

Parrots Class - Year 3 and 4

Cycle B	Autumn Term		Spring Term		Summer Term	
Geography History Hamilton and Plan it	U.K. Geography Understand geographical similarities and differences through the study of human and physical geography of a region or area of the United Kingdom.	Edgehill A local history study History of interest to the pupils.	Around the World Locate the geographic zones of the world and understand the significance of the geographic zones of the world.		Stone Age to Iron Age Changes in Britain from the iron age to the stone age	Local Geography Horley Camp Use fieldwork to observe, measure and record the human and physical features of the local area using a range of methods
English Active learn Wordsmith	All about me (Y3- auto biography) Word detectives (Y4 Spellings) Chat show challenge (Y3 Debate)	Playing with words (Y3 - poetry) Spiderwick Chronicles (Y4 fantasy stories) Sounds Spooky (Y4 -spooky stories in three episodes)	Exploring poetic form (Y4 Kennings and raps) How far would you go to look cool? (Y3 -newspaper report)		Shape Poetry (Y3) Was Tutankhamen killed? (Letters and explanation text)	Most incredible sport (Y4 newspaper report) The iron man (Y4 Narrative)
Maths Active learn Abacus	Please see separate Abacus Y3/4 Overview for a detailed weekly breakdown of maths curriculum					
Science Plan it Hamilton	Light (Y3) Learn that we need light to see; notice that light is reflected from surfaces and that light from the sun can be dangerous; learn how shadows are formed and how they change size	Sound (Y4) Identify how sounds are made; investigate pitch of sound and how volume effects sounds waves; recognise that waves get fainter as the source moves away.	Living things and their habitats (Y4) Identify and name plants and animals. Look at classification keys and the life cycles of animals and plants. Classification of plants and animals, human growth and changes. Rocks (Y3) Compare the properties of different rocks, investigate how fossils are formed and how soil is formed		Forces and Magnets Compare how things move on different surfaces; compare contact and distant forces, attraction and repulsion, comparing and grouping magnetic materials.	Animals including humans (Y4) Look at the digestive system in humans, at the functions of teeth and of the human circulatory system. Investigate food chains.
Design and Technology Plan it	Juggling Balls (Design and make juggling balls)		Mechanical Posters (Levers, linkages and gears – Lego we-do)		The Great Bread Bake Off (Design and make bread)	
Computing Plan it	Word processing (Y3) Scratch: questions and Quizzes (Y4)		Programming Lego We-do and scratch (Y3/4)		Internet research and presentation skills (Y3)	
R.E. Sacre	A fair World (justice and Responsibility – Charities)	Giving Thanks (Shukkot and thanksgiving)	Showing the Way (Leadership)	Remembering (Easter, Holy Communion and remembrance)	Working together (Faith communities)	Living like a saint (Saints and Gurus)
Art and Design Plan it	British art (landscapes, portraits, abstract art, sensory boxes)		European Art (drawing buildings, painting on the ceiling, shape houses, drawing portraits)		Bodies (drawing in felt tip, charcoal, pen; making models in clay and paper)	
Music Charanga	Three little birds	Five Gold Rings	Recorder	Recorder	Let your spirit fly	Reflect rewind and replay
Physical Education	Attacking games	Dance	Gymnastics	Dodgeball	Swimming Athletics	
French Buck Gfl	Greetings (Y3) French names and classroom instructions (Y3)	Numbers to 12 (Y3) Days and months (Y3)	Christmas (Y3) Colours (Y3)	Where do you live (Y3) Numbers to 31 (Y3)	Classroom objects (Y3) Brown Bear (Y3)	All about me (Y3) Very hungry caterpillar (Y3)
Enrichment Activities	Compton Verney Art Gallery	Visit to base, Edgehill memorial, Sealed Knot	Cotswolds Wildlife Park		Horley Camping trip	