

YEAR FOUR CALENDAR 2016-2017

WEEK BEGINNING	TOPIC/SCIENCE/LITERACY UNITS OF WORK (See medium term plan for all foundation subjects)	
5th September- week 1	'Getting to know you' week. VAK/class rules/class vision statement	
12 th September – week 2	TOPIC: Battles and Wars SCIENCE: Humans including animals	Significant author – Michael Morpurgo Recounts – Letters, Diary entries, different
19 th September – week 3		view and newspaper articles Historical stories
26 th September – week 4		Poetry- sensory
3 rd October – week 5		Assessment week
10 th October – week 6		
17 th October – week 7		
31 st October – week 9	TOPIC: Battles and Wars Christmas SCIENCE: Earth and space	Significant author – Michael Morpurgo
7 th November – week 10		Playscripts Persuasive texts
14 th November – week 11		Poetry - figurative
21 st November – week 12		Assessment week
28 th November – week 13		
5 th December – week 14		
12 th December – week 15		
3 rd January – week 16	TOPIC: Journeys SCIENCE: Properties and change of materials	Significant author – Roald Dhal
9 th January – week 17		Poetry - shape
16 th January – week 18		Stories that raise issues and dilemmas
23 rd January – week 19		
30 th January -week 20		
6 th February – week 21		Assessment week
13 th February - week 22		
27 th February– week 23	TOPIC: Journeys SCIENCE: Investigative skills	Significant author – Roald Dhal

6 th March – week 24		Poetry – Riddles, Haikus, Cinquains
13 th March – week 25		Tales from other cultures
20 th March – week 26		Assessment week
27 th March – week 27		
3 rd April – week 28		
24 th April – week 29	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;"> <p>TOPIC: The changing power of monarchs</p> <p>SCIENCE: Forces</p> </div>	Significant Author – Berlie Doherty
1 st May – week 30		Poetry – performance
8 th May – week 31		Information texts
15 th May – week 32		Assessment week
22 nd May – week 33		
5 th June – week 34	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;"> <p>TOPIC: Geographical skills and fieldwork</p> <p>SCIENCE: Living things and their habitats</p> </div>	Significant Authors – Biographies
12 th June – week 35		Traditional stories, Myths and Legends
19 th June – week 36		Information texts
26 th June – week 37		Instructions
3 rd July – week 38		Poetry – creating images
10 th July – week 49		Enterprise week
17 th July – week 40	Assessment week	Transition and moving on
24 th July – Week 41		