

Giles Brook Primary School
Long Term Planning Overview

Year Four - Unit One

Literacy	Narrative, plays and scripts	Non-fiction
	UNIT 1 Stories with historical settings (3 weeks)	UNIT 3 Explanation (2-3 weeks)
Science	Moving and growing Reasoned predictions, making and recording observations	
History	Why did Henry VIII marry six times?	
Geography	Connecting ourselves to the World (continuous)	
Art	Henry VIII portraits Take a seat - focus on use of sketchbooks and collections of ideas. Sketching, painting and making a chair for a certain person - with a reason. Use of card, straws, tubes - make and evaluate -sculpture RENNIE MACKINTOSH modern chairs VAN GOGH chair	
I.C.T.	Writing for different audiences - fiction	
Music	Aspects of Play it again (Music Express) inc. Wider Opportunity guitar teaching <i>or</i> Animal Magic (Music Express) with Recorders	
R.E.	Christianity - Celebrating Jesus' life Symbols of colour - light and dark. Colours in the Church Year	
P.S.H.E./Citizenship	Choices -what decisions do I make, what influences these Debate for and against scenarios, food choices and healthy lifestyles	
MFL - French		
P.E.	<u>Gymnastics</u> - balance and receiving body weight <u>Dance</u> - Tudor Dance <i>or</i> <u>Games</u> - Invasion Games Unit 2 based on Football/Tag Rugby and/or Hockey and Basketball/Netball	

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Year Four - Unit Two

Literacy	Narrative, plays and scripts	Narrative, plays and scripts
	UNIT 2 Stories set in imaginary worlds (4 weeks)	UNIT 5 Plays (2 weeks of 2-3 weeks)
Science	Circuits and conductors What happens if? (questioning), verbal analysis of result	
History	What were the differences between the lives of rich and poor people in Tudor times?	
Geography	Connecting ourselves to the world	
D.T.	Alarms	
I.C.T.	Developing images using repeating patterns Use of research - encyclopaedias on CD	
Music	Aspects of Play it again (Music Express) inc. Wider Opportunity guitar teaching <i>or</i> Animal Magic (Music Express) with Recorders	
R.E.	Christianity - Celebrating Jesus' life. The structure of the Church Year - celebrating key events - Harvest and Christmas	
P.S.H.E./Citizenship	Relationships People who are important, making people feel good, managing feelings	
MFL - French		
P.E.	<u>Gymnastics</u> - balance and receiving body weight <u>Dance</u> - Tudor Dance <i>or</i> <u>Games</u> - Invasion Games Unit 2 based on Football/Tag Rugby and/or Hockey and Basketball/Netball	

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Year Four - Unit Three

Literacy	Non-fiction	Poetry
	UNIT 1 Recounts: newspapers/magazines (4 weeks)	UNIT 1 Creating images (2 weeks)
Science	Keeping warm - thermal insulators Reasoned predictions, fair testing	
Geography	Village settlers Geography and numbers	
Art	Viewpoints - photography, animation and developing ideas through block printing/over printing/clay tile faces	
I.C.T.	Writing for different audiences - newspapers	
Music	Aspects of The class orchestra - exploring arrangements inc. Wider Opportunity guitar teaching <i>or</i> Dragon scales - exploring pentatonic scales - multicultural focus with Recorders	
R.E.	Hinduism - Hindu understanding of God, worship at home and in the Mandir and sacred writings	
P.S.H.E./Citizenship	Taking part - peer pressure Skills of communication and participation Opinions, body language, giving and receiving constructive feedback	
MFL - French		
P.E.	<u>Gymnastics</u> - Travel and change direction/ building a sequence <u>Dance</u> - Electricity x 3 Wimbledon x 3 <i>or</i> <u>Games</u> -Net and Wall Games Unit 1 based on Tennis, badminton and Volleyball	

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Literacy	Non-fiction	Narrative, plays and scripts
	UNIT 2 Information texts (3-4 weeks)	UNIT 4 Stories which raise issues/dilemmas (4 weeks)
Science	Friction Fair testing, recording results in chart, graphical form	
History	What can we find out about ancient Egypt from what has survived? Analysis of artefacts, observation, inference and deduction Egyptian day	
Geography	Geography and numbers	
D.T.	Pop up books/Storybooks- relate to non-fiction project. Addition of levers and pop out mechanisms for interest - continue next half term	
I.C.T.	Modelling effects on screen - rotation and angles, screen turtles	
Music	Aspects of The class orchestra - exploring arrangements inc. Wider Opportunity guitar teaching <i>or</i> Dragon scales - exploring pentatonic scales - multicultural focus with Recorders	
R.E.	Christianity - Celebrating Jesus' life Stories linked with celebrations	
P.S.H.E./Citizenship	Personal Safety - personal safety (computers), environmental safety, safety in the home-making informed choices. Medicines and drugs	
MFL - French		
P.E.	<u>Gymnastics</u> - Travel and change direction/ building a sequence <u>Dance</u> - Electricity x 3 Wimbledon x 3 <i>or</i> <u>Games</u> -Net and Wall Games Unit 1 based on Tennis, badminton and Volleyball	

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Year Four - Unit Five

Literacy	Non-fiction	Poetry
	UNIT 4 Persuasive texts (4 weeks)	UNIT 2 Exploring form (2 weeks)
Science	Solids, liquids and Gases - how they can be separated? Reasoned predictions, fair testing, results, conclusions	
Geography	Improving the environment- link to literacy - letters to the council	
Art	Journeys - images representing a dream journey. Focus on collage techniques, sponge printing, back washes. Use I.C.T images PAUL KLEE, RICHARD LONG Link to Geography	
I.C.T.	Branching data bases - link to devising one for solids and liquids	
Music	Aspects of Salt, pepper, vinegar ,mustard - exploring singing games inc. Wider Opportunity guitar teaching <i>or</i> 'Cats' Musical -Performance Scheme with Recorders	
R.E.	Hinduism - stories from sacred texts. Story of Divali and celebration. Story of Ganesh POSS VISIT TO MANDIR	
P.S.H.E./Citizenship	Animals and us - global awareness - threat of extinction/poaching/animal parks and breeding programmes. Conservation versus wild	
MFL - French		
P.E.	<u>Swimming</u> (10 weeks) <u>Dance</u> - Country/traditional dancing <i>or</i> <u>Games</u> -Striking and Fielding Unit 1 based on Cricket and Rounders and <u>Athletics</u> Unit 2	

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Year Four - Unit Six

Literacy	Narrative, plays and scripts	Narrative, plays and scripts
	UNIT 3 Stories from other cultures (3 weeks)	UNIT 5 Plays (2 weeks of 2-3 weeks)
Science	Habitats Reliable observations, valid predictions, fair testing	
Geography	A village in India	
Art	Indian patterns inspired by saris and fabric design (2 weeks)	
D.T.	Money containers (textiles) - poss. relate to Indian design and fabric - complete in Unit 6 after preliminary art work on fabric design	
I.C.T.	Collecting and presenting information: pie charts and questionnaires	
Music	Aspects of Salt, pepper, vinegar ,mustard - exploring singing games inc. Wider Opportunity guitar teaching <i>or</i> 'Cats' Musical -Performance Scheme with Recorders	
R.E.	Hinduism - How and why do Hindus worship at home and in the Mandir? Hindu responses to the environment Awe and wonder - experiences	
P.S.H.E./Citizenship	Living in a diverse world -recognising and celebrating cultural diff. Links to India work in Geog.	
MFL - French		
P.E.	<u>Swimming</u> (10 weeks) <u>Dance</u> - Country/traditional dancing <i>or</i> <u>Games</u> -Striking and Fielding Unit 1 based on Cricket and Rounders and Athletics Unit 2	