



**Overview of Curriculum Topics – Year 7 Enhanced Provision 2023-24**

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
<b>TOPIC Focus</b>	<b>Islam</b>	<b>Anglo-Saxons and Normans</b>	<b>COASTS</b>	<b>Christianity</b>	<b>AFRICA</b>	<b>The Reformation</b>
<b>ENGLISH Writing Focuses</b>	Character's thoughts and feelings, character descriptions, diary	PEEL paragraphs Description Article	Narrative poem Writing to advise Diary	Article writing Descriptions PEEL paragraphs	Letter writing Leaflet	Creative writing, diary entry, 1 <sup>st</sup> person description
	SPAG, basic sentence structure Spelling of HFWs					Phonics
<b>Reading Book</b>	<b>The Magic Finger by Roald Dahl</b>	<b>Arthur's Sword by Sophie McKenzie</b>	<b>Sea Wolf by Katherine White</b>	<b>Varjak Paw by S F Said</b>	<b>The No.1 Car spotter by Atinuke</b>	<b>The Queen's Token by Pamela Oldfield</b>
<b>MATHS</b>	<b>Place Value</b> <b>Addition and subtraction</b> <b>Shape</b>  Number bonds Times tables		<b>Money</b> <b>Multiplication and division</b> <b>Weight and height</b> <b>Mass, capacity and temperature</b>  Number bonds Times tables		<b>Fractions</b> <b>Time</b> <b>Statistics</b> <b>Position and direction</b> <b>Consolidation</b>  Number bonds Times tables	
<b>GEOGRAPHY</b>	<b>What is Geography? Our Place in the world</b> <b>Map skills</b>  Map Symbols Identifying Features 4-figure Grid Reference		<b>Distinctive Coastlines</b>  Processes of Changing Coasts Erosion What sea defences look like and maybe how they work		<b>Africa is not a country!</b>  the idea of development how countries develop how people live differently and some reasons why	<b>Food and farming</b> <b>What can we eat?</b>  Growing food Food miles Food plates – sustainability  FARM visit – pre / post teaching

<b>HISTORY</b>	<b>The Middle Ages – Introduction Anglo Saxons and Normans</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>When were the middle ages?</li> <li>What was England like in 1000?</li> <li>Why did the Normans invade England?</li> <li>What did they do to win?</li> <li>What changes did they make?</li> </ul>		<b>Problems of Monarchs</b> <p>What kind of problems might a king face – what is a king – what does he do etc Challenges to the power of the King Case study 1 - Henry II and Thomas Beckett – the challenge of the Church (Why was Beckett murdered?) Case Study 2 – Richard II and the Peasants Revolt – the challenge from ordinary people Black Death – crossover from challenges to Kings and life in medieval times.</p>	<b>The Church</b> <p>How was the Church organised? What different roles did the Church have in medieval England? Doom Paintings or Pilgrimages</p>	<b>Life in Medieval Villages and Towns</b> <p>What was life like in Medieval villages? What was life like in Medieval towns? How has life changed?</p>	<b>The Reformation</b> <p>Recap of what the Medieval Church was like. Why did Henry break with Rome – the wives – needing a son. Changes/differences between a Catholic Church inside and a Protestant Church What it was like before, why it was changed, what it was like after.</p>
<b>RS</b>  Learning about religion, learning from religion	<b>Why do we do RS?</b>  Philosophical questions  <b>Islam</b>  1. Muhammad 2. Qur'an 3. Pillars 4 Mosque	<b>Christianity</b>  1.The Christian Way – intro 2.The Bible 3.Jesus 4.Prayer	<b>Judaism</b>  1.Introduction to Judaism 2.God and covenant 3.Torah and Mitzvot 4.Shabbat	<b>Christianity</b>  4. Prayer 5.Justice 1 6.Justice 2 7.Forgiveness 1 8.Forgiveness 2 <u>Should you always forgive?</u>	<b>Hinduism</b>  1.Beliefs about God 2.Festivals 3.Hindu stories  Books: Prince Rama and the Demon King Rama's Journey	<b>Environment – Creation stories</b>  1.One World – Intro and research one world 2. One World Hindu and Christian creation stories
<b>FRENCH</b>	Introducing yourself / personal description – introduction of adjectives – family members – where I live		School life – introducing basic opinion (including reinforcement of adjectives) – using numbers with time		My free time – reinforcing opinion - short sentences	
<b>Possible ENRICHMENT Activities</b>	Middle Ages day	Battle re-enactment  Map skills walking trip Road safety  Flag Fen	Seaside	Cathedral	African food  Growing Tower	Tudor day Burghley  Farm visit