

Long term overview Year 3 and 4 2014-2015

	Autumn	Spring	Summer
SCIENCE	<p>Working Scientifically (Y3/4 unit)</p> <p>How far can you throw your shadow? Light (Y3 unit p65)</p>	<p>How could we cope without electricity for one day? (Y4 Electricity p86)</p> <p>Why is the sound that.... makes enjoyed by so many? (Y4 Sound p88)</p>	<p>What do rocks tell us about the way the Earth was formed? (Y3 Rocks p69)</p> <p>How would we survive without water? (Y4 States of matter p84)</p>
HISTORY	<p>Why were the Romans so powerful and what did we learn from them? (KS2 History – Roman Empire and impact on Britain p98)</p> <p>Were the Vikings always victorious and vicious? (KS2 History – Viking struggle for England p143)</p>	<p>Has Greece always been in the news? (KS2 History – study of Greek life p74)</p>	
GEOGRAPHY			<p>Why is the Severn so important? (KS2 Geography – settlements and land use p92)</p> <p>Why is Gloucestershire such a cool place to live? (KS2 Geography – name and locate counties and cities p95)</p>
ART	Roman mosaics (collage)	Drawing artefacts 3D - clay	Painting – sights of Gloucester city or Nature in Art
DT	Can you make a Viking longship?	Electrical and mechanical components – buzzer toys	Cooking – summer garden party
PE	Gymnastics – Balances and travels Games – Invasion Dance – Literacy theme	Dance – Cultural Games – Adventure games Gymnastics – Small apparatus	Gymnastics – Large apparatus Games – Rounders Swimming

	Athletics – Throwing and catching	Athletics - Jumping	Athletics – Running and relays Dance – Topic theme
RE	Harvest: Thinking about belonging to each other Main: How do religious families practise their faith and how does it influence their lives? Christmas: Journeys	Main: Who was Jesus and why do people follow him? Easter: Failure and forgiveness	Main: What do Hindus believe about God? How and why do Hindus worship at home and in the mandir?
PSHCE	Value: Compassion Peace SEAL: New Beginnings Say No To Bullying	Value: Justice Truthfulness SEAL: Going For Goals	Value: Forgiveness Humility SEAL: Changes
COMPUTING	3.1 We are programmers – Algorithms and Programs 3.2 We are Bug Fixers – Algorithms and Programs	3.3 We are presenters – Presentation Data Retrieving and Organisation 3.4 We are network engineers – Using the Internet	3.5 We are communicators – Communicating and Presentation 3.6 We are opinion pollsters – Databases and Using the Internet
MUSIC	Three Little Birds – Reggae Ho Ho Ho – Christmas, Big Band, Motown, Elvis, Freedom songs	Glockenspiel Stage 2 – basic instrumental skills and tunes Benjamin Britten: There Was a Monkey – Britten (Western Classical), Reggae, R&B	Let Your Spirit Fly – R&B, Michael Jackson, Western Classical, Musicals, Motown, Soul Reflect, Rewind and Replay – Western Classical
FRENCH	Bonjour! En Classe	Mon corps Les animaux	La famille Bon anniversaire!
FESTIVALS/ PSHE- Collective worship	-Eid, Divali, St Andrews Day (sch council- democracy, behave and anti-bullying, pastoral- responsibility, tolerance) Courage -Int Day of Tolerance, Remembrance, Christmas, Hanuka (Fireworks, E-Safety) Creativity	Chinese New Year, St Valentine’s Day, (anti-bullying, pastoral- forgiveness and responsibility) Friendship Lent, Easter, St David’s Day, St Patrick’s Day. (Medicine safety, e-safety) Hope	Passover, Hana Matsuri, (Sun safety, ant-bullying) Thankfulness St George’s Day, May Day, Pentacost, Ramadan (E-safety, pastoral- perseverance, responsibility) Trust

