2023 – 2024 Summer Term Planning for Horse Chestnut Class

Term Dates		Summer 1		Summer 2
		08.03.24 –		24 – 24
		(weeks)		(weeks)
English Writing Roots (Writing) Themes: Hope and Courage (Summer 1) Magic and Truth (Summer 2)	Key Texts: The Bear and the Piano by David Litchfield Writing outcomes: Own version narratives about bravery, letters of advice, short news reports, writing in role, retellings, information posters Escape from Pompeii by Christina Balit Writing outcomes: Newspaper reports, setting descriptions, diaries, letters, thought bubbles Leon and the Place Between by Graham Baker-Smith			
English	persuasive posters, s bubbles/diaries, dial	wn version fantasy narratives etting descriptions, thought ogue The Heart and the Bottle by Writing outcomes: Own versions of the descriptions, narra	Oliver Jeffers sion 'dilemma' narrativ	es,
Literary Leaves (Reading)	Key Texts:	E A R T H. SHATTERING E VENTS HATTERING HATTER	ROALD DAHL MAGIC FINGER	Anthorna Rope
	Zombierella by Joseph Coelho	Earth Shattering Events by Robin Jacobs	The Magic Finger by Roald Dahl	Arthur and the Golden Rope by Joe Todd-Stanton
Mathematics (White Rose units)	 Number Fractions – finding fractions of an amount and equivalent fractions Recap of addition, subtraction, multiplication and division Measurement Time – hours, days, months and years, telling the time to the hour, half and quarter hour, 5- and 1-minute intervals, digital time (Y3) and finding durations Mass, capacity and temperature – units of measure, add, subtract and compare Statistics Tally charts, pictograms, bar charts and tables 			

Light (continued from Spring Term) **Living Things and Their Habitats** Science **Living Things and Their Habitats** recognise that living things can be grouped in a explore and compare the differences between variety of ways things that are living, dead, and things that have explore and use classification keys to help never been alive group, identify and name a variety of living identify that most living things live in habitats to things in their local and wider environment which they are suited recognise that environments can change and identify and name a variety of plants and that this can sometimes pose dangers to living animals in their habitats, including things microhabitats describe how animals obtain their food from plants and other animals, using the idea of a simple food chain, and identify and name different sources of food Computing Unit 3.1 Coding Unit 4.10 An Introduction to Artificial Intelligence • To understand what a flowchart is and how To learn what is meant by the term artificial flowcharts are used in computer programming. intelligence. • To understand that there are different types of • To be clear about ways artificial intelligence is timers and select the right type for purpose. used in our everyday lives. • To understand how to use the repeat command. • To consider the future of artificial intelligence • To look at how artificial intelligence is used in • To understand the importance of nesting. • To design and create an interactive scene. music and the arts to create things. RE **L2.4 Expressing** Why do people pray? To think about what it means to pray To understand what happens in Islamic prayer To understand the meaning of the Lord's Prayer and to think about how and why Christians To know ways in which Hindus pray and worship at home and in the Mandir To compare what is similar and different in the words of three prayers (Muslim, Christian, Find out about people's ideas about prayer. History Why does Britain have a monarchy? Castles (local history study) What were the consequences of the Romans How did the Celts defend themselves? How did Rome defend its empire? leaving Britain? How did the Anglo-Saxons settle in Britain? What was the first defensive structure in Alfred the Great. How great was he? Warwick? How did William the What were the consequences of the Anglo-Conqueror rule? Saxon and Vikings' struggle for Britain? How did castles How did William the Conqueror become King change? of England? What is Warwick castle How has our monarchy changed over time? like? Special Event – School's 150th birthday Victorian schooling – similarities and differences. **Drawing: Power prints (continued from Spring Art & Design** Sculpture and 3d: Abstract Shape and Space To join 2D shapes to make 3D structures To join materials in different ways when working in 3D To develop ideas for 3D artwork

To apply knowledge of sculpture when working

To evaluate and improve an artwork

in 3D

Design Technology (Kapow)		 Structures: Constructing A Castle To recognise how multiple shapes (2D and 3D) are combined to form a strong and stable structure To design a castle To construct 3D nets To construct and evaluate final products
Music (Kapow)	Caribbean (Instrumental Lessons) Learning about the history and features of Calypso music, performing a calypso style song with voices and tuned percussion in multiple parts and playing from staff notation.	
PE (PE Planning)	Orienteering To work cooperatively as part of a team. To understand different points on a map. To communicate effectively with others. To make a map. To participate in team games solving problems with others.	 Volleyball To watch the ball as it travels To react quickly. To get in line with the ball as it's travelling. To send the ball accurately. To perform a 'dig' shot. To compete against others.
	 Athletics To throw an object by overarm, underarm, pulling, pushing and slinging. To run in races of varied distances. To combine different types of jumping. To run for distance. To perform competitively with others. 	 Cricket Throw a ball with increasing accuracy. To hit a ball towards the target. To catch a ball with increasing control. To choose fielding skills to make it difficult for an opponent. To successfully hit a ball from a tee. To participate in games, showing good teamwork.
PSHE (most units taken from our federation scheme: Coram Life Education SCARF')	Being my Best (continued from Spring Term) Keeping Safe To identify safe and unsafe secrets To identify safe and unsafe situations and people who can help To define and know the difference between danger and risk To identify risk factors and ways of reducing them Identify situations which are either dangerous, risky or hazardous To identify images that are safe/unsafe to share online	 To identify which parts of the human body are private To identify different types of relationships To understand what is meant by body space (or personal space) To describe some of the changes that happen to people in their lives
Topic Enrichment Activities (which may take place as topic launch activities or end of topic celebration	 Microscopes in school from the Royal Microscope So Rockstars and Robots Day 17th April Whole school trip to St John's Museum 4th May Road Safety Talks 5th June School's 150th Birthday Celebration 14th June Circus Skills Day 25th June 	reciety

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