

YEAR 4 CURRICULUM ON A PAGE

	Autumn Term Life before the Chocolate Factory	Spring Term Rampaging Ramans	Summer Term Invaders and Settlers
Immersive Experience	Maya School Trip and Talk- Cadbury World Parent Afternoon- creating a Maya death mask/ show casing the information they have learned.	Roman workshop in school	Viking Day Trip to Jorvik Viking Centre
Cultural Capital/ Enrichment	Pantomime visit to CAST theatre Visit from a dentist	Science Week Aspiration Week	School Picnic Proud to be Doncaster week Sports Day RSE Day
Core Texts	ROALD DAHL CHARLIE in CHOCOLIF Committee this control of the contr	michael morpurgo water water Prince Kaspar Prince of Calls Market Forman	CRESSIDA COWELL HOW TO TRAIN YOUR DRAGON
Writing Outcomes	Character description of Willy Wonka Setting description of Charlie's house Non-Chronological report based on the Oompa Loompas Analyse poetry Write a poem based on Christmas	Diary entry based on a character from Kaspar Prince of Cats. Narrative based on Kaspar Prince of Cats Newspaper report based on the Titanic	Setting description based on How to Train your Dragon. Instructions on how to train a dragon Persuasive letter to a character from HTTYD
Writing Skills	Capital letters and full stops Adjectives and adverbs Similes Show not tell	Apostrophes Headlines Direct and indirect speech Adjectives and adverbs	Apostrophes Headlines Direct and indirect speech Adjectives and adverbs

	2A sentences Fronted adverbials Expanded noun phrases Conjunctions First person Past tense Rhyme/rhythm Sub headings Spellings of homophones		Franted adverbials Show not tell Conjunctions Time connectives First person/Third per Correct tenses Punctuation (inverted Fronted adverbials Past tense Expanded noun phra Organising paragraph Editing grammatical	.commas) ses hs around a theme	Fronted adverbials Show not tell Conjunctions First person/Third person Correct tenses Punctuation (inverted commas) Fronted adverbials Expanded noun phrases Organising paragraphs around a theme Editing grammatical errors		
Maths	Reasoning with 4-digit numbers Addition and Subtraction	Multiplication and Division Discrete and continuous data	Securing multiplication facts Fractions Time	Decimals Area and Perimeter	Salving measure and maney prablems Shape and symmetry	Position and direction Reasoning with patterns and sequences 3-D shape	
<u>Science</u>	Living Things and their Habitats Identify and sort plants and animals using diagrams and classification keys. How can environments change? How do humans have a positive and negative effect on the environment?	Animals including Humans Identify and explain the different body parts included in the digestive system. Identify and label the different teeth types.	is. Identify what a particle is. What happens to the particles in water when it is heated or cooled? What is the water cycle?		Sound What is a sound? How is a sound made? How does sound travel? How do we hear sounds? How do sounds change? How do we measure sound?	Electricity Draw and label electrical circuits. Conduct experiments and record results in a table. Where does electricity come from? How does a circuit work? What are electrical conductors and insulators?	

History	The Maya	The Romans	Anglo-Saxons and Vikings
	What religion did the Maya follow? Where was their place of worship? What rituals did the Maya believe in? What did the Maya calendar consist of? What was the social structure of the Maya? What was daily life like for the Maya? What did the Maya invent? What leisure activities did the Maya have? What traditions did the Maya believe in?	What religious beliefs did the Romans have? When and why did the Romans come to Britain? What was a Roman Legion? Who was Boudicca? What did the Romans bring to Britain? How was Rome socially structured? How and why did the Romans construct Hadrian's Wall? What was daily life like in Ancient Rome? Why did the Romans leave Britain?	Why did the Vikings leave Scandinavia? What talents did the Vikings have? Where did the Vikings raid and invade? Who is King Alfred? What was daily life like in Anglo Saxon and Viking Britain? How was Anglo Saxon and Viking Britain socially structured? When and how did the conflict between the Anglo Saxons and Vikings end? When did the Viking and Anglo Saxon rule end? When was the Battle of Hastings?
Geography	Mesoamerica (Human and Physical Geography) Physical Geography Where did the Maya live? What are the capital cities of Central America? Compare the physical geography of Central America and the UK. Locate equator and the tropics on an atlas and understand the role that they play in sustaining the rainforests. Human Geography How has the way of life of the Maya changed and adapted to new technologies? How and why did the Maya civilisation 'die out'?	Italy and its Valcanoes (Lacational knowledge/Human and Physical Geography) Lacational Geography Locate various countries and describe their features on a map and atlas Identify countries within Europe. Physical Geography What are the differences and similarities between places in Italy? Understanding that the Earth is made up of tectonic plates. How are volcanoes formed? What causes an earthquake? How are volcanoes classified? What are some of the world's famous volcanoes? Human Geography How do people have a different way of life in different locations?	Rivers (Human and Physical Geography) Physical Geography Where do rivers run? What is the nature of a river and how does it change journey? What are the stages of a river's journey? What are the stages of the water cycle? What happens to a river as it reaches the coast? What are the names of 10 major rivers? Human Geography Why do people live near a river? What are the different stages of a flood?

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		Why would someone choose to live	
		near a volcano?	
Art	Drawing, shading and use of sketch books	Masaic	Sculpture
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	To create sketch books to record their	Conduct an enquiry, researching the	Improve their mastery of art and design
	observations and use them to review and	time period the Romans made	techniques, including sculpture with a
	revisit ideas	mosaics.	range of materials including clay.
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	To use different shading techniques to create	Look at what influenced the design	Apply tools and techniques to sculpt clay.
	tone, pattern, and texture.	for Roman mosaics.	Add colour, pattern and other materials to
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	Illustrator Quentin Blake and his illustration	Look at the materials used to make	Be creative and explore their ideas and
	in Charlie and the Chocolate Factory.	traditional mosaic.	designs through clear analysis and
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	Confectionary artists such as Andrew Joyce,	Design, produce, analyse and evaluate	Evaluation to
	Andy Warhol and Joel Penkham.	Roman mosaic	Express their thoughts, feelings and
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DT	Mechanisms	Gears, levers and pulleys	Cooking and Nutrition
<u> </u>	Research and understand how and why	dems, severs mu punegs	Consuly Mar Manager
	the Maya used weaving looms.	Research and understand how and	Understand and apply the principles of a
	The Maga asset weaving wants.	why the Ramans used pulleys.	healthy and varied diet.
	Examine and explore a range of textiles	wity the Kanadas asset puttegs.	Theathrig with warned there.
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	and review their suitability.	Research and develop a design	Research the modern day bread making
	D:	criteria for the pulley system.	process and why bread was such a vital
	Discuss and develop an idea to match		part of Viking diet.
	with a design criteria by creating a	Generate, develop and annotate	Dec Leave of the Leave of the
	labelled diagram.	sketches and diagrams.	Based on a specific design criteria,
			complete a sketch with annotations of
	Create a weaving loom using appropriate	Create a pulley system using a wide	bread.
	materials and components.	range of materials and components.	
			Bake product using appropriate ingredients
	Learn how to weave using a simple loom	Evaluate and analyse the final	and cooking techniques.
		product.	
	Evaluate and analyse the final product.		Evaluate and analyse the final product.

<u>ICT</u>	Programming and coding			IT Skills	
Music	The Maya (Listening, Composing and Performing)	The Romans (Liste and Perf	J	The Vikings (Listening, Composing and Performing)	
	Explore Maya music and instruments. Experiment with song lyrics by changing a current song to be relevant to the Maya Civilisation.	place of a sound as a beat for effect. Periment with song lyrics by changing a Listen to music, noting the 'sound of silence'			
		Compose a piece of mu used to depict the Rom battle. Experiment with repeat a piece of music. Improvise what the ne	ans going into ed patterns to create	Sing from memory a Viking Saga song.	
<u>PE</u>		These are an the			
RE	Tau	ught through whole s	school drop down s	lays	
PSHE	Autumn- Personal (Families and friendships) What are positive friendships? (Including online) How do we respect differences and similarities discussing them sensitively?		3	Summer- Health How do I maintain a balanced life style? What is oral hygiene and dental care? What are physical and emotional changes in puberty? Can I name external genitalia? Who can support me with puberty?	

Life Skills	Independence	Safety	Responsibility	Citizenship	Budgeting	Cooking &
3	Visit Doncaster town	Discuss how do we	Plant seeds in	Communicate with	Research future	nutrition
	centre. What does the	cross a road safely -	school grounds.	someone in	aspirations	Explain and research
	new town have to	green cross code.	Maintain the	another school.		the ethics around
	offer? Create art		planted area		Research the	food
	work from where	Create posters to		Vote in a school	qualifications needed	
	they visited/what	prompt safety around	Buddy up with	election. Work with	for their career	Learn about the
	they saw.	roads	year I and listen	the school council		importance of food
			to partner read.	to decide on what	Discuss different	hygiene when
	Perform in front of	Cross the road		to vote on.	careers and	preparing food.
	the class (Maya	outside school safely,			industries	
	Christmas song).	describing how they		Discuss what is		Plan, prepare and
	Plan performance,	are doing it.		good and bad in	Research the pay	cook a savoury
	complete and			the local area.	related to the career	snack
	evaluate.	Understand railway			they have chosen	
		safety and be able to				Clean and tidy
		identify various safety			Discuss whether they	away equipment
		symbols.			think this is enough	
					money	

AUTUMN – Life before the Chocolate Factory

Places covered in this topic	Significant individuals covered in this	Significant events covered in this
	topic	topic
Central America (Mesoamerica)- Guatemala, Belize, Honduras, Mexico, El Salvador	David Attenborough Dr. Diane	Invention of; Maya calendar and use of cocoa beans.

<u>Week</u>	<u>English</u>	<u>Science</u>	<u>History</u>	Geography	Art/DT	<u>MFL</u>	Computing	<u>Music</u>	<u>PSHE</u>	
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1				Settling in and to Knowledge Or					
2	Charlie and the Chocolate Factory- Setting Description	Identify the characteristics of a living thing (Mrs NERG)	Ancient Maya-where and when the remains were discovered.		Sketching cold task		Decomposition		Positive relationships
3	Charlie and the Chocolate Factory- Setting Description	Observe and record living things in their environment (observe/set up tests)	Ordering events chronologically	Ancient Maya- Where did the Maya live? Locate on a map	Tone				
4	Charlie and the Chocolate Factory- Setting Description	Observe and record living things in their environment (communicating results)		Compare the physical geography of Mesoamerica and the U.K.	Shading	Numbers to 20	Coding		Positive relationships
5	Charlie and the Chocolate Factory- Character Description	Classifying living things	Mayan society		Pattern			Explore Mayan music	
6	Charlie and the Chocolate Factory- Character Description	Using a branching database (living things)		Locating the equator and tropics	Texture		Coding		Respecting differences and similarities
7	Charlie and the Chocolate Factory- Character Description	Using a branching database (plants) Humanities impact on living things and their habitat.	Mayan creation story		Researching artists	Alphabet		Explore Mayan instruments	
				Autumn 2					
1	Charlie and the Chocolate Factory- Non-chronological report	Different types of teeth in humans	Everyday life		Research		Programming		
2	Charlie and the Chocolate Factory- Non-chronological report	Q+A with dentist.		Locating tropical rainforests around the world.	Design			Composition	
3	Charlie and the Chocolate Factory- Non-chronological report	Identify and describe the function of the different parts of the digestive system.	Modern Maya		Make		Inputs		Respecting differences and similarities

4	Christmas Poetry	Identify and classify carnivores, omnivores and herbivores.		Use			Composition	
5	Christmas Poetry	Record and compare the diets of different animals.	Maya number system	Evaluate	Letter writing (Cher pere Noel)	Outputs		
6	Christmas Poetry	Model the process of the digestive system.	Summary of learning (presenting)				Performance	
7	NFER Test Week	Food Chains	Summary of learning (writing)					Respecting differences and similarities
8							Analysis	

SPRING – TOPIC NAME

Places covered in this Unit	Significant Individuals covered in	Significant Events covered in this
	this unit	unit
Italy, San Francisco, Haiti	Julius Caesar Boudicca	Rise and fall of the Roman Empire.

<u>Week</u>	<u>English</u>	<u>Science</u>	<u>History</u>	Geography	Art/DT	MFL	Computing	<u>Music</u>	<u>PSHE</u>
				Spring 1					

I	Kaspar Prince of Cats – Diary Entry	Properties of the States of Matter		Locating Italy and its cities on a map.	Research Roman mosaics	Animals	Search engines		
2	Kaspar Prince of Cats - Diary Entry	Heating and cooling	How Rome grew into an empire		Design Roman mosaics			Silence in music	
3	Kaspar Prince of Cats – Diary Entry	Water Cycle		Investigate the physical geography of Italy	Design Raman mosaics		Search engines		Positive friendships
4	Kaspar Prince of Cats – Narrative	Water Cycle experiment	Social structure of Ancient Rome		Make Roman mosaics	Colours		Classical music analysis	
5	Kaspar Prince of Cats – Narrative	Water Cycle experiment		Identify and compare the physical geography of Italy and the U.K.	Make Roman mosaics		Making searches age appropriate		Personal growth
6	Kaspar Prince of Cats – Narrative	Presenting .data	Daily life in Ancient Rome		Evaluate Roman mosaics			Composing	
				Spring	2				
ı	Kaspar Prince of Cats – Newspaper Report			Tectonic plates	Research a pulley		Charts and Data		Belanging
2	Kaspar Prince of Cats – Newspaper Report		Boudicca's rebellion	Structure of a volcano	Product analysis			Composing	

3	Kaspar Prince of Cats – Newspaper Report		Classify/Locate volcanoes	Product design	Food	Charts and Data		
4	NFER	Towns in Roman Britain	Living near a volcano	Construction of pulley			Performing	
5	Topical writing	Roman Final Piece (Poster)	Earthquake causes/measure ments	Evaluation of pulley		Charts and Data		

SUMMER – TOPIC NAME

Places covered in this Unit	Significant Individuals covered in this unit	Significant Events covered in this unit
Danelaw East Anglia	Alfred the Great	Battle of Hastings

Week	<u>English</u>	<u>Science</u>	<u>History</u>	Geography	Art/DT	MFL	Computing	<u>Music</u>	<u>PSHE</u>
				Summer 1					
1	HTTYD – Setting Description	Soundwaves	Anglo-Saxon invasion		Research clay and sculptures.		Microsoft Word		

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	HTTYD – Setting	Exploring the pitch of wind		Features of a river	Product analysis (dragon			Orchestral Piece	
	Description	pitch of			eyes)			(Ride of the	
2		wind						Valkyries)	
		instruments							
	HTTYD – Setting	Investigating the hearing of humans and other	Anglo-Saxon		Sketch dragon eyes		Microsoft		Healthy Living
	Description	the hearing	settlement				Word		
3		of humans							
		and other							
		animals.							
	HTTYD –		Anala Causa influence		Davies deservation	Hobbies		Campanikian	
	Instructions	Investigating	Anglo-Saxon influence		Design dragon eye	Hoppies		Composition	
4	IIISTIUCTIONS	materials							
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	HTTYD – Instructions	Investigating		Stages of a flood	Make dragon eye		Microsoft		
_	IIISTIUCTIONS	materials					PowerPoint		
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	HTTYD – Instructions	Soundwaves			Make dragon eye			Composition	Dental Health
	instructions								
6									
	HTTYD –		Bodiless burial (using		Evaluate dragon eye.	Seasons	Microsoft		
	Persuasive Letter		historical evidence to				PowerPoint		
7			draw conclusions)				Towerout		
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	HTTYD – Persuasive Letter	Difference between mains	Anglo-Saxon religion	Name and locate 10 main global rivers.	Research modern bread making process.			Singing	Personal Hygiene
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		electricity.							
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	HTTYD -	Electrical safety	Saxon and Viking		Product analysis.	Weather	Microsoft		
	Persuasive Letter		struggle				Publisher		
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3	HTTYD – Persuasive Letter	Simple circuits	King Alfred the Great	Living near rivers.	Design product.			Singing	External genitalia
4	NFER	Conductors	Battle of Hastings		Make product.		Microsoft Publisher		
5	Transition Week	Insulators	Final Piece		Evaluate product.			Singing	Changes during puberty
6	End of year activities								