



Year 4 Curriculum Information: Key Themes – Core Subjects

Subject	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
English: Reading	Retrieval Inference Comparing poems DERIC Texts about famous artists. WW1 poems.	True false questions Multiple choice Retrieval Decode word meanings Marking up the text Inference Poetry meanings Retrieval Texts about Kings and Queens Christmas themed reading	Find and copy Inference 3 mark questions Stories Poems Fact files	Inference Decoding words Retrieval 3 mark questions Beowulf Factual texts on Anglo Saxons Famous people Mythology	History of electricity Space texts Space	Complex retrieval questions from longer texts Marking up the text Folk text – Rama and Sita Factual texts about countries around the world
English: Writing	Recounts Setting descriptions Instructions	Letters Play scripts Diaries	Stories Non-chronological reports Newspapers	Beowulf stories Non-chronological reports Poetry	Persuasive adverts Explanation texts Stories in space	Poetry Rama and Sita folk stories Non-chronological reports
English: Spelling and Grammar	Word classes Sentence types Past and present tense KS1 high frequency words ly suffix	Complex sentences Subordinate clauses and main clauses Capital letters and full stops Apostrophes - contractions Prefixes ll, sub, inter, super, anti, auto	Pronouns Prepositions of time and place Past and present tense – change sentences Present perfect tense Suffix ous Homophones	Apostrophes – singular and plural possession Suffixes -tion -cian sion. homophones	Progressive past tense -gue -que -tion, sion, ssion cian sc homophones	Consolidation of grammar skills as needed Adding suffixes beginning with vowel letters to words of more than one syllable.



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Mathematics	Number: Place value Number: Addition and Subtraction	Number: addition and subtraction Measurement: length and perimeter Multiplication: 6, 7 and 9 times tables	Number: Multiplication and Division Measurement: area.	Fractions: Fractions and decimals	Decimals. Measurement: money. Time.	Geometry: Properties of shape. Position and direction.
Science	Human Impact	How can we classify plants and trees?	Where does all that food go?	Good vibrations - sound	Switched on – electricity	In a state - materials