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| **Year 4 Annual Curriculum Overview 2019-2020** | | | | | | | |
|  | **Autumn 1** | **Autumn 2** | | **Spring 1** | **Spring 2** | **Summer 1** | **Summer 2** |
| **Class Assembly** |  |  | |  | Victorians Assembly |  |  |
| **Class Novel** | The Borrowers by Mary Norton | Stig of the Dump by Clive King (SRS) | | Narnia - The Lion, the witch and the wardrobe by C. S. Lewis (SRS) | The One and Only Ivan by K. A. Applegate  Charlotte’s Web by E. B. White (SRS) | Varjak Paw by S.F. Said  Who’s afraid? by Phillipa Pearce | Butterfly Lion by Michael Morpugo (SRS) |
| **English** | **The Lost Happy Endings by Carol Ann Duffy**  Losing Tale  Character Description  Persuasive letter | **Canal- Pie Corbett**  Warning Tale  Suspense  Newspaper recounts | | **Narnia- The Lion, the witch and the wardrobe by C. S. Lewis**  Portal Story  Setting Description  Information Text | **Dobber and the Silver ring- Pie Corbett**  Folk Tale  Openings and Endings  Explanation Texts | **Varjak Paw by S. F. Said**  Change Story  Writing a narrative  Suspense  Instructions | **The King of the Horses- Pie Corbett**  Wishing Story  Dialogue  Discussion |
| **Mathematics** | Number and Place value  Addition and Subtraction  Consolidation | Addition and Subtraction  Measurement, length and perimeter  Multiplication and Division  Consolidation | | Multiplication and Division  Measurement - Area  Fractions  Consolidation | Fractions  Decimals  Consolidation | Decimals  Geometry - Properties of shape  Geometry - Position and Direction  Consolidation | Statistics  Measurement - Money  Time  Consolidation |
| **Geography** | **Topic:** Can you come on a great American road trip?  **Magic Moment:** Write and perform a song/ rap  Food Tasting (links to N/S American food)  **Trip**: Us four (American diner - Brooklands station)  **Topic Song:**  I’ve been everywhere man!  **Writing:**  News Report | | | **Topic:** How does water go round and round?  **Magic Moment:**  Water cycle models  United Utilities (Science link)  **Topic Song:**  The Water Cycle Song (SingUp) | | **Topic:** Why does the Earth shake, rattle and roll?  **Magic Moment:**  Making Volcanoes  **Text:**  Escape From Pompeii by Christina Balit (SRS)  **Topic Song:**  Popocatapetl  **Maths:**  Bar Charts, Line Graphs | |
| **History** | **Topic:** What happened when the Romans came?  **Magic Moment:** Roman Day, Romans Museum Box  **Topic Song:**  Just like a Roman  **Trip:**  Chester Dewa Roman Experience  **Maths:**  Roman Numerals  **Writing:**  Letter to Boudicca, Diary of a Roman Soldier | | | **Topic:** What was important to our local Victorians?  **Magic Moment:**  Dress up as a Victorian day, Victorian Assembly  **Trip:**  Stretford Public Hall | | **Topic:** Is it better to be a child now than in the past?  **Magic Moment:**  Childhood Museum Box  Visit from a great grandparent  Play childhood games  **Topic Song:** | |
| **Science** | What’s that sound?  **Magic Moment:**  Cup telephones  Garageband  Data loggers | Living Things  **Magic Moment:**  Habitat hunt  Collecting bugs - Making pooters (identifying and classifying)  Kingfisher Education Services  **Writing:**  Information Text | | Teeth and Eating  **Visit:** ASDA/Dentist  Manchester Uni contacts | Looking at states  **Visit:**  United Utilities  **Magic Moment:**  Ice cream experiment  Melting chocolate/ ice  **Maths:**  Measurement | Power it up  **Magic Moment:**  Stretford Grammar visit  Electricity board visit  Circuit Challenge | Brilliant Bubbles |
| **R.E** | Why are festivals important to religious communities?  **Maths:**  Rangoli Patterns Symmetry and Reflection | | | Why is Jesus inspiring to some people? | | What does it mean to be a Hindu living in Britain today?  **Magic Moment:**  Museum Hindu Artifact Box  **Trip:**  Gita Bhavan Hindu Temple | |
| **Computing** | Fake or Real? (DL focus)  My online life (DL Focus) | | | Hour of Code (CS Focus) | Wizard of School | Dinosaurs (IT Focus) | Minecraft Challenges |
| **Spanish** | Regions of Spain  Vocab: Greetings and replies, questions & answers, adjectives (colours), adverbial phrases, present participles, prepositions, conjunctions, some nouns (places) | | | Regions of Spain (continued)  Vocab: Expressing feelings, possessive adjectives, questions and answers to build conversations, nouns (people), conjunctions | | Culture Day  Vocab: Expressing intent, more advanced questions | |
| **P.E** | Football | Gymnastics | | Hockey | Handball | Tag Rugby | Cricket |
| **Art** | The Romans:  Collage and Mosaic Art (Gaudi focus)  Integrated art - Design and make a Roman shield  Sketch an American Landmark | | | The Victorians: Observational Sketching and Print work  Integrated art | | Tie-Dye/Batik and Shape Art:  African Batik Art using Shapes/ Kandinsky  **Maths:**  2D and 3D Shape, Symmetry | |
| **D.T** | Money containers  Integrated DT -  Cooking: American food-Make a Tex-Mex salad. | | | Storybooks  Integrated DT | | Torches  Integrated DT  Structures: Design and make a volcano (Geography) | |
| **P.S.H.E** | Emotional Wellbeing | | Citizenship | Economic Wellbeing | Health and Wellbeing | Relationships | Physical Wellbeing |
| **Music** | Instrumental project - strings/brass/samba | | | Curricular music - singing, playing, appraising, composing  Focus - Electronic music? Water? | | Curricular music - singing, playing, appraising, composing  Focus - Victorian music? / Bubbles? | |