



Topic Step Right Up!
Year 1 – Autumn
Subject – English



Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6	Week 7	Week 8	Week 9	Week 10	Week 11	Week 12	Week 13	Week 14	Week 15
Labels, Lists and Captions			Narrative- 'Clifford at the Circus'			Non-Fiction- Circus Leaflets		Poetry- 'Firework Night' (Jane Considine Unit)			Narrative- 'Pinocchio'			

Enrichment
During this topic, the children will experience a circus workshop this provides the children with an opportunity to learn the skills involved with activities such as scarf juggling, diabolo and plate spinning



Topic Turrets & Tiaras
Year 1 – Spring
Subject – English



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Narrative- 'Sir Kit's Quest'				Poetry- 'The Dragon'	Non-Fiction- 'Toys from the Past' (Jane Considine Unit)			Narrative- 'The Perfect Prince'	

Enrichment
During this topic, the children spend a day at Warwick Castle.



Topic Yum, Yum!
Year 1 – Summer
Subject – English



Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6	Week 7	Week 8	Week 9	Week 10	Week 11	Week 12	Week 13	Week 14
Narrative- 'Handa's Surprise'					Narrative- 'Last Stop on Market Street' (Jane Considine Unit)					Non-Fiction- Instructions (Honey Biscuits)		Planning based on assessment needs	

Enrichment
During this topic, the children go strawberry picking; this gives them a working insight into where some of the produce used in their fruit salads comes from.



Topic Fire and Ice
Year 2 - Autumn
Subject – English



Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6	Week 7	Week 8	Week 9	Week 10	Week 11	Week 12	Week 13	Week 14	Week 15
Narrative- 'The Rainbow Bird'			Narrative- 'The Wild Girl'			Non-Fiction- Non-chronological reports		Non-Fiction- Diary 'The Great Fire of London' (Jane Considine Unit)				Poetry- 'Polar Animals' & planning based on assessment needs		

Enrichment

During this topic, children go on a visit to Aston Hall where they tour the hall; handle historical artefacts and complete drama and art activities based on the Great Fire of London. The fire brigade visits the children to discuss fire safety and how fire safety equipment has changed since the Great Fire of London.



Topic Into the Wild
Year 2- Spring
Subject – English



Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6	Week 7	Week 8	Week 9	Week 10
Narrative- 'Madagascar'		Non-Fiction- Advert for the Safari Park			Narrative- 'The Lion and the Mouse' (Jane Considine Unit) & 'The Leopard's Drum'				Non-Fiction- Recount

Enrichment

During this topic, the children will visit the safari park to see the animals learnt about in class in a real-life setting.



Topic Buckets and Spades
Year 2 - Summer
Subject – English



Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6	Week 7	Week 8	Week 9	Week 10	Week 11	Week 12	Week 13	Week 14
Narrative- 'The Lighthouse Keeper Books'					Non-Fiction- Play Scripts		Poetry- 'If I were in Charge of the World' (Jane Considine Unit)			Non-Fiction- Letters- Grace Darling			

Enrichment

During this topic, the children will visit a beach location to have first-hand experiences of some of the geographical and scientific features they have learnt about. They also spend time creating their own sand sculptures.



Topic Prehistoric Britain
Year 3 - Autumn
Subject – English



Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6	Week 7	Week 8	Week 9	Week 10	Week 11	Week 12	Week 13	Week 14	Week 15
Narrative- 'Stone Age Boy'			Non-Fiction- Letter Writing			Narrative- 'Little Nose'			Poetry- 'The Colour Collector' (Jane Considine Unit)			Non-Fiction- Explanation Texts		

Enrichment

During this topic, the children will take part in an interactive theatre in education piece that will enhance and further the children's understanding and enjoyment of their Stone Age study.



Topic James and the Giant Peach
Year 3 - Spring
Subject – English



Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6	Week 7	Week 8	Week 9	Week 10
Narrative- 'James and the Giant Peach'						Non-Fiction- Non-Chronological Reports (Skeletons and Bones) (Jane Considine Unit)			

Enrichment

During this topic, the children will go on a trip to Sheepwash Farm where they learn more about the animals live there and how crops are grown and harvested on the farm.



Topic Ancient Greeks
Year 3 - Summer
Subject – English



Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6	Week 7	Week 8	Week 9	Week 10	Week 11	Week 12	Week 13	Week 14
Narrative- 'Theseus and the Minotaur' (Jane Considine Unit)				Poetry- 'Greek Gods'		Non-Fiction- Ancient Greeks report		Narrative- Greek Myths and Legends			Non-Fiction- Play Scripts		

Enrichment During this topic, the children will plan and participate in a 'Living Museum' event which parents will be invited to at the end of the topic where they will show case aspects of life during Ancient Greek times.



Topic Roman Britain
Year 4 - Autumn
Subject – English



Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6	Week 7	Week 8	Week 9	Week 10	Week 11	Week 12	Week 13	Week 14	Week 15
Narrative- 'The Sewer Demon'				Narrative- 'Romulus and Remus'				Non-Fiction- Travel Brochure- Sicily (Jane Considine Unit)				Narrative- 'Escape from Pompeii'		

Enrichment

During this topic, the children will go on a visit to Lunt Roman Fort to see primary sources and learn more about the Roman Empire.



Topic Water
Year 4 - Spring
Subject – English



Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6	Week 7	Week 8	Week 9	Week 10
Narrative- 'The Water Horse' (Including non-fiction instruction writing within unit)				Poetry- 'The River' (Jane Considine Unit)			Narrative- 'The Gentle Giant'		

Enrichment

During this topic, the children will learn more about Bewdley, a local area that is prone to flooding. They will visit Bewdley Museum, located in the heart of the town it provides a fascinating insight into the history and development of the town and the lives of the people who live there.



Topic Rainforests
Year 4 - Summer
Subject – English



Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6	Week 7	Week 8	Week 9	Week 10	Week 11	Week 12	Week 13	Week 14
Narrative- 'The Great Kapok Tree' and 'The Shaman's Apprentice'					Non-Fiction- Debate		Non-Fiction- Persuasive Advert- An Alternative to Plastic Straws (Jane Considine Unit)			Poetry		Based on assessment needs	

Enrichment

During this topic, the children will plan and participate in a 'Living Museum' event which parents will be invited to at the end of the topic where they will show case aspects of life during Ancient Greek times.



Topic Blackheath and the Blitz

Year 5 - Autumn

Subject – English



Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6	Week 7	Week 8	Week 9	Week 10	Week 11	Week 12	Week 13	Week 14	Week 15
Narrative- 'Goodnight Mister Tom'			Non-Fiction- 'Non Chronological Report'			Narrative- Visual Literacy- 'The Piano'		Poetry- 'The Malfeasance' (Jane Considine Unit)				Non-Fiction- Diary/ autobiographical writing- Anne Frank		

Enrichment

During this topic, the children will go on a trip to RAF Cosford Museum to learn more about WW2 and the experience of being an evacuee.



Topic Space

Year 5 - Spring

Subject – English



Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6	Week 7	Week 8	Week 9	Week 10
Narrative- 'Apollo 13'			Non-Fiction- Newspaper Reports		Narrative- 'One Small Step' (Jane Considine Unit)			Non-Fiction- Biography	

Enrichment

During this topic, the children will go on a trip to the Space Centre in Leicester. As the UK's largest planetarium, it offers the children a first-hand experience of life under the stars.



Topic Shields, Swords and Settlers

Year 5- Summer

Subject – English



Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6	Week 7	Week 8	Week 9	Week 10	Week 11	Week 12	Week 13	Week 14
Narrative- Legend- 'Beowulf'						Non- Fiction- Explanation	Non-Fiction- Balanced Argument- Screen Use (Jane Considine Unit)			Non- Fiction- Recount	Planning based on assessment needs and/or narrative based on Staffordshire Hoard		

Enrichment

During this topic, the children will take part in a themed day at school, where a Saxon will visit. Through character acting, questioning and role-play, the workshop immerses children in Saxon life and enhances their understanding of the time period.



Topic Survival of the Fittest
Year 6 - Autumn
Subject – English



Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6	Week 7	Week 8	Week 9	Week 10	Week 11	Week 12	Week 13	Week 14	Week 15
Narrative- 'The Hunger Games' (Narrative and non-fiction writing outcomes)							Non- Fiction- Leaflet	Narrative Poem- 'The Moth' (Jane Considine Unit)				Narrative- Visual Literacy- 'The Lighthouse'		

Enrichment

During this topic, the children will take part in an outwards bounds activity day where problem solving in a variety of contexts is explored.



Topic Beyond the Great Wall
Year 6 - Spring
Subject – English



Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6	Week 7	Week 8	Week 9	Week 10
Narrative- 'Spilled Water' (Text to be confirmed)					Report- 'Everest' (Jane Considine Unit)			Non-Fiction- Journalistic Writing	

Enrichment

During this topic, the children will experience Chinese food and will make and eat their own Chinese banquet.



Topic The American Dream
Year 6 - Summer
Subject – English



Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6	Week 7	Week 8	Week 9	Week 10	Week 11	Week 12	Week 13	Week 14
Narrative- Visual Literacy- 'Wing It'					SATs	Narrative- 'Paperman' (Jane Considine Unit)				Non-Fiction- Scripts			

Enrichment

During this topic, Year 6's residential trip to Plas Gwynant takes place. This provides our children with the opportunity to develop their resilience, confidence & independence, to raise aspirations and become more environmentally aware whilst taking part in a number of specially designed outward-bound activities such as canoeing, rock climbing and gorge walking.

