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	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2			
English – Fiction	Fantasy Story – Tell me a Dragon Beowulf story Viking Vik Playscript	The Saga of Eric the Viking	Lost Happy Endings by Carol Ann Duffy The Tear Thief Story	Gorilla by Anthony Browne	The Fox and the Star	Bill's New Frock by Ann Fine: Stories with a twist; Licked by Paul Jennings			
English – Non- fiction	Basic Skills	Instructions Newspaper Report	Explanatory Report – The Power of Nature	Biographies Diaries	Diaries	Persuasive Writing			
Poetry		Poetry							
Speaking & Listening	Topic L2l Presentations	L2L Topic Presentations	L2L Drama News Report	L2L Topic Presentations	Fashion Show Commentary	Balanced Argument			
Maths	Following Curriculum 2014	Following Curriculum 2014	Following Curriculum 2014	Following Curriculum 2014	Following Curriculum 2014	Following Curriculum 2014			
Science (including STEM)	Animals and Humans – Skeletons & Digestive Systems	Electricity	States of Matter	Sound	Habitats	Working Scientifically			
Computing	Typing Skills	Scratch – Coding	Word Processing Data Handling	Presentations	Digital Storytelling (Sketchpad)	Presentations			
Topic	The Anglo Saxons	The Vikings	Natural Disasters	Space Race	Comparing Places	Britain since 1950			
History	The Anglo Saxons	The Vikings		Space Race		Britain since 1950			
Geography			Natural Disasters		Comparing Rio De Janeiro/Midlands/Reykjavik				
Design & Technology	Build an Anglo Saxon village	Make a longship	Construct a volcano						
Art & Design	Sketching Skills	Paint a Viking figure		Paint Comparison Landscapes	Cubism	Modern Art			
Music	Whole Class Ukulele Instruction Taught by the Derbyshire Music partnership								
French	Unit 7 Let's Go	Unit 8 Pocket Money	Unit 9 Tell Me a Story	Unit 10 Sport	Unit 11 Carnival of the Animals	Unit 12 What's the Weather Like?			

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PE	Outdoor & Adventurous Activities Fitness & Agility	Dance Hockey	Gymnastics Netball	Tennis Health & Fitness	Badminton Cricket	Athletics Rounders			
RE	What does it mean being a Christian in Britain today?	What does it mean being a Hindu in Britain today?	Why are festivals important to religious communities?	Why is Jesus inspiring to some people?	What can we learn from religions about what is right and wrong?	Why do some people think life is a journey?			
PSHE	Throughout the year, the children look at different aspects of Health and Wellbeing, Relationships and Living in the Wider World where they fit in best with other aspects of the Year 4 Curriculum.								
Passport Activities	Learn to play a musical instrument Visit a castle	Dress up		Create a piece of music Visit a museum	Be sponsored Visit a farm	Go to a zoo			
Visits				National Space Centre		Yorkshire Wildlife Park			
Visitors	Flat Stan – First Aid Derbyshire Music Partnership	Derbyshire Music Partnership	Derbyshire Music Partnership	Derbyshire Music Partnership	Derbyshire Music Partnership	Derbyshire Music Partnership			