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	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Topic/Theme	Ancient Greeks	Space	Properties of Materials	South America	North America	Whodunnit?
Introductory activity		Trip to the National Space Centre	Bread making	Rainforest Day		Trip to the National Justice Museum
Literacy - learning outcome	Greek Myths	Information Text Descriptive Writing		Descriptive Writing Persuasive Writing	Adventure Poetry	Descriptive Writing Diary Entries Newspaper Report
Main Texts	Writing to entertain: Produce a Greek Myth, based on 'Theseus and the Minotaur'	Writing to inform: Produce information texts about planets in our solar system and about a fictional planet Writing to entertain: Produce a piece of descriptive writing about a journey into space Produce a witness report newspaper article	Writing to instruct: Writing instructions based on bread making Writing to explain: Until I met Dudley	Writing to entertain: Produce a setting description entitled 'A Journey Down The Amazon River' Writing to persuade: Produce a persuasive speech, linked to deforestation	Writing to entertain: The Good Thieves	Writing to entertain: Fiction driver: The London Eye Mystery Produce a diary entry as a specific character Produce a newspaper report

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Science	Living things and their habitats (Life cycles / life processes of reproduction in plants and animals)	Earth and Space	Properties and changes of materials		Forces	Animals, including humans (Describe the changes as humans develop to old age)
History Geography	Ancient Greece: What did the Ancient Greeks do for us?			South America What is life like in South America? The Amazon Rainforest How are humans impacting the Amazon Rainforest?	North America What is life like in North America?	Crime and Punishment How has crime and punishment changed through the ages in our locality?
Art	Clay: Greek Pottery			Freida Kahlo: Portraits		Crime and punishment
DT			Textiles: Combining Fabrics with a fasten Cooking and nutrition: Bread making		Cams: Create a billboard advertisement	

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Music	What shall we do with the drunken sailor?	Why we sing Introduction to songwriting	Building a groove Época	Madina tun nabi	Ukulele 2	Kisne banaaya
Computing	E-safety iProgram	E-safety i Draw	E-safety iWeb	E-safety iCrypto	E-safety iProgram	E-safety iModel
RE	What's important; exploring values	Investigating religions and harmony, near and far	Pilgrimages	Muslim families and celebrations	Exploring the Old Testament	Expressing Faith through the arts
PE	Cycling	Orienteering Dance	Netball Football	Hockey Gymnastics	Athletics Tennis	Cricket Athletics
PHSE – Jigsaw	Being Me	Celebrating Differences	Healthy Me	Dreams and Goals	Relationships	Changing Me
Spanish	Intermediate Language Teaching: My Family	Phonics and Pronunciation: Extra teaching		Intermediate Teaching: The Classroom	Intermediate Language Teaching: My Home	