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	Autumn Term		Spring Term		Summer Term	
	Autumn 1	**Autumn 2**	**Spring 1**	**Spring 2**	**Summer 1**	**Summer 2**
Topic	**Th Victorians:** Why did Britain once rule the largest empire the world has ever seen?	**Water and reservoirs:** What is the most valuable thing in the world?	**World War 2:** Why was winning the Battle of Britain in 1940 so important?	**Europe:** Why are mountains important?	**Ancient Greece:** Who Were the Greeks?	**Earthquakes:** Why do some Earthquakes cause more damage than others?
English	Write a **letter** to their teacher Have a **balanced discussion** about the British Empire **Entertain** through an escape narrative	Compose a **free verse** winter **poem** **Persuade** the reader about the greatest ever invention **Retell** a Christmas fairy tale	**Explain** who the evacuees were **Entertain** through a WW2 narrative **Inform** the reader with a newspaper article	**Instruct** a reader how to climb Mount Everest **Persuade** the reader to visit an unlikely destination **Entertain** through a retelling of the Pied Piper	**Entertain** through a Greek myth narrative Write a **personal letter** to Penelope from Odysseus **Discuss** whether life is better in Sparta or Athens	**Explain** the life of a person through a biography **Entertain** through a story inspired by real-life events **Retell** a scene from a Shakespeare play
Maths	Place Value Addition & Subtraction Multiplication & Division Fractions		Decimals & Percentages Measurement Area, Perimeter & Volume Shape		SATS revision (Y6) Statistics Ratio Algebra	
Science	**Living Things and their Habitats:** How are we different from plants?	**Living Things and their Habitats:** What makes us different from a tiny microbe?	**Light:** How are you reading this question right now?		**Animals Including Humans:** What happens as we grow up?	**Forces:** Does “What comes up, must come down” apply to everything?
Computing	**Programming:** Microbit	**Creating Media:** History of computing	**Skills Showcase:** Inventing a product	**Computing systems and networks:** Bletchley Park	**Online Safety**	**Programming:** Music
History	**Empire:**		**World War II:**		**Ancient Greece:** Who Were the Greeks?	

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Art	**Sketching - Drawing** Artist Study – Lowry		**Painting – Colour Work** Shepherd Fairey	**Collage** Artist Study: Megan Coyle	**Printing: Mono-Printing**	**Sculpture: Clay 3D Modelling** Artist Study: Henri Moore
DT	**Engineering**: Architect Study – Thomas Farnolls Prtichard Designer and Engineer Study – Isambard Kingdom Brunel				**Cooking:** Chef – Marcus Wareing	
RE	**Christianity**: What does it mean if God is holy and loving?	**Islam**: What does it mean to be a Muslim in Britain today?	**Christianity:** Was Jesus the Messiah?	**Islam**: Why is the Quraan so important to Muslim people?	**Christianity**: What would Jesus do?	**Humanism**: What matters most to humanists and Christians? / or what matters most to you.
PSHE	Families and Relationships	Health and Well-being	Economic Well-being	Citizenship	Safety and the changing body	Transition RSE
PE	Netball	Gym Skills	Dance Skills	Hockey	Tennis	Athletics

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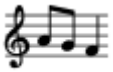
French	Transport	Houses	Celebrations	Verbs	Visiting a French Town	Sport
Music 	South and West Africa	Dynamics, pitch and texture	Songs of World War 2	Looping and Remixing	Baroque	Leavers' Play/Performance
Enrichment	Residential Forest Schools KS2 Carols Relax Kids		Imperial War Museum		KS2 Play Leaver's Festival	