Geography and History

	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4
Throughout Year	Skill and Field Work – Forest School	Skill and Field Work – Forest School	Skill and Field Work – Forest School	Skill and Field Work – Forest School
Autumn	Explorers Locations of hot and cold areas of the world. Key physical features and key human features. Geographical similarities and differences. Where I live, where I go to school. Continents and oceans.	History: The Great Fire of London Significant People: Samuel Pepys, King Charles II Geography: London – location, tradition, recognisable features, architecture, birds-eye views, etc.	Stone age to Bronze age. Why did they settle where they did? Early farmers, Stone age animals and what can we learn from Neolithic sites like Skara Brae.	Inventors and Innovators The progression of the lives of significant individuals in the past, who have contributed to national and international achievements.
Spring	Animals from around the world. Continents and oceans.	What a Wonderful World! Oceans, Deserts, Rainforests and Polar Regions Name and locate countries/continents/oceans. Looking after our world Why it is important to look after oceans. Deforestation. Class trip to the Botanical Gardens linked to the unit of learning.	Extreme Earth How are volcanoes formed? What are hurricanes and tornados? What is a tsunami? Comparing our climate to Mexico.	Vicious Vikings and Anglo-Saxons Using maps to identify where the Vikings came from. Types of settlement and land use. Explore trade links. Britain settlements, Anglo Saxons to include invasions, settlements and kingdoms, Anglo Saxon art and culture, Viking raids and invasion, Anglo Saxon Kings.

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Summer	Continents and oceans.	The British Isles	Romans	All Around the World
	Seasons and weather.	What countries are in the British	How did the Roman roads	
	Famous explorers and what	Isles?	change life in Britain? Why	Knowledge and
	they did.	Capital/ major cities	did they believe in so many	understanding to include the
		Cultural identity: associated	Gods and Goddesses?	United Kingdom and the
		landmarks, food, music, clothing,	Who was Boudicca?	continents. The world's most
		traditions, etc.		significant human and
		Patron Saints	The rise of the Roman	physical features. Locate the
		Flags of individual home nations	empire- which countries did	World's countries on maps.
		and Union Jack.	they invade and why?	Identify the position of the
				significance of latitude,
		Important Historical People of		longitude and the tropics.
		America		Use maps, atlases and globes
				and digital computer
		Focusing on: Race and Equality		mapping. 8 points of the
		Sport		compass and 4 band 6
				degree.
		Jackie Robinson,		
		Rosa Parks,		
		Martin Luther King Jr		