

Theme Overview 2024 – 2025 CYCLE C (Years 4, 5 and 6)

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Autumn 1	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6	Week 7
Theme	Routines and Expectations	Theme 1C – Science Electricity: What makes a circuit change? Light: How does light travel?				Creative 1C Drawing and Printing	Theme 2C - History Ancient Egypt: Wax and Wane
Music	Music 1C: Developing Melodic Phrases – How does music bring us together?					Music 2C: Exploring Notation Further – How does music teach us about our community?	
Computing	e-safety introduction						Computing 1C: Computing Systems and Networks – Communication
R.E	Unit L2.5: Why do Christians call the day Jesus died 'Good Friday?'						
PSHE	Myself and My Relationships 9 and 14: Beginning and Belonging						
P.E	Games Unit 1- Invasion Games: Hockey and Soccer Gymnastics Unit X – Working Together: Matching, Mirroring and Contrasting						

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Autumn 2	Week 8	Week 9	Week 10	Week 11	Week 12	Week 13	Week 14	Week 15
Theme	Assessment and Retrieval	Theme 2C - History Ancient Egypt: Wax and Wane			Design Technology 1C Mechanical Systems: Cams	Theme 3C – Geography Mountains, Volcanoes and Earthquakes		
Music						Music 3C: Using Chords and Structure – How does music shape our way of life?		
Computing	Computing 1C: Computing Systems and Networks – Communication				Computing 2C: Creating Media – 3-D Modelling			
R.E	Enrichment Day Unit U2.4: How do Christians decide how to live? 'What would Jesus do?'	Unit U2.3: Why do Christians believe that Jesus is the Messiah?						
PSHE	Myself and My Relationships 12 and 17 Anti-Bullying	Healthy and Safer Lifestyles 11 and 18: Managing Safety and Risk						
P.E	Games Unit 2 – Net, Court and Wall Games Dance Unit 4 - Volcanoes							

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Spring 1	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6	Week 7	
Theme	Theme 3C – Geography Mountains, Volcanoes and Earthquakes	Creative 2C Drawing and Digital Media	Theme 4C – Science Forces: How do forces affect us?				Design Technology 2C Textiles : Using CAD in Textiles	
Music	Music 3C: Using Chords and Structure – How does music shape our way of life?	Music 4C: Gaining Confidence Through Performance - How does music improve our world?						
Computing			Computing 3C: Creating Media – Web-Page Creation				Computing 4C: Data and Information – Spreadsheets	
R.E	Unit U2.7: Why do Hindus try to be good?							
PSHE	Healthy and Safer Lifestyles 14 and 21: Healthy Lifestyles							
P.E	Dance Unit 1 – The World of Sport Gymnastics Unit Y – Working Together: Synchronisation and Canon							

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Spring 2	Week 8	Week 9	Week 10	Week 11	Week 12		
Theme	Assessment and Retrieval	Theme 5C – History Non-European Study: Africa and Slavery				Creative 3A Drawing and Textiles	
Music	Music 5C: Understanding Structure and Form – How does music connect us with our past?					Music 6C: Respecting Each Other Through Composition – How does music connect us with the environment?	
Computing							
R.E	Enrichment Day Linked to school event or further study	Unit L2.11: How and why do people mark the significant events of life?					
PSHE	e-safety	Healthy and Safer Lifestyles 15 and 22: Drug Education					
P.E	Gymnastics Unit Z – Working Together: Holes and Barriers Games Unit 4 – Invasion Games: Ball Handling						

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Summer 1	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6
Theme	Theme 6C – Geography Compare the Countries: Europe			Assessment and Retrieval KS2 SATs	Assessment and Retrieval KS1 SATs	Theme 6C – Geography Compare the Countries: Europe
Music						
Computing	Computing 5C: Programming – Variables in Games					
R.E	Unit U2.6: For Christians, what kind of king is Jesus?					
PSHE	Healthy and Safer Lifestyles 13 and 20: Sex and Relationship Education			Economic Wellbeing 3: Financial Capability		Healthy and Safer Lifestyles 13 and 20: Sex and Relationship Education
P.E	Athletics Unit 1 Dance Unit 3 – The Rainforest					

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Summer 2	Week 7	Week 8	Week 9	Week 10	Week 11	Week 12
Theme	Design Technology 3C Electrical Systems: Monitoring and Control	Theme 7C – Science Evolution and Inheritance: How do living things change over time?				End of Term
Music		Music 7B: End of Term Performance				
Computing	Computing 6C: Programming – Sensing					
R.E	Unit U2.6: For Christians, what kind of king is Jesus?					
PSHE	Citizenship 6 and 9: Working Together					
P.E	Athletics Unit 2 Games Unit 4- Striking and Fielding					