



What are we learning? - Autumn Term (2) 2017/18

Year Group	Topic	Hook	What are we reading?	Science	Humanities	Computing	The Arts	Spiritual, moral, social, cultural education and PSHCE	PE	French	Visits and Visitors	End Product	
Key Stage 1	1	Fly around the World	Use Sparklers safely	Handa's Surprise Percy the Park Keeper Katy Morag Emelia's fantastic flight Rama and Sita	Plants Seasonal change	The first flight (Wright Brothers) Guy Fawkes Hot and Cold areas of the world	Painting Espresso programming Instructions	Diva Lamp Christmas Activities Firework pictures Christmas Production	Should we celebrate Christmas and Harvest? Fire Safety Festival of Diwali	Dance - weather and seasons		St Leonard's Church Mosque Waterstones visit	Diva Lamp
	2	Blast from the past	Indoor firework display Sparklers	Guy Fawkes The Fire of London (Information Books)	Living things and their habitats	Locate major features of UK Guy Fawkes and Fire of London	Internet safety Christmas wish lists/cards On-line stories	Pointism Christmas decorations Christmas Production	Religious symbols Getting on and falling out	Gymnastics Balls and racket skills		Forest School Day Fire Safety Reverend Sue visit	Crime Scene News Reports
Key Stage 2	3	What a disaster!	<i>A Day in Pompeii</i> animation + disaster in classroom.-	<i>Pompeii...Buried Alive.</i> Various Non-fiction with Topic focus.	Rocks and soils	Investigating natural disasters	Exploring on- line sources to answer questions. Use ICT to record sounds	Creating volcanoes African drumming	The significance of light as a symbol of belief Managing own behaviour	Gymnastics/ swimming OAA	All about me		Erupting volcanoes Persuasive leaflet - prepare an emergency kit
	4	Vicious Vikings	Images of long boats and Vikings	Norse myths Traditional Tales The Snow Queen Coming Home	States of matter	Viking invasions	Animations - Stop Motion	VIP music/creative music making Viking Bread	Should Christians worship Mary? When is a problem serious?	Tri Golf and swimming	Classroom Objects Christmas in France - greetings and celebrations	Big Bang Fair (Science)	Viking bread Viking Myth Stop Motion Animation
	5	Deep in the Rainforest	Arboretum Visit (end of last term)	The Great Snake: Stories from the Amazon	Human and animal lifecycles	Investigating the rainforest	Databases	Rainforest art	Does God communicate with man? Heathy living	Football and dance	A l'cole - At School		Creating a new rain forest myth
	6	Ancient Maya	Mayan Poo investigation	The Hero Twins Myth Pok-a-tok instructions	Classification	Investigating life in Ancient Maya	Design, write and debug a programme (Scratch) Christmas card animation	Mayan Masks/ Pottery Creative music making	Key events of Christmas story Aspects of healthy living - sleep, exercise and hygiene	Gymnastics and hockey	Parts of school Christmas	IMPS - Horton Hospital Stackpole residential	Maya Masks