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|  | Autumn 1  | Autumn 2 | Spring 1 | Spring 2 | Summer 1 | Summer 2 |
| Reading | Thursday 6th October National Poetry Day – Magic by Joshua Siegal Mon 10th Oct – World Homeless Day (extract from Onjali Rauf’s Night Bus Hero)Class read – Amari and the Night Brothers – Black History Month Whole class read of Amari and the Night Brothers, in depth fiction study for guided reading with focus on VIPERS | Whole class story – Tinsel by Sibeal PounderA range of Greek myths in preparation for Ancient Greece unit after Christmas | Friday 20th Jan – The Great Rat Race for Chinese Nre Year Thurs 27th Jan – A Tree In The Courtyard by Jeff Gottesfeld – link to Anne Frank and Holocaust Day30-3 Feb reading our jumbled fairy talesWhole class read – Brightstorm by Vashti Hardy | 2nd March – World Book Day 8th March – International Women’s Day – great female authors – Hidden Figures science linkWhole class read – Beasts of Olympus by Lucy Coats and The Boy at the Back of the Class by Onjali Rauf | Whole Class Read – When the Mountains Roared by Jess ButterworthA range of non-fiction across science | 28-29 June A Party in Ramadan by Asma Mobin-Uddin linked to EidWhole class read – The House with Chicken Legs by Sophie Anderson |
| WritingWriting | Diary entry with a focus on horror, setting description of under the sea, Week 7: Black History Month focuses on biographies of Matthew Henson | Spelling – 2 weeks of silent letter words through daily 10 min handwriting2 weeks converting nouns or adjectives into verbs using suffixes (e.g. –ate; –ise; –ify) daily 10 min handwriting Week 1 and 2 – Biography on our scientist/inventor.Week 3 -14-18 Nov Anti-Bullying Week – writing extract from Literacy Shed – bird bullied Week 4-7 Non-chronological reports leading up to how Blanche Clause created Christmas. | 2 weeks - Verb prefixes (e.g., dis–, de–, mis–, over– and reWeek 1 and 2 – writing Greek myths and legendsWeek 3 -Tues 17th Jan – Martin Luther King Day – writing own I Have A Dream speeches (1 week)Week 4 - Mon 23-27 Jan – jumbled fairy tales ready to read across National Storytelling Week – building cohesion within a paragraphWeek 5 and 6 – Balanced argument about children using social media  | Week 1 - 19-23 Feb instructions for making pancakesWeek 2, 3 and 4 – Newspaper Report on Missing Boy Demon and his rumoured journey to OlympusWeek 5 and 6 – Persuasive letter to Mrs Shore asking for a class trip to the Moon. | Week 1 and 2 – Recount letter to mum from Ruby) Explanation text – The Life Cycle of a Monarch Butterfly (science link, week 3 and 4) Week 5 and 6 – Newspaper report on flashing lights on Mount Durga | Banksy – artist or vandal? Balanced argument/discussion text (week 1 and 2)Week 3-6 Narrative inspired by Sophie Anderson’s The House with Chicken Legs  |
| Maths | PV, statistics and addition/subtraction | X and area/ perimeter | X and fractions | Decimals and percentages  | Angles and Converting units  | Translation and volume |
| Topic | ManchesterGeographyLocal environmental study of Ancoats  | Manchester History | Ancient Greece | Enough for Everyone – link with Fairtrade week 21 – 6 March | Mountains | The Romans |
| Science | Properties of materials | Scientists and inventors10th Nov World Science Day – Study on Above and Below by Hanako Clulow on habitats and ecosystems | Forces | Earth and Space 8th March – International Women’s Day – Hidden Figures  | Living things and their habitats | Animals including humans |
| Computing | Search engines and designing our own websites | Coding | Online Safety Safer Internet Day 8th Feb |  |  |  |
| PE | Rugby | Line basketball | Gymnastics | Hockey/football | Athletics | Rounders |
| Art/DT | Manchester artist Nomad Clan - graffiti art with symbol iconic to the Queen  | 4th Nov Firework artwork inspired by Edward Middleton Manigault’s The Rocket (2 weeks)10th Nov – Hanako Clulow inspired illustrations linked to Science Day (2 weeks)Fri 11th Nov – Remembrance Day Collective Art and DT Pegs (2 weeks) | 16-27 Jan – Chinese New Year – ceramic Ming Chinese vases with blossom treesAndy Warhol Pop Art throughout Feb for LGBT artist | Wed 21st Feb Pancake Day DT making pancakesY5 Space Paintings week 2, 3, 4  |  | 2 weeks art on Banksy and linked to writing unit 4 weeks on Roman Emperors and clay pottery  |
| PSHE | What makes a friendship | Physical contact and staying safe  | Online safety | Protecting the environment  | Healthy lives  | Personal identity |
| Music | African drumming  |  | Listen to music from Elton John, Sam Smith and Lady Gaga for LGBT  | Listen to music from Whitney Houston, Beyonce and Adele for International Women’s Day |  |  |
| RE | Tues 4th Oct – St Francis Day Who am I? Life choices | Waiting in HopeMission | Memorial sacrifice | Sacrifice | TransformationFreedom and responsibility | Stewardship  |