



LKS2 Spring Cycle A	
Curriculum Subject	Activities and Learning Challenges
Literacy	<p><u>Writing</u> Writing will be mostly linked to the topic and the Knight in training by Vivian French and David Melling and Secrets of the Swords by Francis Watts focussing on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Continue to focus on sentence types and paragraphs. • Focus on editing and improving • Non-chronological report • Persuasive letter • Newspaper Report • Creative writing based on animations <p><u>SPAG</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Verbs • Adverbs • Word classes • Year 3/4 word list • Keywords • Dictation • Dictionary skills • Thesaurus skills <p><u>Reading</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Class story • Guided reading • Home library books • Individual reading- flying boot • Comprehension- Scholastic read and respond • Encouraging for reading for pleasure
Maths	<p><u>Year 3</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Number and place value • Mental addition and subtraction • Problem solving and reasoning • Fractions ration and percentages • Geometry - position and direction • Measurement – time

	<p><u>Year 4</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Number and place value • Written addition subtraction • Mental multiplication and division • Geometry- properties of shapes • Decimals, percentages and their equivalent fraction • Mental addition and subtraction • Problem solving, reasoning and algebra • Written multiplication and division
Science	<p><u>Forces and Magnets</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Acting forces • Magnetic attraction • Poles
ICT	<p><u>Block coding</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Unit 3a Sequence and animation (Year 3 Children) • In this unit pupils learn to make things happen in a sequence, creating simple animations and simulations • Unit 4a Introduction to variables In this unit pupils learn how computers use variables to count things and keep track of what is going on. Pupils learn to create simple games which use a score variable. • Purple Mash scheme of work activities
History	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Famous mountaineers research • Research based on historical natural disasters
Geography	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Locating world and UK mountain ranges using atlases and maps • Know the differences between mountains and hills • Mountain features and types • Mountain dangers
Art and Design	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Volcano paintings using pointillism technique • Hokusai – Mount Fuji water painting
Design and Technology	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Design an earthquake proof structure/ building • Collaborative volcano models
Physical Education	<p><u>Dance Formations in historical dance</u></p>
Religious Education	<p><u>Religious Beliefs</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What do people believe about God? • Understanding ho God created the world • The 10 commandments and their importance today <p><u>How do Jewish people express their beliefs in practice?</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Understanding Passover • Understanding what happens in the Shabbat

<p>Modern Foreign Language</p>	<p><u>French</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Colours • Days of the months and years <p>Oral conversations – formal and informal</p>
<p>PSHE</p>	<p><u>Health</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Healthy living • Medication awareness • When and where to go for medical help • Basic first aid for children <p><u>Citizenship</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What makes us a good citizen? • British Values • Developing relationships and respecting different people • Creating healthier and safer lifestyles • School Council