

Year 4 Topic Overview 2017-2018

	Autumn	Spring	Summer
Art	Exploring colour in paint (Abstract Art)	Drawing emotion	Masks
Drama	Drama techniques Harvest rehearsal Play preparations	Play preparations media	Greek theatre improvisation
English	<u>Grammar and punctuation:</u> (Schofield and Sims Grammar 4) Extending sentences Subordinate clauses Word classes Determiners Noun phrases 1 Noun phrases 2 Punctuating direct speech 1 Punctuating direct speech 2 Pronouns within sentences Pronouns across sentences Revision 1 Personal recount Story structure Play script Acrostic poetry New reports	<u>Grammar and punctuation:</u> (Schofield and Sims Grammar 4) Adverbials Fronted adverbials Commas after fronted adverbials Fronting subordinate clauses Singular and plural nouns Plural –s or possessive –'s? Apostrophes for plural possession 1 Apostrophes for plural possession 2 Standard English Verb: perfect form Revision 2 Spelling and grammar Biography Poetry – onomatopoeia Diary writing Story endings	<u>Grammar and punctuation:</u> (Schofield and Sims Grammar 4) Possessive pronouns Making pronouns clear Co-ordinating and subordinating conjunctions Giving reasons: cause and effect Paragraphs: non-fiction Paragraphs: stories Negative sentences Questions and question tags Adjectives with prefixes and suffixes Word families Revision 3 Persuasive writing Autobiography Explanation texts Extended story writing

<p style="text-align: center;">French</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Classroom instructions Greetings Colours Days, months Numbers to 31 "Berthe la Sorciere" book study Using a bilingual dictionary</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Winter words and weather Classroom equipment Clothes Gender Colour agreements FAIRE Sports Poetry competition</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Parts of the body Going to the doctor Buying ice creams</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Food Tech</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Breakfast around the world Cereal box – Nutritional values and claims Cooking different types of breakfast</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Dairy Milk tasting and evaluating Sensory vocabulary Cheese/Vegan cheese</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Eggs Nutritional value Inside an egg Changes when cooking</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Geography</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">The globe – continents and oceans, Europe, America and Jamaica</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Jamaica continued Settlement</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Settlement continued The environment and natural resources</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">History</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Tudors: Henry VII and Henry VIII</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Tudors: Edward, Mary and Elizabeth</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Tudor Social History</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">ICT</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Developing a game Photo typing an interactive toy</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Producing digital music Editing and writing HTML</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Producing a wiki Presentations</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Maths</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Place Value Ordering Addition Subtraction Multiplication Facts 2D shapes 3D shapes Positioning Multiplication Division</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Sequences Fractions Introduction to decimal Area and Perimeter Metric Measurements Scales, estimation and rounding</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Data Handling Decimals Fractions Revision of Four Operations Multiplication and Division by 10, 100 and 1000 Mental Strategies Money</p>

	Negative numbers Data Handling Lines		
Music	Singing from solfa cards. Singing in canon. Symphony Orchestra, Britten and Young person's guide	Pitch and rhythm dictation. Intervals. Ostinato. Clapping rhythms in canon. Introduce dotted notes	'Hearing ' solfa songs in head. Set simple rhyme to rhythm. Tap pulse, clap rhythm, sing pitches This old man
PE	Netball Swimming Cross country Health related fitness	Netball Swimming Gymnastics	Rounders Swimming Athletics
PSHE/RE	Dot.com – making the best of me Islamic teachings/belief and practices	Dot.com – making the best of me The role of the mosque The Qur'an	Dot.com – making the best of me Celebrations
Science	Circuits and conductors Keeping warm	Solids and liquids Friction	Habitats Digestion

HOMEWORK TIMETABLE

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
History (due Thursday)	Maths	Science	English (due Tuesday) French (due Monday)	Food Technology