

Year 4 Curriculum Overview 2009-10

AUTUMN TERM 'Exploring Movement'	SPRING TERM 'Discovering India'	SUMMER TERM 'Living Together'
<p style="text-align: center;">Literacy</p> <p><i>'The Iron Man'</i> – Ted Hughes Classic Poetry - Ted Hughes Descriptive Writing Investigating narrative form Note-taking Explanation texts 'Father Christmas Letters' project Drafting and editing skills Handwriting</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Science</p> <p>Characteristics of Materials Forces and Friction Magnets and springs</p> <p style="text-align: center;">ICT</p> <p>Keyboard skills Podcasting Modelling effects on the screen</p> <p style="text-align: center;">History</p> <p>Ancient Greeks</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Art</p> <p>Talking textiles</p> <p style="text-align: center;">DT</p> <p>Moving storybooks – levers – linked to Iron Man</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Citizenship</p> <p>Taking part – developing skills of communication and participation</p> <p style="text-align: center;">RE</p> <p>How is the Christian faith expressed through worship? Christmas II – How can artists help us understand Christmas? Visit – Walton Baptist & St Mary's churches</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Dance / Gymnastics</p> <p>Gymnastics - Body Shape Dance - Ancient Greece - Olympics</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Games</p> <p>Invasion, Net and Wall Circuit Training</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Music</p> <p>Elements of the Orchestra Peter and the Wolf Making instruments</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Literacy</p> <p>Stories from different cultures Instruction texts Poetry in different forms Explanation Text</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Science</p> <p>Solids, Liquids & Gases Dissolving</p> <p style="text-align: center;">ICT</p> <p>Collecting and presenting information Images using repeating patterns</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Geography</p> <p>A Village in India – Chembakolli INDIA DAY</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Art</p> <p>Investigating patterns – Indian Art, Rangoli patterns</p> <p style="text-align: center;">DT</p> <p>Joining textile materials (waistcoats)</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Citizenship</p> <p>Children's rights – human rights</p> <p style="text-align: center;">RE</p> <p>What does it mean to be a Hindu? Gods, festivals, imagery Easter II – How do Christians celebrate Easter around the world?</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Dance / Gymnastics</p> <p>Freezing and Melting</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Music</p> <p>Music influenced by Literature Indian music and instruments Patterns in music / rhythms</p> <p style="text-align: center;">French</p> <p>Petit Pont Inhabitants and places in the village</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Literacy</p> <p>'Diary of a Killer Cat' - Anne Fine Stories by the same author Features of play-scripts – 'Bills New Frock' Diary writing Features of newspapers Report writing Classic Poetry Persuasive writing 'Beowulf'</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Science</p> <p>Teeth and Eating Keeping Healthy Keeping Warm</p> <p style="text-align: center;">ICT</p> <p>Writing for different audiences Using branching databases</p> <p style="text-align: center;">History & Geography</p> <p>Invaders and Settlers Hooke Court Residential Trip</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Art</p> <p>Portraying relationships - Portraits which depict families & relationships</p> <p style="text-align: center;">DT</p> <p>Packaging DT day at Heathside School</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Citizenship</p> <p>People who help us – local police</p> <p style="text-align: center;">RE</p> <p>Why is the bible important? Old and New Testaments</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Dance / Gymnastics</p> <p>Roman Dance</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Music</p> <p>Exploring descriptive sound and sound colours Computer music</p> <p style="text-align: center;">French</p> <p>Petit Pont School</p>

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<p>Percussion (Iron Man) Christmas songs and Production</p> <p>French Petit Pont Members of the family</p>		
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