Broughton Primary School Topic Overview – Cycle A (Badgers)

Drivers: Literature, Outdoor, Rights, Head Space, Real Life Learner

Term		Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Topic Title		Ancient Greece	Victorians	Local Area and Rio De Janeiro	Tudors	Earth and Space	Volcanoes and Earthquakes
Hook		Ancient Greek archaeological dig and meze feast	'Day in the life' – Victorian Day	Where am I?	Left luggage mystery	Fruit solar system	What damage has been caused?
Outcome		Art exhibition – Greek vases	Victorian invention	Tourism expert	Tudor banquet	Creating an eggnaut	Debate
Drivers	Literature	Wind in the Willows	Oliver Twist	Shakespeare	Charlotte's Web	War Horse	War Horse
	Outdoor	History link – archaeological dig, Greek architecture, Sports – the Olympics, Greek coins and Greek alphabet	History link – Victorian toys, playground games, decoupage craft, Christmas tree craft and traditions Outdoor learning day	Science link – water resistance Geography link - drawing maps, cleaning dirty water, rainforest habitat dioramas and pineapple/bromeliad	History link - comparing and contrasting houses, Tudor banquet, top trumps cards (Henry VIII) Outdoor learning day	Ecowarrior project – creating bug hotels and bee seed balls Science link – simulating gravity	Ecowarrior project - bird and butterfly feeders and plastic bottle plants
	RRR	Articles of the week	Articles of the week / Outright	Outright	Articles of the week	Articles of the week	Articles of the week
	Head space	Managing conflict	The world of work	Taking responsibility for my own safety	Changing relationships	Rights, respect and responsibilities and the law	Transition to managing change
	Real life learner	Environment, sewing, first aid, instruction writing, careers, redecorating	Fair trade, wrapping a present, first aid, money, school newspaper report		Moving mouth puppets (extended DT project)	Science link - Tim Peake challenge – look at his last focus/seeds/exercise, plant growth, extremes of temperatures, food for spaceflight, phases of the moon, solar	Art link – singing bones

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Enquiry Question		**What did the Ancient Greeks do for the western world?**	**How is school life different compared to the Victorian era?**	**Is Rio de Janeiro is a world away from south west Hampshire?**	**What was life like in Tudor England?**	**Is our planet unique?**	**Are volcanoes more dangerous than earthquakes?**
Purpose for writing		**Balanced argument between Athens and Sparta**	**Diary entry of a Victorian school child**	**Information leaflet – the tourism of Brazil**	**Henry VIII memoirs**	**Non-chronological report about a planet**	**Diary entry**
Guided Reading		**Letters from the Lighthouse by Emma Carroll**	**Hacker by Malorie Blackman**	**Holes by Louis Sachar**	**The Queen's Fool by Ally Sherrick**	**The Jamie Drake Equation by Christopher Edge**	**The Firework Maker's Daughter by Philip Pullman**
Science		**Evolution and Natural Selection**	**Evolution and Natural Selection**	**Forces that oppose motion**	**Light**	**Space and Gravity**	
History		**Ancient Greece**	**Victorians**		**Tudors**	**Key dates in history e.g. Apollo 11 mission of 1969**	
Geography				**Local Area and Rio De Janeiro**			**Volcanoes and Earthquakes**
Art		**Collage: Paper masks in response to Greek designs**	**Mixed media: Pastel picture of Victorian workhouse**	**(HIAS Unit) Artist Study: South America: The Work of Artist Beatrix Milhazes**	**Painting: Painting fine detail with Tudors (Henry VIII wives)**	**Artist Study: Van Gogh**	**(HIAS Unit) Sculpture: Sculptural Journeys – Shaun Tan**
DT			**Structures – moving toys and cam (Victorian toys)**		**Structures - Tudor house** **Textiles – moving mouth puppets in curriculum drivers (real life learner)**		**Mechanisms – make a space buggy**
RE		**Christian Miracle Stories about Jesus**	**Christmas: The Magi and their gifts**	**Creation (Stewardship)**	**Passover and Moses (Freedom)**	**How do people perceive God? (Interpretation)**	**Enlightenment (Wesak)**
PSHE		**Me and My Relationships (5)**	**Valuing Difference (5)**	**Keeping Safe (5)**	**Rights and Respect (5)**	**Being my Best (5)**	**Growing and Changing (5)**

MFL						
Computing	**(Kapow) Online safety**	**(Kapow) Micro:bit**	**(Kapow) Stop motion animation**	**(Kapow) Search engines**	**(Kapow) Mars Rover – Data transfer and binary code**	**(Kapow) Mars Rover – 3D design skills**
Music	**(Kapow) Film music**	**(Kapow) Advanced music**	**(Kapow) Blues**	**(Kapow) Musical theatre**	**(Music Express) Journey into Space**	**(Kapow) Composing a leavers' song**
PE	**Dance Football**	**Gymnastics Tag Rugby**	**Dance Hockey**	**Gymnastics Netball**	**Dance Tennis**	**Gymnastics Rounders/Cricket**
Visits/ Visitors	**Visitor from Ufton Court**	**Andover Workhouse**			**Winchester Science Centre**	

Key Texts for Ancient Greece – Who Let the Gods Out?, Beasts of Olympus: Beast Keeper, The Girl of Ink and Stars and Percy Jackson

Key Texts for Earth and Space – The Jamie Drake Equation, The Lost Thing, The Skies Above My Eyes, The War of the Worlds