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| Year Group  Swifts (Y4/5/6) | | Topic Cycle for 2024-25  Swifts | | | | | |
| Subject | | Autumn | | Spring | | Summer | |
| Topics | | Land Ahoy - invaders and settlers | | South Americas (to include a non- European society e.g. Mayan) | | All around us / You can make a difference (including local area study) | |
| T  O  P  IC | History  Geog | Anglo-Saxons and Viking struggle for England up to 1066 and the time of Edward the Confessor | | Rainforests  Locating and analysing South American countries  Mayan civilization | | Recycling/Pollution  Mapping the local area | |
| Design/  DT  Art | Designing and Making bird houses  Drawing Viking long ships | Designing and creating Viking shields  Creating a Viking Tapestry | Making rainforests in a shoe box  Rainforest animal creations | Mayans – Chocolate and packaging  Mayan worry dolls | Junk modelling  Megan Coyle | Making own paper  Local Area Pieces |
| Science  **Year 4**  Mrs Bethell | | Animals including Humans (Y4) | Electricity | Sound | Living Things and their Habitats | States of Matter | Experiments |
| Science  **Year 5**  Mrs Cornwell | | Animals including Humans (Y5) | Earth and Space | Properties & Changes of Materials | Living Things and their Habitats | Forces | Experiments |
| Computing  (Year 4  Purple Mash) | | Coding  Unit 4.1 | Online Safety  Unit 4.2 | Writing for Different Audiences Unit 4.4 | Logo  Unit 4.5 | Animation  Unit 4.6 | Effective Searching  Unit 4.7 |
| RE  (UKS2) | | Heroes – Jesus and Buddha | Christmas  Sacred/Secular | Faith in arts – art, drama, music | Responding to Christian and Buddhist texts | Human responsibility for the environment | Ideas about God |
| PSHCE  (LKS2A) | | Deaf Studies:  Identity – cause and effects of Deafness  Communication – comparing BSL and International.  Community and Culture – How Deaf communities around the world have influenced each other  Deaf History – Deaf people’s experiences were different in the past | How can I manage big feelings? | How do we treat each other with respect? | What are my rights (and responsibilities)? | Why should we eat well and look after our teeth? | How does bullying affect me and others? |
| PE  (LKS2) | | Invasion games | Gymnastics | Swimming | Net and Wall Games | Striking and fielding | Athletics |
| WOW /  Trips | | Anglo Saxon / Viking afternoon 23/09 | Gurdwara / Cathedral | Science Museum | Cocoa Encounters (in school) | Paper Mill Trip | St. Albans Park litter pick |