





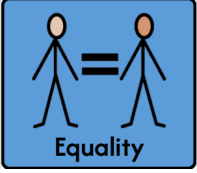















 Thorn Grove Primary School	TGPS Year 4 Curriculum Overview					
	Autumn A	Autumn B	Spring A	Spring B	Summer A	Summer B
TGPS school values  Collaboration		 Responsibility	 Resilience	 Confidence	 Empathy	 Equality
Protected characteristics 	Gender : History - democracy	Religion/Belief:RE - inspirational people Race: Geography/English/Music/Art - tribes people in the Amazon	All: PSHE - online bullying (different contexts)	Gender: History - females not allowed to be soldiers; politicians Religion/Belief:RE - life journeys in a variety of faiths	Gender: Science - Sound visitor (female scientist) Age/Gender: PSHE - chores at home	Religion/Belief:RE - Hindus in Britain today Gender: SRE - appropriate touch
Trips and visits 	Ancient Greece	Rainforests	Food	Romans Chester - Dewa Experience	Romans	Hindu Temple Visit
English 	King Midas LB adapted version): First person letters to Dionysus; colour poem; wish narrative	What the Macaw Saw: Persuasive Posters against deforestation The Tree of Wonder: Amazon animal fact-file	Food Fight: adventure picture book, with dialogue Amy Gets Eaten: explanation of the digestive system	The Ways of the Wolf: balanced argument - Are wolves good or bad?	Escape from Pompeii: setting descriptions	The Firework Maker's Daughter: first person diary entries (various character perspectives)
Maths 	Place Value, Addition & Subtraction	Area and Multiplication & Division	Multiplication & Division	Fractions and Decimals	Decimals, Money and Time	Shape, Statistics and Position & Direction
Science 	States of Matter: Solids, liquids and gases The Water Cycle Evaporation Condensation	Living Things: Classification Habitats Environmental changes and dangers	Animals including Humans: Digestive system Teeth Food chains		Sound: Vibrations Pitch Volume	Electricity: Basic circuits Switches Common conductors and insulators
History 	Ancient Greece			The Roman Empire and its impact on Britain	The Roman Empire and its impact on Britain	
Geography 		Why are rainforests important to us?	Where does our food come from?			Why do people live near volcanoes?
Art 		Painting and Mixed Media Create a textured collage - link to rainforest work		Drawing Drawing/ painting of still-life objects (light and dark, proportion) - link to Roman art/architecture	Craft and Design To create a piece of jewellery	Sculpture 3D To carve/ sculpt using mixed materials (3D)linked to volcanoes
Design and technology 		Sewing - Christmas Stockings - blocked at end of term	Sandwich making			Electrical Systems - Torches
PSHE 	Jealousy (FAE)	Healthy Living (KSH) Breaking down barriers	Online bullying (CS)	Cycle safety (KSS) First Aid	Coming home on time Chores on home	Appropriate touch(GAC)
RE 		Why is Jesus inspiring to some people?		Why do some people think that life is like a journey and what significant experiences		What does it mean to be a Hindu in Britain today?
Computing 	Teach Computing: Computer systems and networks	Teach Computing: Data and information	Digital citizenship and wellbeing	Teach Computing: Creating media	VEX Robotics	Teach Computing: Programming
PE 	Dance FMS Multi skills	Gymnastics (coach) Tag Rugby	SWIMMING (coach)	SWIMMING (coach) Dance	SWIMMING (coach)	SWIMMING (coach) Athletics
Music 	Changes in pitch tempo and dynamics (I)	Rainforests - Body and tuned percussion (C) link to Evelyn Glennie	Haiku music and performance (C)	Easter performance (V)	Adapting and transposing motifs (Theme: Romans)- (C)	Rock and roll (C)
French 	All around town	On the Move	Going Shopping	Where in the world?	What's the time?	Holidays and hobbies