



Medium Term Plan – Y6 (AUTUMN)

DISASTER!



Term	Autumn 1								Autumn 2						
Subject/Week	1 (3 days)	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
English	Non-Fiction: Biographies (Pliny the Elder)			Fiction: Historical Narrative (opening) including character description (Tranio or Livia FROM Escape from Pompeii) (Journey to the center of the Earth)		Non-Fiction: Explanation (Artemis Fowl based fantasy of tectonic plates and natural disasters)			Non-Fiction: Newspaper report (including live TV broadcast)		Fiction: Contemporary fiction First person narrative to link to Artemis Fowl inspired explanation of natural disasters (before, during, after)			Poetry: Imagery Poem (stages and features of volcanoes)	Poetry: contrasting tankas (before, during and after earthquake)
Guided Reading book	Running Wild – Michael Morpurgo														
Comprehension	Understanding words 1	Finding information 1	Identifying the main idea 1	Sequencing 1	Similarities and differences 1	Predicting 1	Concluding 1	Summarising 1	Inferencing 1	Cause and effect 1	Fact or Opinions 1	Assessment week	Review and recap skills		
Spelling (Y56)	Cious/tious	Cial/tial	Ant/ance/ancy/ent/ence/ency	Able/ible/ably/ibly	fer	Hyphen		Ie, ei after c	Ough	Silent letters	Homophones	Y56 a - av	homophones	fractions	
Spelling (Y34 – revision)	suffixes	I or Y	ou	prefixes	ation	ly	ure	sion	ous	Tion, cion, ssion, sion		K - ch	Sh - ch		
Phonics	N/A														
Handwriting	Tricky joins revision and spelling words								Tricky joins revision and spelling words						
Mathematics	Number and Place Value (Integers to 1,000, 000 and	Number and Place value (Negative numbers and proble	Number (Addition and subtraction – including	Number (Multiplying by powers of 10)	Number (Formal multiplication by 2-digit)	Properties of Shape (Properties of 2D)	Number (Division – 1 digit)	Shape (Area of triangles and parrallel ograms and 3D nets)	Measurement (Conversions of metric and imperial)	Number (Fractions, decimals and percentages) (Compare, add, subtract, mixed number to improper)		Algebra (Finding an unknown and BODMAS)	Assessment week	Geometry (Coordinates, draw, translate and reflect)	

	rounding)	m)	decimal, algebra and missing angles)											
Science	Light Explore questions and understanding (Umbrella)	Light What is light? (straight lines)	Light (How our eyes see)	WS (X2) Investigating shadows and light.	Light (Spectrum)	Electricity Famous scientist Explore questions and understanding (Umbrella)	Electricity Symbols	Electricity Volts and batteries	WS (X2) Electricity Explore circuits (series and parallel)	WS X2 Electricity Christmas lights – materials	WS Assessment Whole school investigation			
ICT	E-safety	Natural disasters information presentation				E-safety	Research famous volcanoes – search filters and trusted websites			Mental Health Awareness	Coding			
History/Geography	Knowledge harvest /What are earthquakes and volcanoes/Where do they occur?	What happens when a volcano erupts?	What happens in an earthquake?/How can we measure the strength of an earthquake	Which country is worst affected by earthquakes?	How do earthquakes affect people involved?	What role to aid agencies play in responding to disasters caused	Class Assembly – 2 weeks	Research significant volcanic eruptions from the past and place them on a timeline.	Compare data about volcanic eruption from the past	Pompeii report	Compare data about earthquakes in the past.	Research a famous natural disaster.	Pompeii Souvenir	WO W day.

