

Thematic Overview

	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4	Term 5	Term 6
Year 3	Knowing Me Knowing You <i>Gorillas - Anthony Brown</i>	Rock Bottom <i>Stone Age Boy</i>	May the Force Be With You <i>Iron Man</i>	Egypt <i>Marcy and the Riddle of the Sphinx</i>	It's a Small World <i>Esio Trot</i>	Healthy Humans <i>Charlotte's Web (Modern Classic)</i>
History	Family Trees, Timelines	Stone Age: Bronze Age : Iron Age	Famous people overcoming forces –electromagnets	Ancient Egypt		History of Sports – how they have evolved
Geography	Around the school; aerial view	Natural resources (minerals)	Make own compasses (magnets)	Modern Egypt	Continents; Europe,; the UK; cities & counties; landmarks; topography	Orienteering – using compass points
Science	Conduct Experiments, graph results	Rocks; Fossils and soil	Friction & Magnetic forces	Light: to see; reflection, sun, shadows	Functions of parts of the plant;	Human Body - nutrition, skeleton and muscles, food, exercise
DT	Levers: build a moving book	Stone age shelters and tools	Build a magnet maze	Build a shaduf	3D map of the UK	Healthy salad
Year 4	Magnificent Mountains and Raging Rivers <i>Kapok Tree & Gregory Cool</i>	Our Planet <i>I survived Mount St Helen's</i>	Light it Up <i>The Miraculous Journey of Edward Tulane (Modern Classic)</i>	Romans <i>Revolt Against the Romans</i>	Greece <i>Who Let the Gods Out?</i>	Beautiful Broadstairs – Locality Study <i>The Boy at the Back of the Class</i>
History	Famous people: Edmund Hilary and Junko Tabei	Destruction of Pompeii	Famous People :Thomas Edison	Ancient Rome	Ancient Greece	Broadstairs History
Geography	Mountains and Rivers	Earthquakes and Volcanoes	Light Pollution	Italy, Rome, Roman Empire	Modern Greece	Fieldwork local areas of interest
Science	States of Matter inc Water Cycle	How volcanoes erupt and how earthquakes happen	Electricity- circuits, conductors and insulators	Sound Properties and changes of materials	Teeth	Classifications keys, food chains
DT	Eco-Friendly – make eco-house	Make a Seismograph	A model with electrical circuit	Make a Roman Catapult	Modelling of our teeth	Food Presentation
Year 5	Changes <i>The Boy at the Back of the Class</i>	China <i>The Firework Maker's Daughter</i>	Invaders and Settlers <i>Viking Boy</i>	The Maya <i>Lady of Shallot/Street Child (modern classic)</i>	To Infinity and Beyond <i>Cosmic</i>	Walk on the Wild Side <i>When the Mountains Roared</i>
History		Shang Dynasty	Britains Settlement by Anglo-Saxons and Scots;The Viking and Anglo-Saxon struggle for the Kingdom of England	The Ancient Maya	Humans and Space	Hunting and Animal Cruelty
Geography	Natural Resources (Energy) around the world	China: Human and Physical	Settlements	Where were the Maya from?	Views from Space inc. Climate zones	Impact of habitat destruction;
Science	Properties and changes of materials inc. reversible and irreversible	Hydro-electricity	Forces – air; water; frictional resistance		Earth and Space (inc Gravity)	Life Cycles and reproduction in plants and animals
DT	Cooking – Baking Bread	Spring Rolls	Pulley Systems	Textiles – Mayan Worry Doll	Motor powered Moon vehicle	Pneumatics creature
Year 6	Fun at the Fair <i>Leon and the Place Between</i>	Changing World <i>Floodland</i>	We'll Meet Again <i>Letters from the Lighthouse; Kensuke; Rose Blanche</i>		Born this Way <i>Pig Heart Boy</i>	Moving on Up <i>Wonder</i>
History	Local History - Dreamland	Famous people: Charles Darwin	WWII Local History -Thanet in WWII			
Geography	Fieldwork – tourism in local area	Vegetation belts; biomes; change over time	Distribution of natural resources: food		Counties and County Lines	Compare the UK; a country Europe; a country in South America
Science	Electricity	Living Things and their Habitats - classification Evolution and Inheritance	Light		Animals, Including Humans: Circulatory and digestive systems and exercise and drugs	

DT	Computer Control and gears	Cooking: International food	Shelters to withstand force	Create a information mechanism with cams	
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