Year 4 Overview Spring 2: There's No Place Like Rome

Value: Appreciation

Genre: Newspaper Article Stimulus: Wizards of Once

Key Learning

- Clauses
- Similes
- > Adverbs (manner)
- Subordinating conjunctions
- Eye catching headline
- Captions
- Witness quotes
- Reported speech
- Relative clauses
- Questions
- Verbs
- Prepositional phrases
- > Facts and adverbials

Grammar

- > Commas after fronted adverbials
- Determiners
- Pronouns
- Verb Tenses
- > Inverted commas
- Subordinate clauses

Spellings

- > 'au' makes an /or/ sound
- Words ending in '-tion'
- Words ending in '-ssion'
- Words ending in '-cian'
- Adverbs of manner
- > Homophones
- The /s/ sound spelt c before 'i' and 'e'.

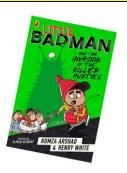
<u>Reading</u>

English

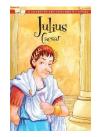
<u>Prior Learning:</u>

Y3 - Introduction of VIPERS skills.

<u>Class Novel:</u> <u>Little Badman</u> By Humza Arshad



<u>Wider Reading Across The Curriculum:</u> Julius Caesar and Tuesday







Vocabulary	Development
Inference	of skills across
Prediction	a range of genres and
Explain	through the
Retrieve	curriculum.
Summarise	

Development of reading accuracy and fluency across a range of age appropriate texts.

Maths Prior Learning: Year 3 – introduction to

fractions, comparing fractions and ordering fractions. Adding and subtracting fractions. Decimals – tenths and dividing by 100.

Times Table Focus: 8x

Please practise all times tables up to 12x12

Number: Fractions

- Understanding the whole and counting beyond one
- > Partition a mixed number
- > Number lines with mixed numbers
- Compare and order mixed numbers
- Understand and convert improper fractions
- Equivalent fractions on a number line and equivalent fraction families
- Add and subtract fractions and mixed numbers

Number: Decimals

- > Tenths as fractions and decimals
- Tenths on a place value chart and number line
- Divide a 1-digit and 2-digit number by 10
- Hundredths as fractions and decimals
- Hundredths on a place value chart and number line
- Divide a 1-digit and 2-digit number by 100

Sound

Identify how sounds are made, associating some of them with something vibrating.

Science

- Recognise that vibrations from sounds travel through a medium to the ear.
- Find patterns between the pitch of a sound and features of the object that produced it.
- Find patterns between the volume of a sound and the strength of the vibrations that produced it.
- Recognise that sounds get fainter as the distance from the sound source increases.

Living Things and Their Habitats

- Explore and use classification keys to help group, identify and name a variety of living things in their local and wider environment.
- Describe the simple functions of the basic parts of the digestive system in humans.

Prior learning: Year 3 – I can identify

things, people and places that I need to keep safe from.

Healthy Me

- > My friends and me
- Group dynamics
- Smoking
- Alcohol
- Healthy friendships



The Weather

Repeat and recognise the vocabulary for weather in French.

French

- Ask and say what the weather is like today.
- > Create a French weather map.
- Describe the weather in different regions of France using a weather map with symbols



<u>Prior learning:</u> Y3 - Using different joining, cutting and finishing techniques with paper and card. A basic understanding of 2D & 3D shapes in maths and the physical properties and everyday uses of materials in science.

<u>Structures - Aqueducts</u> Designing

- Generate realistic ideas and design criteria collaboratively through discussion, focusing on the needs of the user and purpose of the product.
- Develop ideas through the analysis of existing products and use annotated sketches and prototypes to model and communicate ideas.

Making

- Order the main stages of making. Select and use appropriate tools to measure, mark out, cut, score, shape and assemble with some accuracy.
- Explain their choice of materials according to functional properties and aesthetic qualities.
- Use finishing techniques suitable for the product they are creating.

Evaluating

- Investigate and evaluate a range of existing shell structures including the materials, components and techniques that have been used.
- Test and evaluate their own products against design criteria and the intended user and purpose.

Technical knowledge and understanding

Develop and use knowledge of how to construct strong, stiff shell structures

Computing

<u>Prior learning:</u> Year 3 – Collection of data over time.

Data Logging

- Recognise and consider why data is collected and how it is collected
- Collecting data over time
- > Using data loggers



History

Prior learning: Year 3 - Historical study on civilisation of Ancient Egypt. Year 4 - describing changes within Ancient Greece.

The Roman Empire

What was the Roman impact on Britain?

- Describe changes within and between historical periods I have studied.
- Give some reasons for the results of historical events, situations and changes.
- Describe similarities and differences using the historical themes in the period of history I am studying.
- Suggest which people, causes, and consequences of change are more important.



Prior learning: Year 3 – Athletics - Run in different directions and at different speeds, using a good technique. Reinforce jumping techniques safely. Improve throwing technique. Basketball – understand how to keep possession of a ball. Identify and follow the rules of games.

Athletics

- Use correct technique to run at speed
- Demonstrate good running technique in a competitive situation.
- Reinforce jumping techniques safely and accurately.
- Begin to understand which technique is most effective when jumping for distance.
- Practise throwing with accuracy.

Basketball

- Identify and follow the rules of games.
- Choose and use effective tactics to suit different situations.
- Use accurate passing technique and possession techniques in a game.





<u>Prior learning:</u> Year 3 – Disposition of being merciful and forgiving and responding to suffering.

<u>Disposition:</u> Being Merciful and forgiving

Learning Objectives:

- Can all mistakes be forgiven?
- What does a story from the Bible have to say about forgiveness?
- What do Jewish people and Christians think about forgiveness?
- What do Christians believe about forgiveness as a result of Jesus' death on the cross?

<u>Disposition:</u> Responding to Suffering

Learning Objectives:

- Can we recognise when others are in hurt or in pain?
- How do Muslims respond to the suffering of others?



<u>Prior learning:</u> Year 4 - Play a rhythmical pattern on an instrument clearly Beginning to show an awareness of volume and

tempo when performing with others.

Clarinet, Violin and Drums

- Play a rhythmical melody on an instrument, exploring pitch.
- Adapting volume and tempo when performing with others.
- > Improvise and compose simple rhythms using Y4 notes
- Listen to and repeat rhythms with a steady pulse using a rest.
- Crochets, minims, semibreves, stave and crotchet rests
- > Know the duration of the Y4 notes
- Show appreciation for music, discussing how music makes us feel.
- Describe how a piece of music changes throughout using musical vocabulary:
- Dynamics piano, forte
- Tempo fast, moderate, slow
- Timbre gentle, harsh
- Listen and respond to a range of music, discussing how music has changed throughout history.

