South End Junior School: Long Term Overview

2021/2022

Year 4

	Project 1	Project 2	Project 3	Project 4	History Festival	Project 5
Project title	ILP: Potions (Science)	IPL: Burps, Bottoms	ILP: Ancient	KRP: Misty	Saxons and Vikings	ILP: Blue Abyss
(driver subject)		and Bile (Science)	Civilisations (History)	Mountains,	Invasion	(Science)
				Winding River (Geography)		
Project BIG Question	Do all liquids have the same properties?	Can you eat chalk?	What was life like in an ancient civilisation?	How are rivers and mountains formed?		How could a creature survive in the deep ocean?
Engage: memorable experience	Dress up as mad scientists/ wizards. Magical day of making potions	Making a model mouth showing the different teeth	Mummified object or making Canopic jars	Walk to Hall Park – nature adventure		Trip to an aquarium
Engage: year group display	Cauldron and photos from Potions Day	T-shirt highlighting the insides of the body	Artefacts from the time	Model of the river process		Large shark and underwater creatures
Engage: trips or visitors						Trip to an aquarium
Engage: parental or community involvement	Innovation Friday – parents invited in to join in with challenge set				Parents in to see History Festival showcase	
NC science PoS coverage (+ BIG Q if not science driven project)	States of matter	Animals including humans	Electricity How can we make electricity?	How can we make different sounds?		Living things and their habitats
Additional science LTIs	Science: States of matter	Science: Animals including humans	Science: Electricity LTIs: Can you make a	Science: Sound LTIs: Can we block	LTI: How did Vikings dye their clothes?	Science: Living things and their habitats
	LTIs: Are all liquids runny? Is custard a liquid?	LTIs: How do smells get up your nose? How does toothpaste protect teeth? What is spit for?	circuit from play dough? How do plugs work? What conducts electricity?	sound? How can we change a sound? How far can sound travel?		LTIs: Are all sea creatures the same? How does pollution affect habitats?

Geography				Rivers, mountains and the water cycle Map/ atlas work and grid references		Latitude, longitude, Equator, Northern Hemisphere, Southern Hemisphere, the Tropics of Cancer and Capricorn, Arctic and Antarctic Circle, the Prime/Greenwich Meridian and time zones. Map and atlas work
History			Achievements of the earliest civilizations: Ancient Sumer; The Indus Valley & Ancient Egypt		Anglo-Saxons & Scots Anglo-Saxons & Vikings	Trap and acted mem
Art & Design	Observational drawing – pencil perfume/potion bottles Clay sculpture of a bottle			Use of colour to create atmosphere when composing landscape images Oil pastel transfer Mountain and river landscape		Observational drawing – sea creatures Background ripped up newspaper – Mono printing using acrylic sheet Mono print of a sea creature
Design & Technology		Food and nutrition – varied, healthy lunches diet. Design healthy packed lunch and make own bread	Make windmill/ wind turbine (renewable energy sources in science)		Textiles – warp and weft weaving	
Whole class read/ related texts	A Pinch of Magic Alice in Wonderland	The Indian in the Cupboard	Varjak Paw	The Boy at the Back of the Class		Why the Whales Came
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T4W genres and	English:	English:	English:	English:	English:	English:
foci (including	Fantasy story –	Explanation - Teacher	Tale of Fear and	Information –	Information text –	Persuasion – one sided
project)	focusing on	Pleaser Machine	dialogue	explanation of	Who are the Vikings?	argument (save the
	description			mountains		oceans)
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	Project:	Diary entry of a piece	Comparing three	Project:		Project: Journey story –
	Instructions – creating	of food travelling	civilisations	Poetry - rivers		lost in the ocean
	a potion	through the digestive				(inspiration from Blue
		system				Planet)
Meaningful maths	Capacity – measuring	Time – mins and		Negative numbers –		Measurement and 3D
	out potions	seconds		temperatures.		shapes
				Reading and		·
				recording data.		
				Comparing numbers		
Innovation Friday	Light	States of matter	Animals including	Electricity		Sound
	How the tiny mouse	Are some liquids	humans	Make a circuit to		Sound circus – creating
	created a big shadow?	always liquids?	Create a comic book	explain the water		own musical
	Shadow puppets.	Investigate different	strip which explains the	cycle or the features		instruments to show
		materials eg. shaving	digestive system	of a river		pitch and volume
		foam, custard,				
	-	cornflour mix and jelly				

	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4	Term 5	Term 6
Computing unit	Digital literacy -	iConnect	iProgram	iData	iWeb	Digital literacy -
	Excel					PowerPoint
French unit	Revision of Y3 content:	Core vocabulary:	Je Me Présente	En Famille	Chez moi	En classe
	J'apprends le Francais,	Les Commandes De La				
	La Phonetique, Je	Classe, Le Calcul				
	peux					
Music unit						
PSHCE	Being me in my world:	Celebrating difference:	Dreams and goals:	Healthy me:		Changing me:
Jigsaw						
 Values 	Why is listening to	How does a healthy	How can I overcome	How do my		How are boys' and
Other	others and being	and safe friendship	disappointment and	relationships with		girls' bodies different?
	listened to important	feel, look and sound	failure?	others affect my		
	in my school	like?		health?		Value: Courage
	community?					
	Value: Respect	Value: Independence	Value: Aspiration	Value: Pride		
RE unit What does it mean to be a Muslim?		What does it mean to be a Buddhist?		What does it mean to be Sikh?		
	(Islam)		(Buddhism)		(Sikhism)	

PE units	Real PE unit 1	Real PE unit 2	Real PE unit 3	Real PE unit 4	Real PE unit	Real PE unit 6
	Swimming	Netball	Gymnastics	Tennis	Athletics	Cricket

