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Whole school events	Autumn 1 Maths/ Art week Harvest Festival St Francis Day: 4 th October	Autumn 2 Prayer space Outdoor Classroom Day – 1 st November Anti-bullying week World Kindness Day	Spring 1 Spanish day Safer Internet day National Storytelling Week International Random Acts of Kindness Day: 17 th Feb	Spring 2 Book week Science week Prayer space World Poetry Day	Summer 1 Well-being/anti-bullying week Outdoor week Walk to School week	Summer 2 Sports day/week First Holy Communion	
Driving subject & catchy title	Science Jurassic Hunters	History Ancient Greece	History It's Time To Walk!		Year 5 - Geography / Science Year 6 – PSHCE / P.E Living On The Edge!	PSHCE / Citizenship / British Values Let's Debate!	
Hook	Trip to Lyme Regis	Greek Day (Making Greek masks, coiled clay pot making, food tasting)	Trip to Nothe Fort		Year 5 Trip to Leeson House	Year 6 Trip to Butcher's Coppice	Save The Children video – Life of a refugee
Fabulous Finale	A visit to our Jurassic Hunters Museum.	Remembrance Assembly	A visit to our Time Walk Museum		Photos / Newsletter / Twitter / Website of our school trips.	End of year production Year 6 Presentation	
Outdoor Learning	Fossil Hunting on Lyme Regis beach	Mini Olympics	Dress up as an evacuee for the day First-hand experience of WW2		Residential trips	Sports Week	
English skills: Reading, comprehension tasks, spelling, handwriting, weekly writing (plan, draft, evaluate, edit, improve), grammar & punctuation	Genre: Recount – Newspaper Narrative (Jurassic Park) VIPERS- reading GPS skills: Passive voice, sentence types, expanded noun phrases, relative clauses, brackets, commas, dashes. Model text / Hook: The Velociraptor / film clip	Genre: Poetry WW1 / WW2 Explanation – Mythological creature Model text / Hook: Mythological creature Myths and legends – Percy Jackson film clip	Genre: Diary of an evacuee Persuasive letter – Trip to Nothe Fort Model text / Hook: Carrie's War / Goodnight Mr Tom	Genre: Narrative – Dunkirk Recount – Newspaper Model text / Hook: Film Dunkirk	Leeson House – Non-chronological report Model text / Hook: Adventure at Sandy Cove / Storm Breaker	Instructions – Shirt Machine / Teacher Pleaser Discussion – Debate / current news topic	
					Dialogue – Wonder (Year 6) Model text / Hook: Book / film clips	Recipe for success – Butcher's Coppice (Year 6) Discussion - Debate / current news topic	
Maths skills	Number and place value Four operations (number) Fractions, decimals and percentages Measurement		Measurement Geometry Statistics		Year 5 – Number and place value Four operations (number) Year 6- SATs revision	Year 5 – Fractions, decimals and percentages, measurement Year 6 – Problem solving / reasoning investigations	
Religious Education skills	Creation Sacraments (assess) Using religious vocabulary; making links between stories & beliefs. Comparing our ideas and answers about difficult questions.	ISLAM Week Prayers, Saints & Feasts Advent Give reasons for certain acts and symbols. Make links how feelings and beliefs affect behaviours.	Christmas Revelation (assess) Make links how feelings and beliefs affect behaviours.	Lent Holy Week Give reasons for actions by believers. Compare our ideas and answers about difficult questions.	Judaism Week Easter (assess) Pentecost Give reasons for actions by believers. Make links how feelings and beliefs affect behaviours.	Mission Hinduism/ Sikhism Week Prayers, Saints & Feasts Describe ways in which religion is lived out by believers. Make links how feelings and beliefs affect behaviours.	



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Science skill	Evolution and Inheritance: The Game of Survival	Electricity	Light and Sound	Liquids, solids and gases	Living things and their habitats Animals (including humans)	Animals including humans: Circulation, heart, nutrition, diet, healthy living Journey of Love: human reproduction and relationships
History / Geography skills	Use maps, atlases, globes and digital/computer mapping to locate countries and describe features studied.	Ancient Greece – A study of Greek life and achievements and their influence on the western world.	A significant turning point in British history: World War 2	Human geography, including: types of settlement and land use, economic activity including trade links and the distribution of natural resources including energy, food, minerals and water.		
Design Technology skills	Fairground carousel		Pin hole camera	Den building Design and Make a Chocolate wrapper. Year 5 – formations of coastlines		
Art and Design skills	Observational drawings (fossils) Design and make fossil imprint using clay. Fossil prints using paint.	Design and make a Greek mask- resistant materials	Propaganda poster (painting / colour mixing) WW2 silhouette (mixed media)	Landscape paintings		
Computing skills E-safety	Learning how to be safe online Design & write coding programs.		Beebots /Scratch Programming – link to Maths (angles)	Movie Maker – Butcher’s Coppice / Leeson House E-safety talk – online safety		
Music skills	Year 5- treble/ descant recorders Perform rhythmic patterns confidently and with a strong sense of pulse. To learn about basic rhythmic devices used in many drumming traditions around the world. They will improvise simple rhythmic patterns. To learn about the life and Music of Mozart . They will also improve their <i>General Musicianship Skills</i> . Year 6 Exploring lyrics and melodies. History of Blues music.	Year 5- treble/ descant recorders To add texture to their music making. They will sing and play in Rounds and Harmony and add Rhythmic and Melodic Ostinatos, Drones and Chords to their performances. To explore different sound sources, including the use of ICT. They will learn how sounds can be changed and reproduced electronically. Year 6 History of Ragtime. Music in silent movies. World War 2 songs.	Year 5 Year 5- treble/ descant recorders To learn and perform music for a Summer Show. They will increase their <i>General Musicianship Skills</i> . They will also study Music from around the world, focussing especially on South America . They will also learn about the life and music of Gustav Holst . Year 6 Performing to an audience (Summer show)			
Physical Education skills	Indoor athletics and invasion games	Gymnastics and invasion games	Net and wall games	Dance	Athletics Striking and fielding games	Cricket & rounders



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PSHE Skills Personal, Social & Health Education Well-being	Rights and responsibilities in the wider world Well-being: 7Cs Trick Box	Healthy Lifestyles Keeping Safe (medicines) Well-being: Anti-bullying Trick Box	Caring for the environment Well-being: Mental health E-safety Trick Box	Growing and changing Well-being: Mental health Trick Box	Healthy relationships Feelings and emotions Well-being: Anti-bullying week Trick Box	Living in the wider world Sex Education- name body part names Well-being: Healthy lifestyles Trick Box
Spanish skills Key Stage 2	Listen & engage in conversations. Expressing opinions: e.g. numbers 1-100, months, birthdays, all about me, adjectives to describe our personality, physical descriptions, verb tenses.	Listen & engage in conversations. Expressing opinions: e.g. focus on shape, colour, prepositions, parts of the body / face, use language to describe a Spanish artist.	Listen & engage in conversations. Expressing opinions: e.g. family vocabulary, pets, likes/ dislikes, telling the time.			