Westlands Primary School Curriculum Year 4

Year 4	Terms 1 and 2	Term 3 and Term 4	Term 5 and Term 6	
Driver Project	Invasion History	Misty Mountain, Winding River Geography	Ancient Civilizations History	
	This project teaches children about life in Britain after the Roman withdrawal. Children will learn about Anglo-Saxon and Viking invasions up to the Norman conquest.	This project teaches children about the characteristics and features of rivers and mountain ranges around the world, including a detailed exploration of the ecosystems and processes that shape them and the land around them.	This project teaches children about the history of three of the world's first ancient civilisations: ancient Sumer, ancient Egypt and the Indus Valley civilisation. Children will learn about the rise, life, achievements and eventual end of each civilisation.	
English Writing	Anglo-Saxon poetry Playscripts Norse myths Non chronological reports Black History Month - Poetry	Diaries Leaflets Explanations Narrative poetry	Free verse poetry Instructions Poetry from other cultures	
Linked book study	Beowulf	The Mountain of Adventure	Secrets of a Sun King	
Science	Forces and Magnets Food and Digestion	States of Matter Grouping and Classifying	Electrical Circuits and Conductors Sound	
Art	Drawing	Painting	Sculpture Art Builders Week (Term 6)	
	Tomb Builders	Functional and fancy fabrics	Fresh Food, Good Food	

Design and Technology					(Cooking))
Geography	Interconnected World Geography companion project - Geography		Geography is covered in the main curriculum driver project		Geography is revision and retrieval practice	
RE	What does it mean to be Hindu in Britain today?	How do people from religious and non-religious communities celebrate key festivals?	What does it mean to be Christian in Britain today?	Why is Jesus inspiring to some people?	What can we learn from religions about deciding what is right and wrong?	Why do some people think that life is a journey? What significant experiences mark this?
Maths	White Rose - Autumn v3.0		White Rose - Spring v3.0		White Rose - Summer v3.0	
Computing	Online Safety Collaborative Learning Further Coding with Scratch		Website Design HTML		Computational Thinking Investigating Weather	
PSHE	Being Me In My World Celebrating Difference		Dreams and goals Healthy Me		Relationships Changing Me	
Enrichment/ Memorable Experience	Canterbury Roman Museum Avenue Theatre trip		Country Park trip Turner Contemporary		Dress up day Indus Valley Living History Workshop -	