

CGPS: LONG TERM PLAN 2017-18



YEAR 4

Year group	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4	Term 5	Term 6
Theme:	MAGIC & MYSTERY	QUESTS	AFRICA	DRAGONS	POLES APART	KINGS AND QUEENS
Hook	Watch Harry Potter	Shadow puppet show to tell story	Trip to Horniman Museum	Watch clips from the film / Chinese Dragon dance	Potential contact (perhaps Skype) with a current explorer	Trip to Hever Castle
English Texts	Harry Potter and the Philosopher's Stone	The Firework Maker's Daughter	Butterfly Lion / White Giraffe	How to Train Your Dragon	The Ice Palace	William Shakespeare Plays
Writing Genres	Persuasive texts Letter writing Newspaper reports	Letter writing Descriptive writing Instruction writing	Poetry Descriptive writing Suspense writing Non-chronological report	Poetry Instruction writing Newspaper report Descriptive writing	Poetry Autobiographies Biographies Persuasive texts	Scripts Character Description Letter writing
Maths	See separate document					
Science	Looking at States	Power It Up!	What's That Sound?	Teeth and Eating	Brilliant Bubbles	Living Things
Art & Design	Using chalk for effect Portraits – pencil drawings. Observation of great artist – Van Gogh.	Firework pictures in different media – scratch art Creating Christmas decorations – clay, sculpting. Christmas cards – pencil drawings	Geometric pattern design – observations of examples and creating own with paint. Savannah silhouettes	Design a mixed media egg. Dragon skin – using a variety of effects	Northern lights pictures – using pastels for effect. Sketching (pencils)	Making a Tudor Village with home learning houses Tudor castle pointillist pictures inspired by Georges Seurat.
Computing	E-safety Scratch questions and quizzes	E-safety Word processing	E-safety Programming turtle logo	E-safety Animation	E-safety Photo stories	E-safety Using and applying skills
Design & Technology	Design and make a wand and functional box Make finger food for Harry Potter Day	Design a bag that could carry essential items for a quest Make Viking helmets and longboats Quest packed lunch	Weaving paper Kente cloths African food	Papier-mache dragon eggs with a moving element. Egg cookery	Construct and create an ice palace. Sorbet making	A functional draw bridge. Cooking Tudor meal (slow-cooker)
Geography	Using and making maps 4 and 6 figure grid references	Viking territories Continent / Countries	Africa as a continent – diversity *	Caves formation / rock formations	Longitude / latitude Biomes Seasons Night & Day	Changes in the British Empire
History	Steam trains	Vikings	Nelson Mandela	Stone Age – Stone Henge	Explorers – Shackleton	Tudors British Monarchy
Languages	Getting to know me Salutations About myself Colours	Where we live How we travel to school Counting	Days of the week Months of the Year Birthdays Postcards	Geography and History of France	Classroom items Currency	Review and Recap Questions
Music	Ukulele Music appreciation Film music for effect	Singing and performing – perform in small groups and (where appropriate) alone, using voice and instruments Sing in a round and a cannon	African Drumming Listening and appraising - listen to live music and evaluate its impact	Dragon Song – composition Pentatonic Scale Composing and Improvising	Ice music Grieg – Sibelius Study of composers	Composing music to fit Tudor dance. History of music
PE	Power of PE Handball and Orienteering	Power of PE Hockey and Dance	Power of PE Tag Rugby and Multi skills	Power of PE Tennis and Gymnastics	Power of PE Cricket and Rounders	Power of PE Athletics and Health Related Exercise
PSHE	Good to be Me	Getting On & Falling Out	Healthy Lifestyles Water Aid	Drugs	SRE	New beginnings
RE	Christianity	Hinduism	Judaism	Buddhism	Islam	Sikhism
British Values	General overview	Individual Liberty	Rule of Law	Mutual respect and tolerance of different faiths and beliefs	Democracy	General overview
Growth Mindset	Class charter including GM ideas	Empathy	Perseverance	Inspiration from Others	Setting Goals	Reflection

Special Events / Additional Experiences	Macmillan Coffee Morning Book Fair Harry Potter Day	Nature Day 1 Diwali Celebration/dance workshop Cinema Trip Christmas production Whole school pantomime Save the Children Jumper Day Coding Week	Maths Week Horniman Museum Safer Internet Day	World Book Day Book Bus Multicultural Day Culverstone Green Has Talent Nature Day 2	Explorer Day	Healthy Week Sports Day Hever Castle Nature Day 3 Disco
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