




# Term Planner

**Year: 6 Term: 3/4 Topic: 'Myths and Magic' Trip: HP world**

**Class book/s: Harry Potter, Percy Jackson, Myths & Legends**

**Terrific Topic Opener: Harry Potter day- sorting hat, banquet, potions challenge (alchemy)**




	Week 1 w/b 7.1.19	Week 2 w/b 14.1.19	Week 3 w/b 21.1.19	Week 4 w/b 28.1.19	Week 5 w/b 4.2.19	Week 6 w/b 11.2.19
<b>Whole School</b>	TD day 7 <sup>th</sup> January HP day- 9/1 (parents PM)	Harry Potter world trip SATs meeting -parents	ASSESSMENT WEEK Young voices trip 25/1		Technology Week Tues – Internet Safety Thurs – Open Day PM	Parents evening
<b>Writing</b>	Diagon Alley descriptive	Diagon Alley descriptive	Create professor or shop keeper and new HP scene- narrative	Create professor or shop keeper and new HP scene- narrative	Harry Potter Hologram instructions	Harry Potter Hologram instructions
<b>Reading</b>	Harry Potter and the Philosopher's stone	Harry Potter and the Philosopher's stone	Harry Potter and the Philosopher's stone	Harry Potter and the Philosopher's stone	Harry Potter and the Philosopher's stone	Harry Potter and the Philosopher's stone
<b>SPAG</b>	Apostrophes/plurals Range of punctuation- Including commas to indicate parenthesis	Link ideas across paragraphs using adverbials	Convert nouns and adjectives into verbs using suffixes	Active/Passive voice Relative clauses	Use layout devices suitable for non-fiction text types Semi-colons, colons and hyphens to indicate clear subdivision within sentences	Word classes and function within a sentence Passive/active voice
<b>Word of the Week</b>	Philosopher (philosoph word family) Greek- interested in a particular subject	Alchemy (+ 'chem' word family) Greek- art of transferring metals	Professor (profess word family) Latin- pro meaning before or profess declare publically	Sinister (sin word family) Latin- left	Refraction Latin- refringe meaning to break up	Photographic (photo word family) Greek- Phos meaning light
<b>Maths</b>	Fractions	Fractions	ASSESSMENT WEEK	Converting fractions, decimals and percentages	Estimate and find missing angles	Missing number problems and algebra
<b>Science</b>	Light- elicitation sources of light and reflections of light and concept cartoon discussion	Light- torch light travelling straight through slits of card	Light- torch and mirror target challenge, light travelling in straight lines	Light- learn about refraction, seeing light and spectrum	Light- make holograms	Light- make holograms
<b>RE</b>	What difference does it make to believe in Ahimsa(harmlessness), Grace, and Ummah (community)?	What difference does it make to believe in Ahimsa(harmlessness), Grace, and Ummah (community)?	What difference does it make to believe in Ahimsa(harmlessness), Grace, and Ummah (community)?	What difference does it make to believe in Ahimsa(harmlessness), Grace, and Ummah (community)?	What difference does it make to believe in Ahimsa(harmlessness), Grace, and Ummah (community)?	What difference does it make to believe in Ahimsa(harmlessness), Grace, and Ummah (community)?
<b>PE</b>	Beep test- fitness focus	Football	Football	Football	Football	Football
<b>Computing</b>	Research-Diagon Alley	Research-Diagon Alley	Word processing- Diagon Alley write up	Word processing- Professor chapter write up	Programming - Scratch	Programming - Scratch
<b>History</b>	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
<b>Geography</b>		Link to PSHE – Australian aboriginal society - totems			Locational Knowledge – topographical features	

<b>Jigsaw (PSHE)</b>	Dreams and Goals	Dreams and Goals	Dreams and Goals	Dreams and Goals	Dreams and Goals	Dreams and Goals
<b>Art</b>	Design Wands	Design Wands	Developing techniques using pastels, showing texture, blending colour - design and create Owls	Developing techniques using pastels, showing texture, blending colour - design and create Owls	David Hockey- Artist study of landscapes related to HP	David Hockey- Artist study of landscapes related to HP
<b>DT</b>	Design and create 3D model using mixed media - Wands	Design and create 3D model using mixed media - Wands			Practise DT skills – measuring, cutting, constructing a working ‘hologram’ optical illusion	Practise DT skills – measuring, cutting, constructing a working ‘hologram’ optical illusion
<b>Music</b>	Charanga- A new year carol	Charanga- A new year carol	Charanga- A new year carol	Charanga- A new year carol	Charanga- A new year carol	Charanga- A new year carol
<b>Spanish</b>	Describe myself: verb tener (to have), adjectives and noun position	Things I like to do. Hobbies (verb to do/hacer) (personal pronouns)	Things I like and don’t like.	Express how they are feeling (verb ser and estar, to be)	Write a letter in Spanish to penpal (introduction)	Write a letter in Spanish to penpal
<b>British Values</b> 	JK Rowling- author study relate to British and school values	Learning about different faiths- Christians, hindus and muslims	Respect and tolerance for different faiths	Learning about different faiths- Christians, hindus and muslims	Respect and tolerance for different faiths	Respect and tolerance for different faiths
<b>Outdoor Learning</b> 	Potions alchemy quest- HP day	HP world- Privet Drive exhibition	Species of owls in UK	Position of sun in relation to compass points - science links	Observing lengths of shadows outside – science links	
<b>Local Links</b> 	JK Rowling – Gloucestershire	Lacock- filming location HP	HP Hogwarts express built in Swindon	Christchurch College, Oxford + other local film locations for HP		

	<b>Week 1 w/b 25.2.19</b>	<b>Week 2 w/b 4.3.19</b>	<b>Week 3 w/b 11.3.19</b>	<b>Week 4 w/b 18.3.19</b>	<b>Week 5 w/b 25.3.19</b>	<b>Week 6 w/b 1.4.19</b>
<b>Whole School</b>	Mon - Problem Solving Day for World Maths Day Tues – Spelling Bee	Mon – Book Fayre Thurs – World Book Day (100m minutes reading challenge) <b>Shrove Tuesday pancakes in the forest!</b>	Community day (Sat)	Teacher Observations & mid year reviews Fri – Comic Relief	Mock Sats	Greek feast day Fri – Easter Egg Hunt Science week yr 6
<b>Writing</b>	Narrative- retelling myths	Narrative- retelling myths	Balanced argument-debate, democracy ‘Spartans vs Athenians’	Balanced argument-debate, democracy ‘Spartans vs Athenians’	MOCK SATS  Aesop’s fables	Electricity investigation
<b>Reading</b>	Greek myths Percy Jackson & the Lightning Thief	Greek myths Percy Jackson & the Lightning Thief	Ancient Greeks- comprehension Percy Jackson & the Lightning Thief	Ancient Greeks- comprehension Percy Jackson & the Lightning Thief	Aesop’s fables Percy Jackson & the Lightning Thief	Aesop’s fables Percy Jackson & the Lightning Thief
<b>SPAG</b>	Fronted adverbials Commas to avoid ambiguity	Linking paragraphs Extend sentences using conjunctions	Correct tense verbs Commas in a list of 3 Word classes- build vocab	Subordinations Relative clauses Range of punctuation for parenthesis	Mock Sats	Adjective/noun/verb/adverb Change function in a sentence using suffixes
<b>Word of the Week</b>	Ancient Greek vocabulary	immortality	democracy	philosophy	prophecy	moral
<b>Maths</b>	Fractions of amounts	Geometry- properties of shape	Geometry- circles	Ratio and proportion	Mock Sats	Measures and Easter problem solving egg hunt
<b>Science</b>	Electricity- elicitation and history of electricity	Electricity- circuits and symbols	Electricity- volts	Electricity- construct a circuit including motor	BristleBots- make a mythical creature	BristleBots- make a mythical creature
<b>RE</b>	What do religions say to us when life gets hard?	What do religions say to us when life gets hard?	What do religions say to us when life gets hard?	What do religions say to us when life gets hard?	What do religions say to us when life gets hard?	What do religions say to us when life gets hard?
<b>PE</b>	Basketball and Dodgeball	Basketball and Dodgeball	Basketball and Dodgeball	Basketball and Dodgeball	Basketball and Dodgeball	Basketball and Dodgeball
<b>Computing</b>	Research- Greece	Research- Greece	Research- Greek Gods	Research- Greek Gods	Research- Greek olympics	Word processing- BristleBot instructions
<b>History</b>	Chronology- Key historical events	How do we know about the Ancient Greeks?	Democracy and legacy of Ancient Greeks	Greek gods and mythology	Greek Olympics and key influences on our modern world- compare then & now	Greek day- archeological dig, Greek feast/tasting, Great Greek bake off, write names in Greek alphabet and study artefacts
<b>Geography</b>	Locating Greece and capital city and topographical knowledge	Locating key historical locations and learn about ancient city states	Locating key historical locations	Locating key historical locations	Locating key historical locations	Locating key historical locations
<b>Jigsaw (PSHE)</b>	Healthy Me	Healthy Me	Healthy Me	Healthy Me	Healthy Me	Healthy Me
<b>Art</b>	Design Greek pot	Design Greek pot	Greek printing patterns	Greek printing patterns	Greek printing patterns	Greek printing patterns
<b>DT</b>	Greek Pots – papier mache	Greek Pots – papier mache			Designing and making Bristlebots	Designing and making Bristlebots
<b>Music</b>	Charanga- Happy	Charanga- Happy	Charanga- Happy	Charanga- Happy	Charanga- Happy	Charanga- Happy
<b>Spanish</b>	Food preferences I like/I don’t like, me gusta/no me gusta (negative verbs’ form)	Food menu (singular/plural nouns)	Ordering food	Adjectives	My recipe	Spanish traditional fiestas

*“creativity is intelligence having FUN”*

- ALBERT EINSTEIN

<b>British Values</b> 	Learning about different faiths- Christians, hindus, muslims and humanists Celebration of St David's day 1/3	Learning about different faiths- Christians, hindus, muslims and humanists Start of Lent – Ash Wednesday	Debate and democracy Celebration of St Patrick's day 17/3	Debate and democracy	Mothering Sunday 31/3	Easter festival
<b>Outdoor Learning</b> 	Symmetry in real life	Story telling in forest – Greek myths and pancake making for Shrove Tuesday	Growing plants from seed inc potatoes	First day of Spring – signs of Spring - plants	Signs of Spring - animals	Archeological dig Grid system- co-ordinates quest
<b>Local Links</b> 			Community Event day – Growing 16/3		Community lunch 21/3 Investigating Easter - local visit to Gorsehill Baptist church 28/3	

**Summary of topic:**

**'Myths and Magic' will allow us to escape into another world! Launching our topic with our 'Harry Potter day' where children will meet the 'Sorting hat' and be allocated to their houses at Hogwarts. No induction would be complete without the children getting their very own owl and wands which we will be designing and making throughout the term. Furthermore, they will be carrying out a potions challenge in their 'Alchemy class' to solve clues in order to find the correct combination of 'chemicals'. Who knows what they will concoct! We then fly from Hogwarts to Greece to study ancient mythology and really dig deep into the past and retell myths around the camp fire! To end the topic, we will be hosting a Greek feast day, where the children will be able to sample a Greek menu and experience what it was like to live in ancient Greece.**



**"Think left and think right  
and think low and think high.  
Oh, the thinks you can think up  
if only you try!"**

**- Dr. Seuss**