

Durham Gilesgate Primary School

Autumn Term 2022

Class 4/5

English	Focussed authors: Roald Dahl, Michael Morpurgo Quality texts used in English lessons – Floodland by Marcus Sedgwick, Cosmic by Frank Cottrell-Boyce
Maths	Place Value, addition and subtraction, multiplication and division, length, perimeter and area
Science	Forces and Magnets, Earth and Space
History	Sept to October What were the achievements of the Shang dynasty? NC reference: Achievements of earliest civilisations Focus: key features of early civilisation, chronology, causation, use of primary sources
Geography	October to December What happens when the land meets the sea? Coastal erosion, deposition and management Fieldwork unit from Education Durham. Seaham visit
Art	Sept to October Thoughtful Mark Making/ Birds in Trees Focused observational drawing Add light and shade to a piece of work Artist: Julia Ogden
D&T	October to December Mechanical systems Cams
Computing	Coding, Online Safety, Spreadsheets
PE	Athletics, swimming, invasion games
Music	Livin' on a prayer - How rock music has developed History of Jazz
RE	What do we know about the Bible and why is it important to Christians? Why do Christians call Jesus the light of the world? What are the themes of Christmas?
Modern Foreign Languages	Greetings, Numbers to 31, Colours, Days of the week, Parts of the body, Clothing, Months Describing people
Jigsaw PSHE	Half term 1 children will explore Being Me in My World Our class will explore who is special to them in their world Half term 2 children will explore Celebrating Difference Our class will explore what makes them and others different
Values	We will be talking about the following concepts each month with the whole school. September :- Heritage October:- Cooperation November:- Fairness December:- Understanding Difference