

OVERVIEW FOR THE YEAR

YEAR GROUP: 4

	AUTUMN 1	AUTUMN 2	SPRING 1	SPRING 2	SUMMER 1	SUMMER 2
Global Citizenship (making a difference)	PSHE – me and my relationships.	PSHE – Valuing Difference. Water cycle – water pollution. Remembrance Day, Diwali, Bonfire Night. Children in Need.	PSHE - Keeping Safe.	PSHE – Rights and Respect. Comic Relief.	PSHE – Being My Best. Caring for a Bearded Dragon (and other animals) and their habitats.	PSHE – Growing and Changing. Deforestation, pollution, looking after the environment, endangered animals – links with science topic.
ENGLISH Genre	The Place Value of Punctuation and Grammar. Biography on Thomas Edison. Information text about Electricity.	The Ice Palace – narrative. Information text about The Water Cycle.	Anglo-Saxon Boy – letter and newspaper report.	Beowulf – diary. Playscript. Sound Poems.	How to train your dragon – instructions. Non-chronological report on Komodo Dragons and Bearded Dragons.	Journey (picture book)- Narrative Information leaflet on Ashworth Valley.
MATHS	Number: Place Value. Number: Addition and Subtraction.	Measurement: Area. Number: Multiplication and Division.	Number: Multiplication and Division. Measurement: Length and Perimeter. Number: Fractions.	Number: Fractions. Number: Decimals.	Number: Decimals. Measurement: Money. Measurement: Time.	Geometry: Properties of Shape. Statistics. Geometry: Position and Direction.
SCIENCE	Electricity.	States of Matter and The Water Cycle.	Animals Including Humans.	Sound.	Living Things and their Habitats.	Living things and their habitats.
HISTORY	Early Settlers.		Anglo-Saxons and Scots.	Anglo-Saxons and Vikings.		

GEOGRAPHY	Early Settlers.	The Water Cycle			Mapping Skills & Orienteering.	All Around The World.
ART + DESIGN	Self-portraits. Kapow: Drawing Power Prints.	Firework Pictures. Ice Palace drawing. Christmas Cards.		Mother's Day cards. Easter cards. Viking Longboat sketch.	Sketch invertebrates. Sketch dragons.	Journey art – hot air balloons, flying carpets, birds. Recreate 'Starry Night' by Vincent Van Gogh using water colours. Sketch and recreate Vincent Van Gogh's Sunflower piece.

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DESIGN + TECHNOLOGY	Kapow: Electrical Systems: Torches. Create a 3D settlement using a range of materials.	Create own Christmas trees / winter decorations. Create a 3D model of an ice palace.	Create Anglo-Saxon shields. Create Anglo-Saxon brooches/ necklaces.	Kapow: Food: Adapting a recipe. Create a musical instrument.	3D Dragon using pipe cleaners. Clay dragon. Create moving Dragons using levers and linkages.	Recreate Vincent Van Gogh's Sunflower piece using collage.
RE (include faith visits)	What is the 'Trinity' and why is it important to Christians?	What do Hindus believe God is like?	What does it mean to be Hindu in Britain today?	Why do Christians call the day Jesus died 'Good Friday'?	For Christians, when Jesus left, what was the impact of Pentecost?	How and why do people mark the significant events of life?

SMSC + BRITISH VALUES	Me and my relationships.	Valuing Difference.	Keeping Safe.	Rights and Respect.	Being my best.	Growing and changing.
PE	Basketball. Netball.	Football. Gymnastics.	Invasion Games. Dance.	Dodgeball. Tag Rugby.	Athletics. Badminton.	Forest School. Cricket.

			Swimming.		Orienteering.	Rounders.
COMPUTING	The Internet.	Audio editing.	Photo editing.	Data logging.	Repetition in shapes.	Repetition in games.
MFL	Playtime.	My home.	My town.	Describing people.	The body.	Sport.
MUSIC	Mamma Mia.	Glockenspiel Stage 2.	Stop!	Lean on me.	Blackbird.	Reflect, Rewind and Replay.
TRIPS/VISITS/EXPERIENCES	Heaton Park – building a settlement and mapping skills.	Pantomime.	Swimming.	Anglo-Saxon Day.	Visit from a Bearded Dragon.	Ashworth Valley Residential.