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	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
English	Griffin Gate - Setting Description, Newspaper Report; Roman Poetry	Roman Diary - The Journal of Iliona - Journey Tale and Recount; Poetry Week - nature poem - Benjamin Zephaniah	Great Women in History - Rags to Riches, Biography	The Invisible - Wishing Tale; Haiku	Beowulf - Defeating the Monster; Instructions	The Girl Who Stole an Elephant - balanced argument and character flaw
Maths	NPV, Addition and Subtraction, Properties of Shape	Multiplication and Division, Fractions and Measurement	NPV, Addition and Subtraction, Position and Direction	Measurement, Fractions and Statistics	NPV, Measurement, AS, MD, Properties of Shape	Statistics, Position and Direction, Fractions, Problem Solving
Science	Electricity	Properties of Materials: State of Matter	Sound	Animals including Humans, Teeth and Digestion	Animals including Humans, Teeth and Digestion	Living Things and their Habitat
Geography	Rivers			Conservation of Bees		Llandudno
History		The Romans	The Romans		The Mayans	
Art	Drawing: Power Prints		Paint and Mixed Media: Light and Dark		Sculpture and 3D: Mega Materials	
DT		Electrical Systems: Torches		Structures: Designing Pavilions		Mechanisms: Slingshot Cars
Music	Ukulele	Ukulele	Sounds (Exploring sounds); In the Past (notation)	Environment (composition); Around the World (pitch)	Ancient World (structure), Communication (composition)	Buildings (beat), Poetry (performance)
Spanish	School Super Learners	My local area, your local area	My Family Tree and Faces	Celebrating Carnival	Feeling Unwell	Tthe Weather
Computing	We are software developers	We are Makers	We are meteorologists		We are bloggers	
PE	Swimming; Football	Swimming, Handball	Swimming, Tennis	Swimming, Golf	Swimming, Cricket	Swimming, Athletics
Religion & Beliefs	Why is Jesus inspiring to some people? How do people from (non)religious communities celebrate festivals?		Why do some people think that life is a journey?	What does it mean to be Hindu in Britain today?	What can we learn about deciding what is right or wrong? How do family life and festivals show what matters to Jewish people?	
Relationships, Health & Wellbeing	Being me in my world	Celebrating Differences	Dreams and Goals	Healthy Me	Relationships	Changing me

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Learning Events	Science Week	Equality Week, Poetry Week	Safer Internet Day	World Book Day	Arts Week	MFL Day Sports & Wellbeing Week
Trips / Visitors		Chester - Romans	Digestive System - MOSI	River - Macclesfield Forest; Investigate https://thebeecentre.org/schools/ and see if there's a similar one in Manchester.		Llandudno