Year 4	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4	Term 5	Term 6
Key Topic Question	Is there a mountain high enough or a river wide enough?	How did Greek society impact the world?	What would we find in Africa?	How did the Viking and Normans invasions impact Britain?	Where in the world are we? (Europe)	How did Tudors and Elizabethans change life in Britain?
	Jen Reid (Black History Month) link to Term 2 Text	Writing to Argue: Letters	Writing to Inform: Report	Writing to Inform: Recount	Writing to Explain: Instructions	Writing to Argue: Persuasion
Reading	Varjak Paw S.F Said		Who Let the Gods Out Maz Evans		The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe C. S. Lewis	
Writing	-Sulwe (Lupita Nyong'o) Narrative: Innovation: Write the fable of Night and Day / create the fable of rain and sun Non fiction: Writing to Argue: Persuasion Write a letter to the	A Hero Like Me Angela Joy and Jen Reid Narrative: Alternative version: from Jen's POV Non fiction: Writing to Inform: Report News Bulletin (written)	Teacup (Rebecca Young) Narrative: Retell Retell the story in First Person with emotions Non fiction: Writing to Inform: Recount	Winter's Child Angela Angela McAllister Narrative: Sequel: Spring's Child Non fiction: Writing to Explain: Instructions - How to Survive a Winter Storm	The Day the War Came Nicola Davies Narrative: Expand on the journey Non fiction: Writing to Argue: Persuasion Come and join	The Black Dog Levi Pinfold Narrative: Extra Pages The Hope family's story while Small is out with the dog Non fiction: Writing to Inform: News bulletin

	people of the Earth saying why they should treat Day and Night equally Jen Reid (Black History Month) link to Term 2 Text (geography) Poetry: 2 days reciting	Writing to Argue: Letters <i>(history)</i> Poetry: Modern poem - 1 week	Boy's diary entries at different Writing to Inform: Report (Geography)	Writing to Inform: Recount <i>(History)</i>	Writing to Explain: Instructions (Geography)	Mysterious black dog appears Writing to Argue: Persuasion (History)
Grammar	Year 3 Recap: Demarcate sentences accurately with full stops, capital letters, question marks and exclamation marks. Use a range of adverbs for time e.g. later, soon, next and place e.g. here, there, away, nearby. Use simple past and present	Use inverted commas and other punctuation accurately to indicate direct speech e.g. "Help me," Alex screamed. "This dragon's going to burn me to a crisp!" Develop characters in narrative e.g. describing characters'	Use fronted adverbials for manner e.g. shaking uncontrollably, with fear in her eyes; place e.g. inside the castle, all over its back and time e.g. many years ago, after a while. Use commas to mark fronted adverbials e.g. Later that morning, From	Use a range of subordinating conjunctions to form complex sentences (refer to the grammar progression document) Maintain cohesion across a piece of writing, including through the use of a variety of nouns and pronouns e.g. the dragon, the monster, the	Develop settings in narrative e.g. e.g. describing the time and weather and using the five senses. Use noun phrases expanded by prepositional phrases e.g. the dragon with a fire-breathing mouth; razor-	Show some variety in complex sentence structure, positioning the subordinate clause at the start (e.g. Although it was dangerous, Alex was determined to face the dragon.) and at the end (e.g. Alex was determined to face the dragon, although it was

	tense mostly accurately. Use a range of co-ordinating and subordinating conjunctions.	behaviour, thoughts, reactions to events Accurately manage tense changes where needed e.g. a story written in the past tense with present tense for speech.	deep within the cave, Organise content into relevant paragraphs across the text.	beast, it; Alex, she, the girl. Use headings and subheadings appropriately in non-fiction writing. (nonfiction) Use present tense correctly and consistently throughout writing. (nonfiction)	sharp talons at the end of its arms. Use present (non-fiction) and past tense (fiction) correctly and consistently throughout writing.	dangerous.) of sentences Use the present perfect form of verbs e.g. The villagers have been terrified. The dragon has been defeated. (non-fiction)
Maths	Place Value / Addition and Subtraction/ Measure	Perimeter / Multiplication and Division	Multiplication and Division / Coordinates	Fractions / Decimals	Adding and Subtracting	Shapes / Money / Time / Division with Remainders
Science	Chemistry States of matter	Physics Electricity	Biology Living things and their habitats.	Biology Animals, including humans.	Physics Sound	Biology Animals, including humans
Snap Science	Changes of state	Electricity : Circuits	Human impact on the environment	Digestion and food chains	Sound	Classification of plants and animals
RE	SS L2.8 What does it mean to be a Hindu in Britain today? (Visit to Hindu Temple)?	UC Unit 2A.3 Incarnation/God What is the Trinity?	SS L2.6 Why do some people think that life is like a journey and what significant	UC Unit 2A.5 Salvation (Digging Deeper) Why do Christians call the day Jesus	SS L2.9 What can we learn from religions about deciding what is right and wrong?	UC2A.1 Creation/Falt. What do Christians learn from the creation story?

			<i>experiences</i> <i>mark this?</i> Hindu focus	died 'Good Friday'?	Judaism: 10 Commandments	(linked to Summer 1 question)
Geography	Is there a mountain high enough or a river wide enough?		What would we find in Africa?		Where in the world are we? (Europe)	
History		How did Greek society impact the world? 1200 BC - 146 BC		How did the Viking and Normans invasions impact Britain? Local Study - Founding of Swindon 450 AD - 1066 AD - 1154 AD		How did Tudors and Elizabethans change life in Britain? 1485 AD - 1603 AD
Art and Design Technology	Takashi Murakami	DT focus: Printing cards	African Batik Art	DT Viking Shields	Hannah Hoch / John Stezaker / Jay Kelly	DT: Sewing project Jon Burgerman
Computing	Unit 4.2 Online Safety (4 lessons)	Unity 4.6 Animation (3 lessons) Unit 4.7 Effective searching (3 lessons)	Unit 4.5 Logo (4 Lessons) Unit 4.4 Writing for different Audiences (5 lessons)	Unity 4.1 Coding (6 lessons) Unit 4.3 Spreadsheets (5 Lessons)	Unit 4.9 Making music (4 lessons) Unit 4.10 Artificial intelligence (4 lessons)	Unit 4.8 Hardware investigators (2 lessons)
Music	Charanga - MMC	Charanga - MMC	Charanga - MMC	Charanga - MMC	Charanga - MMC	Charanga - MMC

	Musical Structures	Exploring Feelings When you Play	Compose with your Friends	Feelings Through Music	Expression and Improvisation	The Show Must Go On	
PSHE	See Jigsaw Overview - Directed by Specialist Teacher						
PE	See PE Overview						
MFL	See French Overview - Directed by Specialist Teacher – Madame Philipon						