetry Using vocabulary for sound effect Awareness of word choice and reader response Cross Curricular Causal conjunctions and present tense in explanation (Water cycle) Technical vocabulary and cohesive device 	Cross Curricular - Past tense and factual tone in biographies - Time adverbials and past tense in recounts - Technical vocabulary and subheadings in explanation/fact file (deforestation)
Spelling	Adding the suffix /ssion/ (2 weeks) CEW- remembering /e/ (1 week) Adding the suffix /ation/ (2 weeks) CEW- uncommon silent letters 1 (1 week) Words spelt with the ending /sure/ (2 weeks) Words spelt with the ending /ture/ (2 weeks) CEW- uncommon silent letters 2 (1 week) Write from memory simple sentences, dictated by the teacher, that include words and punctuation taught so far.	CEW words- /u/ sound using o and /you/ using u (1 week) Adding the suffix /ous/ (2 weeks) Prefixes 1- mis, dis, un, in (2 weeks) CEW words- /ough/ and /shun/ (1 week) Prefixes 2- il, im, ir (2 weeks) Prefixes 3- anti, auto, inter, re, sub, (2 weeks)	CEW words- /ally/ (1 week) Homophones 1 (2 weeks) Homophones 2 (2 weeks) Rare CEW words (1 week) Possessive Apostrophes 1 (2 weeks) Possessive Apostrophes 2 (2 weeks) Write from memory simple sentences, dictated by the teacher, that include





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	Use further prefixes an	d suffixes and	Write from memory simple sentences,		words and punctuation taught so far.	
	understand how to add	understand how to add them (English dictate		acher, that include	Use further prefixes and suffixes and	
	Appendix	1)	words and punctuation taught so far.		understand how to add them (English	
			Use further prefixes and suffixes and		Appendix 1)	
			understand how to	add them (English		
			Apper	ndix 1)		
Maths	Place Value (4 weeks)		Multiplication and division B (3 weeks)		Decimals B (2 weeks)	
	Addition and Subtraction (3 weeks)		Length and perimeter (3 weeks)		Money (2 weeks)	
	Measurement of Ar		Fractions (4 weeks)		Time (2 weeks)	
	Multiplication and divis	,	Decimals A	•	Consolidation (1 week)	
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	Conconductori	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·			Statistics (1 week) Position and Direction (2 weeks)	
RE	Unit 4.1- Which Values Are	Unit 4.2-	Unit 4.3- Jesus: Why	Unit 4.4 Easter: A	Unit 4.5 The Church:	Unit 4.6- Prayer:
IVE.	Considered To Be	Christmas	do Christians	story of betrayal or	Are all churches the	What is prayer?
	Important by People of	Why is light an	believe Jesus is the	trust?	same?	what is prager:
	Faith?	important symbol	Son of God?	แนระ:	sume:	
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	Christianity- David and	Christianity-	Judaism- Why do	Islam- What do	Hinduism- Are all	Hinduism- How do
	the Psalms	Christingle	Jewish people	world faiths say	places of worship the	people of world
	Sikhism- Guru Nanak and	Hinduism- Diwali	believe that the	about forgiveness?	same? Do people	faiths prayer?
	the Silver Needle	Judaism-	Sabbath/Shabbat is		worship God in the	
	Islam- The Prophet	Hannukah	so important?		same way?	
	Muhammad and the Ants					
Christian	Friendship	Love	Generosity	Courage	Perseverance	Truthfulness
Value			3			
Science	Electricity	The Digestive	Sound	Habitat	States of Matter	
		System				
Computing			Further Coding with	On-Line Safety	Investigating Weather	
			Scratch	<i>-</i>		

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History	Britain's settlement by Anglo-Saxons and Scots		Viking and Anglo-Saxon struggle for the Kingdom of England to the time of Edward the Confessor.		Egyptians	
Geography	Rivers		Latitude and Longitude		Map Skills	
Art	Drawing- Giorgio Morandi	Painting- Georgia O'Keeffe	Painting and Textiles- Gilbert Ahiagble	Sculpture and Collage- Alberto Giacometti	Painting- Helen Frankenthaler	Creative Response to Drawing and Textiles
DT	Electrical Systems- How useful are switches?		Food and Nutrition- What's really in your food?		Mechanisms- How many ways are there to open a door?	
PE	Dodgeball Gymnastics	Dance Football	Mindfulness Fitness	Swimming	Swimming	
Music	Wider Ops- African Drums		Wider Ops- Xylophones		Wider Ops- Samba Drums	
PSHE	Me and My Relationships	Valuing Differences	Keeping Safe	Rights and Respect	Being my Best	Growing and Changing
MFL	I am Learning Spanish	I Know How	Fruits	Vegetables	Presenting Myself	My Family