

Franche Community Primary School long term curriculum topic overview 2024-25 Year group: Three

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
TOPIC	World War Two	Let the Magic Begin	Superheroes	Awesome Earth	Let it Grow	Dig, discover, date!
Topic related text	LION SHE TO LUNICORN S	NAME OF THE PARTY	SUP ER EAUSAGE	PHILIP PULLMAN THE WORK MAKER'S DAUGHTER		O Z
Ignition activity	Children discover a suitcase full of WW Hartefacts	Message from Abdul Kazam looking for magicians for his circus followed by an example of a trick by Hey Presto!	Potion disappeared and pupils to solve problem of mystery villain.	Clues led us to find out that Sybil was hiding in a volcano. We looked at a chapter of the Firework-Maker's Daughter as it talks about a volcano. We looked at Asia and the art, the Indonesian language and looked at what a volcano was. When we realised that Sybil hadn't caused the volcano, we decided to look at how awesome our earth can be. The children decided that it would make a great topic for the next term.	The Goddess of the lake from the Firework-Maker's Daughter sends us some mysterious seeds to look after.	Stone Age Day immersive experience: spear throwing, archery, clay pot and talisman making and stone age cave paintings Mid topic: Finding flint in the orchard: led to a local area walk looking at photographs from the past and identifying changes over time.
Culminating activity	VE Day prepataion and celebration	Parent workshop showcasing magic and singing	Trail on international day (linking to next topic) to find out who the villain was and get all potions back.	Double page spreads of volcanoes and earthquakes. Baking rock cakes.	Planting out the runner beans into our school orchard and looking after them.	Create videos to share historical chronological understanding with year 4 teachers.
PSHE	What are your targets and goals? How can we describe our emotions? What makes a good friend? What is appropriate touch?	Emotions and feelings Staying Safe	Keeping safe with strangers, medicines in the home and chemicals.	Hazard watch. Making friends online. Diverse families.	Stealing.	Team building, working together to solve problems and manage emotions. Personal safety linked to the PCSO's assembly.
British Values	Democracy: Voting for school and eco council and dojo rewards.	Democracy, Rule of Law, Respect and Tolerance, Individual Liberty	Democracy, Rule of Law, Respect and Tolerance, Individual Liberty	Democracy, Rule of Law, Respect and Tolerance, Individual Liberty	Democracy, Rule of Law, Respect and Tolerance, Individual Liberty	Democracy, Rule of Law, Respect and Tolerance, Individual Liberty
English	Inform: Instructions for Air-Raid shelter Entertain: letters as an evacuee	Entertain: poem: the magic box Narrative: Leon story Inform: explanations for magic tricks in Science	Inform: non-chronological report on Superhero	Inform: Non-chronological report about volcanoes (double-page spread). Entertain: Lava narrative from Disney Pixar Lava. Persuade: How to keep safe in an earthquake!	Inform: A recount of Mr Gum's bad behaviour. Entertain: Description of Mr Gum's garden	Persuade: would you rather be Stone Age Boy or Bronze Age Boy? Inform: recount of the Stone Age day
Whole Class Guided Reading	Fiction: The Lion and the Unicorn Non-fiction: Women in WW2 Poetry:	Fiction: Leon and the Place Between Non-Fiction: Tricks of the trade Poetry:	Fiction: Superheroes work is never done Non-fiction: Poetry:	Fiction: Firework Maker's Daughters Non-fiction: Volcano fact sheet Poetry: The Bashful Earthquake	Fiction: Jack and the Beanstalk Non-fiction: Gardening Poetry: Lifecycle of a Flower	Fiction: Stone Age Boy Non-fiction: Life in the Stone Age

	White Rose: Place value; addition	White Rose: Addition and	White Rose: multiplication and	White Rose: measurement,	White Rose: Fractions end of	White Rose: Capacity, Money,
Maths	and subtraction	subtraction;	division	including perimeter.	spring unit and summer unit.	Shape and Statistics.
Matits				Start of fractions.		
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	Enquiry question: What are sources of light and	Enquiry question: How can we use magnets to	Enquiry question: What makes a human skeleton	Enquiry question: Science Week (change and	Enquiry question: What are plants and how do	Enquiry question: What type of rock would make the best spear?
	how are shadows	create magic tricks?	strong and healthy to be able to	adaptation) and TAPs	they grow well and reproduce?	(rocks objectives)
	formed? (light objectives)	(forces/magnets objectives)	defeat a villain? (animals	investigations to revisit Working	(plants objectives)	a delle deglectives,
			objectives)	Scientifically objectives.	1 3	Plus, work on fossilisation and
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	asking questions, <mark>making</mark>	<mark>asking questions</mark> , <mark>making</mark>	Working Scientifically:	Working Scientifically: asking	<mark>asking questions</mark> , <mark>making</mark>	Working Scientifically: asking
Science	predictions, setting up tests,	predictions, setting up tests,	asking questions, <mark>making</mark>	questions, making predictions,	predictions, setting up tests,	questions, making predictions,
	observing and measuring,	observing and measuring,	predictions, setting up tests,	setting up tests, observing and	observing and measuring,	setting up tests, observing and
	recording data, interpreting and	recording data, interpreting and	observing and measuring,	measuring, recording data,	recording data, interpreting and	measuring, recording data,
	communicating results and evaluating.	communicating results and evaluating.	recording data, interpreting and communicating results and	interpreting and communicating results and evaluating.	communicating results and evaluating.	interpreting and communicating results and evaluating.
	evaluating.	evaluating.	evaluating.	results and evaluating.	evaluating.	results and evaluating.
	STEM hero/es: Lewis Latimer	STEM hero/es: William Gilbert	STEM hero/es: Wilhelm Roentgen	STEM hero/es: Inge Lehmann	STEM hero/es: Agnes Arber and	STEM hero/es: Florence Bascom
			3		Jane Colden	and Mary Anning
	Enquiry question: What was	When in the World: revisit	When in the World: revisit	When in the World: revisit	When in the World: revisit	Enquiry question: How did
	the impact of WW2? Would you	timeline chronology through	timeline chronology through	timeline chronology through	timeline chronology through	daily life change during
	rather be evacuated to the countryside or stay in London?	significant people and events.	significant people and	significant people and events.	significant people and events.	prehistoric Britain?
	Local History: How has the		events.Edward Jenner and the Wright Brothers (revisit)	Volcanic eruptions. Measuring earthquakes.		Second order skill: cause and
	local area changed over time?		wright Brothers (revisit)	Famous earthquakes.		consequence, change and
				Sir Edmond Hillary.		continuity, similarity and
History.	Second order skill: cause and consequence, change and					difference, historical significance, sources and evidence, historical
History	continuity, similarity and					interpretations
	difference, historical significance,					ante. protections
	sources and evidence, historical					Thread: people and their daily
	interpretations					lives, inventions, conflict and
	Thread: people and their daily					power
	lives, inventions, conflict and					
	power					
	Enquiry question: Where were	Where in the World	Enquiry question:	Enquiry question:	Where in the World	Enquiry question:
	the allied and axis powers in World War Two?		Which landmarks and capital cities in the UK could Sybil the	How are mountains and volcanoes similar?	Revisit: Five oceans. Countries in Europe: France,	What is my local area like and why has it changed?
	Westa var vwe.		villain be hiding in?	voicario es sirritar.	Germany, Spain, Italy, Portuga,	wig has it changes.
				Fieldwork: Locate Clent Hills	Iceland, Norway, Sweden,	Fieldwork: Identify key aspects
	Where in the World			and Malvern Hills on a digital	Finland Denmark	of human geography eg
				map.		settlements, shops, leisure
						facilities, transport, roads in the local area. Identify geographical
Geography						reasons for change over time. Use
						first hand observations and
						Digimaps to explore changes over
						time.
						Where in the World
						Countries in Europe — Belgium,
						Netherlands, Luxembourg
						(Benelux);

Art	Enquiry question: How can we use collage, lines and shading to create a World War II fighter plane scene? Skill: Sketching, lines and edges and collage Artists: Dan Allen (nose art on planes) compare with Banksy (revisit) Helen Frankenthaler (abstract expressionist painter)	Enquiry question: How can we use colour to create mood? How can we use tessellation to create optical illusions? Skill: Painting and drawing Artist: Edgar Mueller (illusionist)	Enquiry question: How can we use stitching techniques to create a superhero emblem? Skill: Textiles Artist: MC Escher How can we create depth and texture using charcoal? Artist: Lancelot Richardson.	Enquiry question: How can we use collage to create a striking effect? Skill: Collage Artist: Wakelem and Hokusai.	Enquiry question: How can we use photography to create a collage of something in nature? Skill: Photography Artist: Bill Brandt	Poland, Ukraine and Russia; Greece, Turkey and Cyprus. Enquiry question: How did Stone Age people use mark making to tell stories? Skill: Scultpure - clay, observational drawing Artist: Grace Divine
D.T		Enquiry question: Structural: How can we create a magic box using CAD?	Enquiry question: Textiles: How can we use different sewing techniques to create a superhero emblem?	Enquiry question: Mechanical: How can we use pneumatics systems to create an erupting volcano / earthquake? Chefs: How can we measure and mix ingredients accurately to make rock cakes from a recipe?		Chefs: Enquiry question: How did the Stone Age people find, prepare and cook fruit?
Computing	Enquiry question: How does technology make our lives easier? (Computer Systems and Networks, connecting computers — Unit 1) Significant Computing Figure — Alan Turing. E-Safety: Project Evolve — Privacy and Secuirty.	Enquiry question: How can I use technology to make things happen? (Programming a, sequencing sounds — Unit 3) Significant Computing Figure — Ada Lovelace E-Safety: Project Evolve — Online Relationships.	Enquiry question: How can I be creative and express myself with technology? (Creating media, Stop-frame animation — Unit 2) Significant Computing Figure — Revisit (Year 2) Steve Jobs E-Safety: Project Evolve — Health, Well-Being and Lifestyle. Self-Image and Identity.	Enquiry question: How can I be creative and express myself with technology? (Creating media, desktop publishing — Unit 5) E-Safety: Project Evolve — Managing Online Information. Online Reputation.	Enquiry question: How can technology help me organise information? (Data and information, branching databases — Unit 4) Significant Computing Figure — Revisit (Year 2) Hedy Lemarr E-Safety: Project Evolve — Copyright and Ownership	Enquiry question: How can I use technology to make things happen? (Programming b, events and actions in programs — Unit 6) Significant Computing Figure — Revisit (Year 1) Douglas Englebart and Charles Babbage E-Safety: Project Evolve — Online Bullying
Music	Enquiry question: How can we use our voices to recreate some of the characteristics of Jazz in our own music? Skill: Perform using voices and instruments expressively	Enquiry question: How do we make a good sound from a recorder? Music genre/ musicians: John Williams 'Hedwig's Theme' Paul Dukas 'Sorcerer's Apprentice' Disney Magic themed	Enquiry question: How can we use staff notation to inform our performance? Skill: Recognising a stave and treble clef. Understanding how to play a B and C on the recorder and reading simple crotchet and quaver rhtyhms Music genre/ musicians: Baroque and classical music Monteverdi, Purcell,		Enquiry question: How can we play the recorder with control and accuracy to create an Enchanted Forest performance? Skill: Play three notes on the	Enquiry question: Can we create our own three note compositions and notate these Skill: increasing control of the instrument. Improvisation and composition

	Music genre/ musicians: Jazz, Glenn Miller, Ella Fitzgerald	songs			recorder and follow simple notation using crotchets and quavers and pitch notation for BAG n the recorder Music genre/ musicians: Popacatapetl song, Vivaldi	Music genre/ musicians:
MFL	Enquiry question: How can we greet people and introduce ourselves in Spanish?	Enquiry questions: How do we count from 1-10 in Spanish? How do we describe colours in Spanish? What are the similarities and differences between Spanish and English traditions?	Enquiry question: How do we count from 11-20 in Spanish? How do we describe our family in Spanish? What are the days of the week in Spanish?		Enquiry question: Can we retell the story of Little Red Riding Hood in Spanish?	
R.E.	Enquiry question: What do Hindus believe God is like? Key concepts: Brahman, atman, dharma	Enquiry question: What does it mean to be a Hindu in Britain today? Key concepts: Brahman, atman, dharma	Enquiry question: What do Christians learn from the Creation story? Key concepts: creation		Enquiry question: What is it like for someone to follow God? Key concepts: People of God	
	Gymnastics: How can jumping, rolling and balances be used in combination to create a sequence?	Gymnastics: How can partner work and apparatus be used to improve the aesthetic quality of sequences?	Hockey: How does a team maintain possession and move towards a goal in hockey?	OAA: Why is it important to include all team members and why is trust important?	Fitness: Why is it important to develop areas of health and fitness?	Athletics: How can challenges best be completed in running, throwing and jumping activities?
P.E.	Netball: How can a team maintain possession and move the ball towards a goal in netball? Swimming: How can floating and gliding in water improve swimming technique?	Netball: How can defensive skills stop the opposition from scoring? Swimming: How can floating and gliding in water improve swimming technique?	Golf: How can throwing skills be used to help accuracy in golfing stokes?	Basketball: What do the roles of attackers and defenders look like in basketball?	Rounders: How can throwing, catching and batting skills be developed for rounders?	Tennis: How can racquet control be used to strike a ball successfully and score points?

	Visitor: HSBC money workshop	Visitor: Hindu dance workshop	Superhero trail outdoors.	Visitor: Dog's Trust: safety	Visit: Geographical fieldwork in
Cultural				around dogs	local area to look at change over
capital:	Visitor: member of the	Visit: School Council voting — in		-	time.
visits, visitors	community to share wartime	the church for an experience of			Immersive Stone Age day, video
and	experiences and World War II	voting			making for Year 4 teachers.
experiences,	artefacts	Visit: Wolverhampton Grand			Visitor: PCSO's assembly on
including		Theatre panto trip			personal safety.
enterprise	Visit: School Council voting in the				F
and eco	church hall with ballot boxes.				
	Parent Reading sessions				
Parent	Parent reading and spelling				
workshops/	sessions				
engagement	Parent maths sessions				
engagement					