

Autumn Term Year 4														
Week beginning	4.09.23	11.09.23	18.09.23	25.09.23	2.10.23	9.10.23	16.10.23	30.10.23	6.11.23	13.11.23	20.11.23	27.11.23	4.12.23	11.12.23
Genre	Whole School Focus		Back to Basics			Texts structured in different ways: non chronological report				Texts structured in different ways: persuasive speech				
Text used						Stories from other culture: Escape from Pompeii				Boudica: Queen of Darkness				
Punctuation and Grammar			Noun Verb Subject Verb/subject Single clause sentences Co-ordinating conjunctions			Grammar: present perfect tense, subordinating conjunctions, co-ordinating conjunctions, expanded noun phrase, subheadings, tense switch (if applicable), rhetorical questions Punctuation: commas for a list, apostrophes for possession, commas after fronted adverbials (Y4), commas for clauses (Y4), question marks				Grammar: rhetorical questions, list of three, subordinating conjunctions, co-ordinating conjunctions, expanded noun phrases, facts and statistics, opinions (can be expert), exaggerated language, emotive language (if applicable), deals and bargains (if applicable), commands, the more, the more, repetition Punctuation: commas in a list, commas for fronted adverbials (Y4), commas for clauses (Y4), commas in a list, quotation marks, exclamation marks				
Author of the term	Jeremy Strong							Caroline Lawrence						
Whole class reader	Books by Jeremy Strong Traditional stories: The Pied Piper of Hamelin Picture books from the 100 best books for Year 4 Picture books from Penguin Diversity collection Non-fiction related to foundation Newspaper/online articles Poems							Boudica: Queen of Darkness Marcus Rashford Books by Caroline Lawrence Traditional stories: The Tortoise and the Hare Picture books from the 100 best books for Year 4 Non-fiction related to foundation Newspaper/online articles Poems						
Guided Reading Text	Theme: Rain Before Rainbows	Theme: Roald Dahl – 12 th September is Dahl Day!	Theme: Deaf Awareness – 19 th -25 th September is International Week of Deaf People.	Theme: Poetry – 6 th October is National Poetry Day.	Theme: Black History Month – Female Figures.	Theme: Black History Month – Space Scientists	Theme: Black History Month - Windrush	Theme: Halloween.	Theme: Bonfire Night.	Theme: Remembrance.	Theme: Awesome Men – 19 th November is International Men's Day.	Theme: Favourite Authors – Andy Stanton.	Theme: Time Travel – 8 th December is Pretend to be a Time Traveller Day.	Theme: Christmas.
Poetry	Poetic Forms							Nature						
Spring Term Year 4														
Week beginning	1.01.24	8.01.24	15.01.24	22.01.24	29.01.24	5.02.24	19.02.24	26.02.24	4.03.24	11.03.24	18.03.24	25.03.24		
Genre	Newspaper Report						Stories from other culture: Narrative- focus on setting			Whole School Focus	Stories from other culture: Narrative- focus on setting			
Text used	Shackleton's Journey						Varjak Paw				Varjak Paw			
Punctuation and Grammar	Grammar: past tense, adverbials of place, adverbials of time, subordinating conjunctions, co-ordinating conjunctions, expanded noun phrases, past tense, quotations, adverbials of time, adverbials of place, pictures and captions						Grammar: rhetorical questions, adverbials of place, adverbials of time, subordinating conjunctions, participial phrases, participial adjectives, expanded noun phrases, adverbials of place, adverbials of manner (including similes), co-ordinating conjunctions, rhetorical questions, short sentences for effect, ellipses (Y4), short sentences for effect							

	Punctuation: quotation marks, commas for clauses, commas for fronted adverbials (Y4)					Punctuation: commas for fronted adverbials (Y4), question marks							
Author of the term	William Grill					S F Said							
Whole Class Reader	Survivors by David Long Race to the Frozen North by Catherine Johnson Books by William Grill Picture books from the 100 best books for Year 4 Picture books from Penguin Diversity collection Non-fiction related to foundation Newspaper/online articles Poems					Books by S F Said Picture books from the 100 best books for Year 4 Picture books from Penguin Diversity collection Non-fiction related to foundation Newspaper/online articles Poems							
Poetry	Concrete Poems					Older Poems							
Summer Term Year 4													
Week beginning	15.04.24	22.04.24	29.04.24	6.05.24	13.05.24	20.05.24	3.06.24	10.06.24	17.06.24	24.06.24	1.07.24	8.07.24	15.07.24
Genre	Myths and Legends: Narrative- focus on character				Texts structured in different ways: Persuasive travel guide				Texts structured in different ways: Diary Entries				
Text used	Beowulf				Graphic Novel: Arthur and the Golden Rope				Anglo Saxon Boy				
Punctuation and Grammar	Grammar: rhetorical questions, adverbials of place, adverbials of time, expanded noun phrases, co-ordinating conjunctions, participial phrases, participial adjectives, expanded noun phrases, adverbials of place, adverbials of manner (including similes), subordinating conjunctions, short sentences for effect, rhetorical questions, relative clauses (Y4) Punctuation: commas for fronted adverbials (Y4), question marks				Grammar: rhetorical questions, list of three, subordinating conjunctions, co-ordinating conjunctions, expanded noun phrases, facts and statistics, opinions (can be expert), exaggerated language, emotive language (if applicable), deals and bargains (if applicable), commands, the more, the more, repetition Punctuation: commas in a list, commas for fronted adverbials (Y4), commas for clauses (Y4), commas in a list, quotation marks, exclamation marks				Grammar: date, salutation, past tense, chronological order, first person, facts and opinions, rhetorical questions, adverbials of time, adverbials of place, co-ordinating conjunctions, subordinating conjunctions, expanded noun phrases Punctuation: commas for fronted adverbials (Y4), commas for clauses (Y4), apostrophes for omission, apostrophes for possession				
Author of the term	Vashti Hardy					Tony Bradman							
Whole Class Reader	Books by Vashti Hardy Picture books from the 100 best books for Year 4 Picture books from Penguin Diversity collection Non-fiction related to foundation Newspaper/online articles Poems					Charlotte's Web by E B White Books by Tony Bradman Picture books from the 100 best books for Year 4 Picture books from Penguin Diversity collection Non-fiction related to foundation Newspaper/online articles Poems							

Poetry

Poems of Place

Performance Poetry