

Hippopotamus Class Curriculum Overview

Autumn 2019

Places

Week	English	Maths	Science	K & U	Art / DT / Music	ICT / Comp	PSHE	H/W
09/09	Myths & Legends Greek Myths – what are they? Perseus and Medusa	Time – number of hours in a day/ days in a week/ days in a year/ weeks in a year	What are the seasons? What changes occur? Order of seasons	Our local area – looking at different types of buildings etc.	The Four Seasons – music & art	Drawing in 3D - Sketchup	Financial planning/paper work e,g, bills & statements	English
16/09	Greek Myths – Theseus and the Minotaur	Time - Telling the time in five minute intervals	Why seasons happen – Earth's orbit	Compass points and map symbols	Four Seasons - Summer	Drawing in 3D - Sketchup	Saving and borrowing	Science
23/09	Greek Myths – Designing characters and planning a mythical story	Place value - ones, hundreds, thousands and decimals	Phases of the moon	How to get to school – map the route from Ind' locations; use basic directions – be the Sat Nav	Four Seasons - Autumn	Drawing in 3D - Sketchup	Advertising, media pressure	Maths
30/09	Greek Myths – Acting a myth	Rounding – rounding to nearest 10, 100 and 1000	Measuring shadows and making a sundial	Rugby world cup – world map, locate all the countries, How far? How	Four Seasons - Winter	Drawing in 3D - Sketchup	Financial decisions, choices, shopping around	K & U

				will they get there?				
07/09	Norse Myths: Thor's Missing Hammer	Rounding – rounding to nearest decimal place	Other planets in our solar system	Japanese culture/ geography	The Dot	Drawing in 3D - Sketchup	Finance products; interest rates; types of accounts; insurance etc.	English
14/10	Myths: Gods – identifying different mythical gods	Shapes: properties of 2D shapes	Space travel	Japanese history	The Dot	Drawing in 3D - Sketchup	Fraud & Identity theft	Maths
21/10	Myths: Writing a complete mythical story	Shapes: properties of 3D shapes	Overview of the Earth, Sun and Moon	Diwali	The Dot	Drawing in 3D - Sketchup	Risk & Reward (incl. gambling)	Science
HALF TERM								
04/11	Folk Tales Baba Yaga – description of characters	Fractions	Electricity Exciting electricity	Gunpowder plot history	Fireworks art	Movie project	Types of insurance	K & U
11/11	Baba Yaga – forest description	Addition and subtraction	Electrical appliances	Stevenage museum? Poss visit	The Dot	Movie project	Work and economic well-being	English
18/11	Baba Yaga – impossible tasks	Measurement - length	Electrical circuits	What did the Romans do for us? St. Albans, Verulam Museum, important roads	The Dot	Movie project	Personal finance & public spending (tax/council tax)	Maths

25/11	Baba Yaga – poems	Measurement - weight	Conductors and insulators	Local area f/w –housing, building, built land etc.	The Dot	Movie project	Investing in my future (savings and investments, pensions etc)	Science
02/12	Create a ‘choose your own adventure’ story using PowerPoint	Measurement - capacity	Splendid switches	Hanukkah		Movie project		K & U
09/12	Choose your own adventure story	Multiples and factors	Investigating switches	Christian story of Christmas	Christmas songs	Movie project		English
16/12	Review favourite Xmas film/story	Angles	Unit review/quiz	: Termly review/quiz	Christmas cards	Movie project		