Our Lady of Perpetual Succour Catholic Primary School

We learn to love everyone as Jesus loves us

Year 4 Curriculum Map 2018-2019									
Subject	Autumn1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2			
R.E.	People; Called; Gift		Community; Giving & Receiving; Self-discipline		New life; Building bridges; God's people				
Literacy genres and text types.	Letters / diaries Character description Narrative Explanation texts Instructions/ recipes Main texts:	Roman myths Language features Newspaper reports Poetry Persuasive texts	Create a modern magna carta. Punishment book Diaries Blogs	Non chronological reports Poetry - Cinquain form Reviews of musical performances	Adverts Focus on Michael Morpurgo Letters to wildlife trust	Recounts Play-scripts Narrative Setting description Author focus: Charles Dickens.			
Spelling, vocabulary, punctuation and grammar.	Spelling: Oxford owl – units1,2,3 plus consolidation focuses. Grammar/punctuation: Noun phrases expanded by the addition of modifying adjectives, nouns and preposition phrases. Direct speech punctuation.	Spelling: Oxford Owl- Units, 4, 5 plus consolidation units and revision. Grammar/punctuation: Fronted adverbials, including commas to signify separation from main clause	Spelling: Oxford Owl- Units 7, 8 plus consolidation units. Grammar/punctuation: Using conjunctions, adverbs and prepositions to express time and cause	Spelling: Oxford Owl – Units 9, 10, 11 plus consolidation units. Grammar/punctuation: Indicating possession by using the possessive apostrophe with plural nouns	Spelling: Oxford owl – units 12, 13, 14 plus consolidation units. Grammar/punctuation: Using the present perfect form of verbs in contrast to the past tense Revise Direct Speech	Spelling: Oxford owl – Revision of all previous units up to this year – Challenge / dictation and testing. Grammar/punctuation: Revision of all Lower KS2 requirements			
Mathematics	Place value & number Measurement & data, Geometry Problem solving using 4 rules of number	Fractions & decimals Statistics Measurement–time, Geometry Position & direction	Place value & numbers Geometry Problem solving using 4 rules of number	Measurement –time Fractions & decimals Position & direction statistics	Number & place value, 4 rules of number, Problem solving and money Fractions & decimals	Measurement geometry properties of shape statistics			
Science (Learning Challenge)	What happens to the food we eat? The digestive system	How would we survive without water? Water – solids, liquids and gases.	How could we cope without electricity for a day? - Forces	Why is the sound of our drumming so hypnotic? Sound – how we hear.	What plants and animals thrive in our locality? Classification / habitats	What plants and animals are endangered?			

Geography/History (Learning Challenge)	Why were the Romans so powerful and what did we learn from them? Understand geographical similarities and differences between Rome and Chester. Roman Empire and its impact on Britain. Historical legacy		Who were the early law makers? Crime and punishment from the Anglo Saxon to the present day	Why were Norman castles not bouncy? A study of an aspect or theme in British history that extends beyond 1066: Norman castles.	Why are Widnes and the Lake District cool places to live? Contrasting locations Mapping skills Human and physical Geography	Why is the river Mersey so important to Widnes? Local Geography and History
Art/ D.T.	Roman clothing – shields and helmets Create a model of the digestive system Roman artists: Mosaics	Roman buildings Clay writing tablets Christmas art	Make a 'Magna Carta' Construct an electric game Draw the Houses of Parliament	Models of castles Coats of arms Book making Textiles	Animal prints/ tracks Observational drawings of plants 3d/ textiles/ mixed media art of plants. Design a travel brochure for Widnes and or the Lake District	Sketches of the bridge. Construct bridges Water / sea inspired paintings Home-made waterbutts / watering cans
Music	Famous musicians of Europe	Military marches. The Planets – link to Roman Gods (Gustav Holst)	Whole class music tuition: African drumming	Whole class music tuition: African drumming.	Workshop with local musicians- samba drumming/ guitar & vocals.	Sea shanties – Focus on The Danny Local steam tug boat
Computing	Using the internet presentation	Communicating – Sending emails and attachments of our research.	Algorithms and Programs	Data Retrieving and Organisation – Camera Work	Databases – Plant Database of our grounds	Using the Internet – Research Presentations
P.E.	Gymnastics (Beth Tweddle) Games	Gymnastics Invasion games	Team games Yoga	Field games Yoga	Athletics Outdoor/adventurous Orienteering	Dance Outdoor/adventurous Orienteering
MFL	Asking questions such as Have you? and naming classroom objects. Learn number 0-31 and colours.	Recognise and use commands, related to shops, signs and directions.	Explore reading and conversations skills looking at families. Also learn parts of the face, hair, eyes.	Conversations about parts of the body, colour size etc. Have you? I have	Conversations about feelings and able to describe simple everyday illnesses.	Study the weather and complete summer themed role play.