

Planned half term	Year 4	Subject focus	Memorable experience	Innovate challenge	Love to Read links	English	Art & Design	Computing	D&T	Geography	History	Mathematics	Music	PE	PSHE	Science
Autumn 1	I am Warrior!	History	Visit from Chiltern Open Air Museum	Become a Roman soldier	Across the Roman Wall - Theresa Breslin / The Eagle of the Ninth - Rosemary Sutcliff;	Traditional tales - myths; riddles	Drawing; Sculpture; Mosaic; Jewellery making	Internet research; word processing skills	Shields and helmets; Roman food; Roman design	Comparing Britain and Italy; Using maps; Locational knowledge; Human and physical geography	The Roman Empire and its impact on Britain	Reading Roman numerals; discrete	Singing	Competitive games; Building strength and agility; gymnastics	Responsibility Recognising achievements	
Autumn 2	Misty Mountain Sierra	Geography	Visit a local hill or moor, watch episode of Blue Planet or similar, images of mountains	Plan a mountaineering holiday	The Firework-Maker's Daughter - Phillip Pullman; The Hobbit - JRR Tolkien	Recounts and non-chronological reports; free verse	Clay modelling; Weaving	Satellite mapping; Using GPS devices; 2-D animation; Online research		Using maps; Human and physical geography		Presenting data; Converting between units of measure; discrete	Writing song lyrics; singing	Orienteering; games; dance	Resilience Facing new challenges; Mountain safety	States of matter; Working scientifically; electricity
Spring 1	Blue Abyss	Art & Design	Observe aquatic life	3-D art exhibition	Why the Whales Came - Michael Morpurgo	Story settings - write narrative focussing on settings; free verse	Observational drawing; 3-D models; Clay sculpture; Anthony Gormley – Another Place; Batik art; Printing; Famous seascapes	Programming; Video editing; Multimedia presentations	Submarine design; Working models	Seas and oceans of the world; The Great Barrier Reef; Environmental issues	19th century ocean exploration	Discrete	singing	Games; gymnastics	Creativity	Living things and their habitats; Animals, including humans; Working scientifically
Spring 2	Playlist	Music	Live musical performance	Class Factor	Bill's New Frock- Anne Fine	Write & perform a play; narrative poetry	Music-inspired art	Digital recordings	Making instruments	Location of countries		Discrete	Music of the 20th century; singing	Games; dance	Forgiveness	Sound
Summer 1	1066	History	Visit Mountfitchet Castle	A castle for King William	The Snow Walker's Son - Catherine Fisher	Story settings - write narrative focussing on settings; Take one poet	The Bayeux Tapestry; Drawing; Embroidery	Searching the web; Online maps; Creating presentations	Making Norman helmets; Designing drawbridges and castles; Making a Domesday book	Human and physical features in the local area	1066 - The Norman Conquest	Data handling; discrete	Singing	Swimming; athletics; striking/fielding games	Friendship Dealing with conflict	
Summer 2	Burps, Bottoms and Bile	Science	Local dentist/doctor visit	Make a model of the digestive system	Charlotte's Web - EB White	Explanatory texts; Persuasive texts/discussion; letters; free verse	Reflection	Video; Algorithms; Digital images	Healthy foods; Textiles; Working models			Measures (weight); discrete	Composing lyrics; singing	Swimming; athletics; striking/fielding games	Healthy bodies	Teeth types; Tooth decay and hygiene; The digestive system; Working scientifically