MEXBOROUGH ST JOHNS C OF E PRIMARY SCHOOL



PHASE: LKS2 YEAR: 4 2023-2024 Together we believe, together we succeed

INTENT	IMPLEMENTATION		
Curriculum vision	Learning values	Core skills	
Through our curriculum, our children will become; - Effective learners; - Responsible citizens.	Our children will: Speak clearly and articulate ideas confidently. Use taught vocabulary purposefully and in different contexts. Show empathy and resilience. Use new technologies appropriately and with purpose. Problem solve, explore, question and be curious.	Use learnt knowledge to solve problems and/or recreate in a new context Recall Generate key questions to be revisit. What have you learnt before to help you achieve that? Make links to similar themes and events (link to what children have learnt in the past) Self-explanation and elaboration. E.g. recall facts about the Great Fire of London and be able to explain why it happened and spread so quickly (deeper learning).	

				learning).
	Topic 1	Topic 2	Topic 3	Topic 4
	The Digestive System Question: Bottoms Burps and Bile Are we what we eat?	Spain Question: Is Spain just a holiday destination?	The Tudors Question: How effectively was England ruled?	Ancient Egypt Question: What can we find out about the Ancient Egyptians?
Week 1 Focus on Pasic skills Aspiration S	 What is the digestive system and what part does it play in the process of turning food into energy? What part do the small and large intestines play in digesting food? How does food travel through the body? Why are teeth different shapes? How long does it take for food to get to the stomach once you have chewed it? If you are upside down does it take longer for food to reach the stomach? What makes a food healthy? How do shops persuade you to buy their food products? 	 Which continent is Spain in? Where is Spain located in the world? What is the capital city of Spain? What is the Spanish climate like? What human and physical features can we find in Spain? What is an aerial view and can I find given locations using an aerial map? How has tourism affected the local landscape in Spain? Why do people visit Spain? 	 Who were the Tudors? Why was Henry VII and Henry VIII so important? What happened to Ann Boleyn? Why did Henry VIII have so many wives? Why did Henry VIII break from Rome? Love or religion? What can inventories tell us about life in Tudor times? How was the Spanish Armada defeated by a smaller English fleet? How did people enjoy themselves in Elizabethan England? 	 Who were the Ancient Egyptians? Why was Ancient Egypt 'the Gift of the Nile'? Who rules ancient Egypt? Why are the pyramids thought to be one of the wonders of the world? Who were the Ancient Egyptian gods? What did the Ancient Egyptians believe about the afterlife? What did Ancient hieroglyphs mean? What did the Ancient Egyptians invent?
	Launch: The Digestive System Experiment (tights)	Launch: Spanish day with food and dancing	Launch: Bishops' House	Launch: Think like an historian - Egyptian artefacts
	Hooks: Tights digestive system Cola teeth	Hooks: Food tasting Spanish Dress up Spanish dancing Field trip into Mexborough.	Hooks: Tudor dress up Tudor banquet Clay making. Ann Bolen murder mystery	Hooks: Weston Park Museum Mummify a tomato Clay sarcophagus Hieroglyphs

			Tudor houses – woodwork.	
	Showcase: Workshop for FS2 pupils on how to clean your teeth. Can we work together to create a giant Gut?	Showcase: Spanish café for parents. With food, menu and presentations	Showcase: Tudor banquet	Showcase: Assembly for parents
	Key Text: The Miraculous journey of Edward Tulane By Katie DiCamillo	Key Text: The boy at the back of the class By Onjali Q Raúf	Key Text: The chronicles of Narnia By C S Lewis	Key Text: Secrets of a Sun King By Emma Carroll
English	Character description Diary entry Narrative Animals including humans WALT:	Recount Letter Newspaper report Living things and their habitats WALT: To group organisms in different ways.	Setting description Adventure story Poem Electricity WALT: To identify common appliances that run on electricity	Leaflet Letter Speech Materials WALT: identify solids, liquids and gases.
Science	WALT: to identify and locate the main organs of the human digestive system. WALT: describe the simple functions of the basic parts of the digestive system in humans.	WALT: To group animals according to whether they are fish, amphibians' reptiles, birds or mammals. WALT: To identify whether an animal is a	WALT: To construct a simple series electrical circuit, identifying and naming its basic parts, including cells, wires, bulbs, switches and buzzers	WALT: make careful observations and communicate results. WALT: take accurate measurements using
	WALT: identify the different types of teeth in humans and their simple functions WALT: explain the structure of a tooth.	wal T: To use a classification key to identify familiar organisms.	WALT: To identify whether or not a lamp will light in a simple series circuit, based on whether or not the lamp is part of a complete loop with a battery	thermometers. WALT: observe that some materials change state when heated or cooled.
	WALT: explain how we can look after our teeth. WALT: Construct and interpret a variety of food chains, identifying producers, predators	WALT: To use a classification key to identify vertebrates. WALT: To use a classification key for a group of organisms from the local environment.	WALT: To recognise that a switch opens and closes a circuit and associate this with whether or not a lamp lights in a simple series circuit	WALT: identify the part played by evaporation and condensation in the water cycle. WALT: plan and carry out a fair test.
	and prey. Scientist study: William Beaumont	Scientist study: Greta Thunberg	WALT: To recognise some common conductors and insulators, and associate metals with being good conductors	WALT: to associate the rate of evaporation with temperature.
			Study- Nikola Tesla	Study- Anders Celsius
			WALT: find out who the Tudors were and place them in British history.	WALT: locate Ancient Egypt in time and place.
History			WALT: use sources of evidence to find out information about significant figures. WALT: understand why Henry VIII had so many wives.	WALT: the importance of the River Nile. WALT: Egyptian pharaohs. WALT: explore what the pyramids looked like.
			WALT: understand the changes King Henry VIII made to religion in England.	WALT: religion in Ancient Egypt. WALT: afterlife in Ancient Egypt.

Geography		WALT: identify the position of the equator, tropics of cancer and Capricorn and hemispheres. WALT: to know where Spain is in the world. WALT: use eight points of a compass to locate places in Spain. WALT: use 4 figured grid references. WALT: physical geography of Spain. WALT: human geography of Spain. WALT: investigating Spain's weather and climate. WALT: the importance of tourism in Spain. WALT: study of tourism trends within the local community.	WALT: make decisions about the people in Tudor times using inventories. WALT: find out about the attack of the Spanish Armada. WALT: find out about Elizabethan leisure activities. School trip – Bishop's house.	WALT: discover what hieroglyphs looked like. WALT: Ancient Egyptian inventions. School trip – Western Park museum.
		Fieldtrip into Mexborough		
Art			Painting	Clay
			WALT: Observe and discuss artists' work WALT: explore and recreate Tudor portraits. WALT: apply my experience of materials and processes, including drawing, developing my control of tools and techniques WALT: sketch the outline of a Tudor portrait and apply painting techniques. WALT: evaluate my portrait identifying the different techniques used.	WALT: understand what canopic jars were used for. WALT: design a personal canopic jar. WALT: use modelling techniques to create a canopic jar. WALT: use mod roc with increasing accuracy, WALT: apply and evaluate my design.
DT	Textiles	Food technology	Woodwork	

WALT: explore and evaluate a range of	WALT: identify and test different types of	WALT: identify and evaluate	
existing products.	frittatas.		
		WALT: design a Tudor house.	
WALT: design a product to meet a design	WALT: design a Spanish frittata.		
criteria.		WALT: make a Tudor house including a	
	WALT: make a Spanish frittata.	complete circuit.	
WALT: to join fabrics by sewing using the			
back stitch and blanket stitch.	WALT: evaluate a Spanish frittata.	WALT: evaluate a Tudor house.	
WALT: make a book sleeve following a			
criteria.			
WALT: evaluate a product.			