

# Whitleigh Community Primary School Long Term Topic Plan 2023-2024

Year: 4



| Sc  | Autumn  | Spring  | Summer  |
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| Visits & visitors                           | Dartmoor zoo workshop- Science<br>History man<br>Woodland walk  | Visit to the coast<br>Incinerator trip-plastic pollution.   | River fieldwork   |
| Risk assessment where children are involved | Health and hygiene - food safety<br>Trips - travelling safely, road safety  | Trips - travelling safely, road safety<br>Safe use of electrical items  | Trips - travelling safely, road safety  |
| English Units                               | Poetry-I don't like Poetry-Joshua Siegal<br>Explanation texts- National parks.<br>Setting description- King Arthur by Sarah Courtauld & Natasha Kuricheva.<br>Norse Myths: Tales of Odin, Thor and Loki - write own myth. | Non-chronological report- How to train your dragon - Cressida Cowell<br>Flotsam - David Wiesner<br>Writing to inform- Plastic pollution | Kensuke's Kingdom by Michael Morpurgo- dialogue and diary.<br>Biography- Tudors   |
| Maths Units                                 | Number: Place Value<br>Number: Addition and Subtraction<br>Measure: Perimeter and Length<br>Number: Multiplication and Division   | Number: Multiplication and Division<br>Measurement: Area<br>Number: Fractions<br>Number: Decimals                                       | Measurement: Money<br>Measurement: Time<br>Measurement: Area<br>Statistics<br>Geometry: Properties of shape<br>Geometry: Position and direction     |
| Science Unit:                               | Living things and their habitats<br>Sound   | Electricity   | Animals including humans<br>States of Matter  |
| Computing                                   | E-safety.<br>Computing Systems and Networks - The Internet<br>Data and Information - Data Logging<br>Creating Media - Audio Production<br>Creating Media - Photo Editing  | E-safety.<br>Programming A- repetition in shapes  | E-safety.   |
| History                                     | Anglo Saxons  | Vikings   | Tudors  |
| Geography                                   | National Parks  | Rivers and coasts   | Fieldwork-rivers  |
| Art   | Bayeux Tapestry- printing on cloth.<br>Lino printing or screen printing.  | Textiles Viking inspired weavings   | Drawing- John J Audubon birds of America- links to Science and topic  |
| DT  | Food Technology- Healthy varied diet.<br>Design a healthy meal to meet dietary requirements of a knight.  | Electrical systems- How simple electrical circuits and components can be used to create functional products- design a torch.            | Mechanical systems such as levers and linkages or pneumatic systems to create movement. Pop up storybook with moving parts linked Topic and English |
| Music                                       |   | Taiko Drumming<br>Perform, Compose, Appraise  | Taiko Drumming<br>Playing as an ensemble  |

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| P.E           | Swimming<br>Gymnastics<br><br>Ball skills<br>Basketball             | Dance<br>Tag rugby<br><br>OAA<br>Tennis                     | Cricket<br>Athletics<br><br>Netball<br>Fundamentals |
| R.E           | What is 'Trinity?'<br>What do Hindus believe God is like?           | What does it mean to be Hindu in Britain today? Good Friday | The Pentecost Religious Celebrations                |
| PSHE          | Being me in My world<br>Celebrating differences                     | Dreams and Goals<br>Healthy Me                              | Relationships<br>Changing Me                        |
| MFL<br>French | Phonics 1-3<br><br>I am learning French<br><br>The Vegetables (ELT) | Colours and Numbers (ELT)<br><br>Presenting myself (ILT)    | Classroom (ILT)<br>What is the Weather? (ILT)       |
| Theme Week    | Citizenship week and anti-bullying week.                            | Health & Science  | Multicultural Art Week<br>Fair trade.               |