

## Year 3/4 Curriculum PLAN A

### Autumn Term

1	6 pieces of work	1 model
Focus and skills	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>History - Vikings</u> <b><u>Were the Vikings villains or villagers?</u></b></p> <p>Who were the Vikings? Where did they come from? Why did they invade? What influences did the Vikings have on Britain?</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>DT - Model</u> <b><u>How do you make a model Viking Longship?</u></b></p> <p>What is the mast made from? What are the oars made of? What does a Viking longship look like? How do I join things together?</p>
Texts	<p>How to Train Your Dragon - Cressida Cowell Riddle of the Runes - Janina Ramirez</p>	
PRSE	<p>What is my role?</p>	
ICT	<p>How do I write a computer programme?</p>	
PE	<p>How can varied and controlled footwork improve games playing?</p>	
MFL	<p>Who am I?</p>	
Music	<p>What does ostinato mean?</p>	
Trips/ Enrichment		

2			2 pieces of work
Focus and skills	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Geography - Atlas</u></p> <p><b><u>How do I use an atlas to describe our country?</u></b></p> <p>What are the eight compass points?          What are grid references?          What are the different ways to describe our country?          What is a county and how do I locate it on a map of the UK?          What is a city and how do I locate it on a map of the UK using grid references?          What are the main physical and human features of the UK?          How are the main human and physical features of Wales different to the ones in England?</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Science - Sound</u></p> <p><b><u>How does sound travel?</u></b></p> <p>How are sounds made?          How do sounds get to my ear?          What is pitch and how is it changed?          How does volume change?          What happens to sound when you get further away from it?</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>RE - Christianity</u></p> <p><b><u>What is the most important part of the Christmas story?</u></b></p> <p>What are the symbols of Christmas?          What does Christmas mean to Christians?</p>
Texts	<p>Silas and the Marvellous Misfits - Tom Percival          The Puffin Keeper - Michael Morpurgo</p>		
PRSE	How do I manage my feelings and thoughts?		
ICT	Is cyberbullying the same as bullying?		
PE	Balance - Jumping and landing: What sports/activities require the ability to be able to jump and land in balance?		
MFL	Who am I?		
Music	How is music written?		
Trips/ Enrichment			

Spring Term

1	5 pieces of work		1 piece of work
Focus and Skills	<p><u>Geography - Rivers and Fieldwork</u>  <u>Why are rivers important?</u></p> <p>How do I use the eight points of a compass?          Where are the major rivers in the UK?          How do I locate the rivers of the UK using grid references?          Where are the major rivers in the world?          What are the main features of a river?          How can field work help me observe, measure and record the features of a river?          Why do civilisations develop around rivers?</p>	<p><u>Science- The Water Cycle and States of matter</u>  <u>What is a state of matter?</u></p> <p>What is a solid, liquid and a gas?          How do I measure temperature?          What happens to water when it is heated and cooled?          What is the water cycle?</p>	<p><u>Art - Maud Purdy</u>  <u>What is a botanical drawing?</u></p> <p>How is shape used in drawings?          How is shading used to create tone?          How can texture be added to drawings?</p>
Texts	<p>Rhythm of the Rain - Graham Baker Smith          Song of the Dolphin boy - Elizabeth Laird          The River Singers - Tom Moorhouse</p>		
PRSE	<p>What are Human Rights?</p>		
ICT	<p>What is cell location in a spreadsheet?</p>		
PE	<p>What is dynamic balance?</p>		
MFL	<p>What's in your family's year?</p>		
Music	<p>What is a pentatonic scale?</p>		
Trips/ Enrichment			

2	7 pieces of work	1 piece of work	2 pieces of work
Focus and Skills	<p><u>Science - Electricity</u> <u>What is an electrical circuit?</u></p> <p>What needs electricity to work? What components make up an electrical circuit? When does an electrical circuit work and not work? How does a switch work? What are common insulators and conductors of electricity? Why is metal a good conductor?</p>	<p><u>DT - Electronics</u> <u>How do I make a greetings card light up?</u></p> <p>How do electrical circuits work in greetings cards? Where can I add a light bulb into a greetings card? How can I create an electrical circuit inside a greetings card?</p>	<p><u>RE - Hinduism</u> <u>What makes Hinduism unique from other religions?</u></p> <p>Where are Hindu's from? What is a Mandir? Who are the main Hindu gods? What makes Hinduism unique?</p>
Texts	<p>Fortunately, the Milk - Neil Gaiman Leonora Bolt - Secret Inventor - Lucy Brandt</p>		
PRSE	<p>Why is recycling important?</p>		
ICT	<p>Can I type with both hands?</p>		
PE	<p>What do you know about good throwing and catching techniques?</p>		
MFL	<p>What's in your family's year?</p>		
Music	<p>What is folk music?</p>		
Trips/ Enrichment			

Summer Term

1	4 pieces of work	
Focus and skills	<p><u>History - Anglo-Saxons</u>  <u>Why were the Anglo-Saxons important?</u></p> <p>Who were the Anglo-Saxons?          Where did they come from?          Why did they invade?          What influences did the Anglo-Saxons have on Britain?</p>	<p><u>RE - Islam</u>  <u>What rules do Muslims try to live by?</u></p> <p>What are the 5 pillars?          How do the beliefs of the five pillars affect how Muslims live their lives?</p>
Texts	<p>Beowulf - Michael Morpurgo          Winter of the Wolves - Tony Bradman</p>	
PRSE	<p>What is first aid?</p>	
ICT	<p>What is an email? How do I send an electronic letter?</p>	
PE	<p>What does controlled movement look like?</p>	
MFL	<p>What is the alphabet?</p>	
Music	<p>What is a ballad?</p>	
Trips/ Enrichment		

2	4 pieces of work	3 pieces of work	6 pieces of work
Focus and skills	<u>Science - Animals inc. Humans</u> <u>How do humans process food?</u>  What types of teeth do humans have and what are their jobs? What parts make up human digestive system? What is a food chain?	<u>Science - Habitats</u> <u>What classification of animals live where?</u>  How can living things be grouped together? What is a classification key? How can environmental change endanger living things?	<u>Art - Andreas Lie</u> <u>How can the background and foreground be created using mixed media?</u>  What is mixed media? How can photographs be used as the foreground? What are contrasting colours?
Texts	Akimbo - Alexander McCall Smith The Secret of the Wild - Alex Evelyn		
PRSE	Why do bodies change?		
ICT	What is a branching database?[]		
PE	How can I accelerate and control when chasing and collecting a ball?		
MFL	What pets do we have?		
Music	How do you create a soundscape in music?		
Trips/ Enrichment			