

# Dordon Community Primary School Class plan - Hawk 25-26 Cycle A



### Dynamic Dynasties (History

### Companions

- o Investigating Our World (Geography)
- Moving Mechanisms (Design and technology)
- Taotie (Art and design)
- Tints, Tones and Shades (Y5) (Art and design)
- Forces and Mechanisms (Science)
- Earth and Space (Science)

### Planned term

Autumn

### Whole class text

Cosmic

#### Memorable experience

The Yellow Emperor and the Xia Dynasty

### Innovate challenge

Life after the Shang Dynasty

#### English

Narrative poems; Biographies; Stories from another culture

### History

Ancient China; Timelines and chronology; Shang Dynasty; Sources and artefacts; Oracle bones and religious beliefs; Bronze Age in ancient China; Historical enquiry; Significance of jade and silk; Power and social hierarchy; Everyday life; Warfare; Significant individual – Di Xin; End of the Shang Dynasty; Bronze Ages around the world; Life after the Shang Dynasty; Legacy



### Y5 WRM – Autumn (v3.0) Mathematics

### Planned term

Autumn

### Mathematics

Block 1: Number – Place value; Block 2: Number – Addition and subtraction; Block 3: Number – Multiplication and Division; Block 4: Number – Fractions



# Investigating Our World (Geography)

### Planned term

Autumn

### Geography

Ordnance Survey maps; Contour lines; Six-figure grid references; Time zones; Climate zones; Vegetation belts; Biomes; Human geography; World cities; Sustainable manufacturing processes; Relatives locations and distances; Transport networks; Settlement hierarchy; Local enquiry; Fieldwork



# Moving Mechanisms Design and technology

### Planned term

Autumn

### Memorable experience

**Exploring pneumatics** 

### Innovate challenge

Designing and making a pneumatic prototype

### Design and technology

Pneumatic systems; Joining and finishing; Iterative design process; Building pneumatic machine prototypes



### Taotie Art and design

### Planned term

Autumn 1

### Memorable experience

Exploring taotie motifs

#### Innovate challenge

Making taotie pieces

### Art and design

Taotie motifs; Casting methods; Watercolour



### Tints, Tones and Shades (Y5) (Art and design)

### Planned term

Autumn 2

### Art and design

Colour theory; Colour wheel; Mixing tints, shades and tones; Landscapes



### Forces and Mechanisms (Science)

### Planned term

Autumn 1

### Innovate challenge

Let's investigate focus: Observing, measuring and recording

### Science

Contact and non-contact forces; Gravity; Mass and Weight; Discovering gravity – important scientists; Friction; Air resistance; Water resistance; Mechanisms – levers, pulleys, gears; Investigating forces and mechanisms; Working scientifically – Identifying and classifying, Observing changes over time, Comparative tests, Research, Pattern seeking



# Earth and Space (Science)

### Planned term

Autumn 2

### Innovate challenge

Let's investigate focus: Research

#### Science

The Solar System; Scientists of the past who discovered how the Solar System works; The Earth, Sun and Moon; Planets and stars are spherical; Daytime and night time; Sundials; Day length and the seasons; Times of the day around the world; The phases of the Moon; Lunar and solar eclipses; Working scientifically – Identifying and classifying, Research, Changes over time, Pattern seeking



# Y5 Computing Computing

### Planned term

Summer

### Computing

Staying safe online; Evaluating digital content; Algorithms and debugging; Using data



### Sow, Grow and Farm Geography

### Companions

- Eat the Seasons (Design and technology)
- Human Reproduction and Ageing (Science)
- Line, Light and Shadows (Art and design)
- Nature's Art (Art and design)

### Planned term

Spring

### Whole class text

The Last Wild

### Memorable experience

Allotment visit

### Innovate challenge

Market gardeners

### **English**

Non-chronological reports; Diaries; Leaflets; Balanced arguments

### Geography

Land use in the UK; Allotments; Farming in the UK; Maps; Grid references; Climate zones; Physical features of North and South America; Farming in North and South America; Food transportation

### Art and design

Still life

### Design and technology

Seasonality

### History

Dig for Victory

### Personal, social and health education

Debating topical issues

### Science

Food chains and webs; Life cycles; Plant reproduction; Growing plants; Modern farming



### Y5 WRM – Spring (v3.0) (Mathematics

### Planned term

Spring

### Mathematics

Block 1: Number – Multiplication and division; Block 2: Number – Fractions; Block 3: Number – Decimals and percentages; Block 4: Measurement – Perimeter and area; Block 5 – Statistics



### Eat the Seasons Design and technology

### Planned term

Spring

### Memorable experience

Seasonality

### Innovate challenge

Seasonal soups

### Design and technology

Cooking; Nutrition



# Human Reproduction and Ageing (Science)

### Planned term

Spring

### Innovate challenge

Let's investigate focus: Reporting and concluding

### Science

Animal life cycles; Stages and processes; Classifying mammals; Mammalian life cycles; Interpreting scatter graphs; Human life cycle; Human gestation stage; Human juvenile stage; Human adolescent stage; Puberty; Venn diagrams; Interpreting line graphs; Human sexual reproduction; Human ageing; Working scientifically – Observing changes over time, Identifying and classifying, Pattern seeking, Comparative test, Research



# Line, Light and Shadows (Art and design)

### Planned term

Spring

### Memorable experience

Line up!

### Innovate challenge

Creating artwork with line, light and shadows

### Art and design

Continuous line drawing; Significant artists – Pablo Picasso and Rembrandt; Shading techniques; Drawing on black paper; Black and white photography



### Nature's Art (Art and design)

### Planned term

Spring

### Memorable experience

Working outdoors

### Innovate challenge

Creating an installation

### Art and design

Land art; Natural materials; Relief sculpture; Installations



# Groundbreaking Greeks (History

### Companions

- Mixed Media (Art and design)
- Properties and Changes of Materials (Science)
- o Architecture (Design and technology)
- Expression (Art and design)

### Planned term

Summer

### Whole class text

The Lion and The Unicorn (Summer1) The London Mystery (Summer2)

### Memorable experience

Time team

### Innovate challenge

The ancient Greeks' greatest idea

### English

Greek myths; Balanced arguments; Playscripts; Odes

### Geography

Interpreting geographical sources

### History

Ancient Greek periods – Minoan civilisation, Mycenaean civilisation, Dark Age, Archaic period, Classical period, Hellenistic period; Chronology and timelines; Primary and secondary sources; City states; Democracy; Role of men and women; Social hierarchy; Great Athenians; the Acropolis; Greek art, culture, architecture, philosophy, medicine and mathematics; Olympic Games; Alexander the Great; End of the Greek Empire; Legacy



# Y5 WRM – Summer (v3.0) (Mathematics

### Planned term

Summer

### Mathematics

Block 1: Geometry – Shape; Block 2: Geometry – Position and direction; Block 3: Number – Decimals; Block 4: Number – Negative numbers; Block 5: Measurement – Converting units; Block 6: Measurement – Volume



# Architecture Design and technology

### Planned term

Summer

### Memorable experience

Architecture over time

### Innovate challenge

Building design

### Design and technology

Architecture over time; Greek architecture; Structural support, stiffness and stability; Computer-aided design; Building design



# Expression (Art and design

### Planned term

Summer

### Memorable experience

What is Expressionism?

### Innovate challenge

Creating an Expressionist-style painting

### Art and design

Expressionist art movement; Significant artist - Edvard Munch; Portrait photography; Expression; Self-portraits

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