




		Autumn Term		Spring Term		Summer Term	
<div>Writing Topics</div> 	Cycle A	Ancient Greece		Stone Age		Blue Planet	
		<b>Writing to Inform</b> Non-chronological report Information booklet Documentary script Letters	<b>Writing to Entertain</b> Setting and character descriptions Adventure stories Dairy entries Myths	<b>Writing to Inform</b> Instructions Non-chronological report Documentary script Newspaper report	<b>Writing to Entertain</b> Retelling narratives Historical stories Letters Comic strip	<b>Writing to Persuade</b> Letters Speeches Holiday brochures	<b>Writing to Entertain</b> Setting and character descriptions Adventures stories Poetry
		<b>Key Texts</b> Who Let the Gods Out?	<b>Key Texts</b> The Adventures of Robin Hood Theseus and the Minotaur	<b>Key Texts</b> How to Wash a Woolly Mammoth Stig of the Dump	<b>Key Texts</b> Stone Age Boy Ug Stig of the Dump	<b>Key Texts</b> One Plastic Bag Kensuke's Kingdom	<b>Key Texts</b> Flotsam Kensuke's Kingdom
		Egyptians		Romans		Rainforests	
	Cycle B	<b>Writing to Inform</b> Instructions Newspaper report Podcast script Biography	<b>Writing to Entertain</b> Character description Diary entries Narratives Setting description Poetry	<b>Writing to Inform</b> Non-chronological report Documentary Instructions Biography Letters	<b>Writing to Entertain</b> Descriptive recount Performance poetry Narrative Diary entries Narrative retelling	<b>Writing to Persuade</b> Persuasive letter Holiday brochure Charity advert Postcard	<b>Writing to Entertain</b> Character description Setting description Letters Stories with a tragedy Rainforest poetry
		<b>Key Texts</b> The Ancient Egypt Sleepover Leila and the City of the Cat Goddess	<b>Key Texts</b> The Egyptian Cinderella The Scarab's Secret Melvyn the Mummy	<b>Key Texts</b> The Firework-Maker's Daughter Romans on the Rampage	<b>Key Texts</b> Escape from Pompeii Romulus and Remus The Journal of Iliona	<b>Key Texts</b> Running Wild Blue Planet II for Young Wildlife Lovers	<b>Key Texts</b> Journey to the River Sea The Explorer
Spelling		Spell <b>some</b> of the Year 3/4 spelling words correctly Add prefixes and suffixes to root words Distinguish between homophones and near-homophones and spell <b>some</b> correctly Use a dictionary to check the spelling of uncommon or ambitious words Follow progression of "Spelling Shed" Spelling Scheme 					
SPaG 		<b>Punctuation</b> Capital letters and full stops Commas in a list Question marks and exclamation marks <b>Sentence Structure</b> Different sentence types (statement, question, exclamation, command) <b>Text Structure</b> Paragraphs to group related materials Headings and sub-headings	<b>Punctuation</b> Inverted commas for direct speech Apostrophes for contractions <b>Sentence Structure</b> Co-ordinating conjunctions Subordinating conjunctions <b>Word Work:</b> Word families Using a dictionary	<b>Punctuation</b> Commas for expanded noun phrases Apostrophes for singular possession <b>Sentence Structure</b> Expanded noun phrases <b>Word Work</b> Use of the form 'a' or 'an' <b>Text Structure</b> Appropriate use of pronouns	<b>Punctuation</b> Possessive apostrophes for plural possession <b>Word Work</b> Standard English Grammatical difference between plural and possessive -s	<b>Punctuation</b> Commas to separate clauses <b>Sentence Structure</b> Extending sentences using a wider range of co-ordinating and subordinating conjunctions Adverbials <b>Text Structure</b> Perfect form of verbs	Consolidation and revision
Cross-curricular Links	Cycle A	<b>Drama</b> - documentary green screen	<b>History</b> - Greek myths	<b>History</b> - Stone Age <b>Drama</b> - documentary <b>History</b> - Skara Brae	<b>History</b> - historical stories - Stone Age	<b>Geography</b> - Human effects of plastic pollution on the planet	
	Cycle B	<b>History</b> - Ancient Egyptians	<b>Science</b> - Scarab beetle - habitat and diet	<b>History</b> - Roman empire	<b>Geography</b> - Mount Vesuvius	<b>Geography</b> - Holiday brochure - where in the World?	<b>Geography</b> - Amazon rainforest - physical features

