



Hamstel Junior School

Year 4 Year Plan

2023

2024

Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Theme Title					
<i>The Iron Man</i>	<i>The Romans</i>	<i>There's No Place Like Home</i>	<i>On a Journey</i>	<i>The Vikings</i>	<i>Rivers</i>
Core Text					
<i>The Iron Man</i> by Ted Hughes	<i>The Queen of Darkness</i> by Tony Bradman	<i>The Minpins</i> by Roald Dahl	<i>Journey to Jo'Burg</i> by Beverley Naidoo	<i>Beowulf</i> by Michael Morpurgo	<i>The Morning I Met a Whale</i> by Michael Morpurgo
Experiences (including visits/visitors)					
	<i>Roman Day – feast themed</i>	<i>Billy's Band</i> Star author visit	<i>Easter production</i>		<i>Thames River Workshop</i> Trip to Old Leigh
Learning Outside of the Classroom					
	<i>Roman re-enactment</i>				<i>Trip to the beach</i>
English					
<i>Suspense - fiction</i> <i>Contrasting recounts – non-fiction</i>	<i>Quest story/</i> <i>characterisation – fiction</i> <i>Explanation – non-fiction</i>	<i>Warning story - setting –</i> <i>fiction</i> <i>Information – non-fiction</i>	<i>Opening and endings – fiction</i> <i>Dialogue – fiction</i> <i>Instructions – non-fiction</i>	<i>Beating the Monster</i> <i>Description – fiction</i> <i>Persuasion – non-fiction</i>	<i>Wishing Tale</i> <i>Dialogue – fiction</i> <i>Discussion – non-fiction</i>
Maths					
<i>Place Value</i> <i>Addition and Subtraction</i>	<i>Addition and Subtraction</i> <i>Multiplication and Division</i>	<i>Multiplication and Division</i> <i>Graphs</i> <i>Fractions</i>	<i>Time</i> <i>Decimals</i> <i>Money</i>	<i>Length, Mass and Volume</i> <i>Area and Perimeter</i> <i>Geometry</i>	<i>Geometry</i> <i>Position and Movement</i> <i>Roman Numerals</i> <i>End of year project</i>
Science					
<i>Electricity</i>	<i>Animals Including Humans</i>	<i>Living Things and Their</i> <i>Habitats</i>	<i>Working Scientifically –</i> <i>Science Week</i>	<i>Sound</i>	<i>States of Matter</i>
Art and Design					
<i>Chalk</i> <i>Water colours</i> <i>Sketching - Iron Man</i>	<i>Shield Design</i>	<i>Collagraphs (printing) –</i> <i>Minpins books</i>			<i>Water themed collage</i>



Computing					
<i>Computing systems and networks – the internet</i>	<i>Creating media – photo editing</i>	<i>Creating media – audio editing</i>	<i>Programming– repetition in shapes</i>	<i>Programming - repetition in games</i>	<i>Data and information – data logging</i>
Design Technology					
	<i>Cooking</i>		<i>Easter ‘pop up’ cards</i>		<i>Making purses</i>
French					
<i>Je me presente Presenting myself</i>	<i>Au Café At the café</i>	<i>As-Tu Un Animaux? Do you have a pet?</i>	<i>Chez Moi My home</i>	<i>En Classe In class</i>	<i>Quel Temps Fais-il? What is the weather?</i>
Geography					
<i>Map skills OS maps</i>		<i>Choosing a place to settle – different types of settlements</i>	<i>People living in different environments Similarities and differences between places – South Africa</i>		<i>Rivers</i>
History					
	<i>The Romans and the Celts</i>			<i>The Vikings</i>	
Music					
<i>Percussion</i>	<i>Glockenspiel</i>	<i>Production - singing</i>	<i>Production - singing</i>	<i>Glockenspiel</i>	<i>Ukulele</i>
PE (indoor)					
<i>Swimming</i>	<i>Indoor athletics Swimming</i>	<i>Basketball Swimming</i>	<i>Dance</i>	<i>Table Tennis</i>	<i>Gymnastics</i>
PE (outdoor)					
<i>Problem Solving Cross Country Hockey</i>	<i>Hockey</i>		<i>Netball</i>	<i>Outdoor Athletics</i>	<i>Cricket</i>
PSHE & RSE					
<i>Transition</i>	<i>Anti-bullying</i>	<i>Managing Risk</i>	<i>Facing Fears - Production</i>	<i>First Aid</i>	<i>Relationships and Health (Yasmine and Tom)</i>

Religious Education

What is worship?

Festivals

The journey of life

What makes a book holy?

Right vs wrong

*Looking for religion in our
community*