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Cycle A 2023-24						
	Autumn 1	**Autumn 2**	**Spring 1**	**Spring 2**	**Summer 1**	**Summer 2**
F1 **Enquiry driver**	What does my world look like? (family etc)	What do you eat at a special occasion?	How can we travel? (Vehicles & how things go).	How are animals different?	What's happening in the great outdoors? Nature (habitats, bugs, birds, animals, plants & growing?	Where can we go on holiday?
F2 **Enquiry driver**	What do you see when you are out and about?	What do people celebrate in our community?	what can you find in the deep, dark woods?	What can we find at the bottom of the garden?	What hatches out of an egg?	What is life like in other countries?
Y12 **Enquiry driver** **Science Unit**	Which direction would you take? Geography – local study **Properties of materials (Year 1)**	Could a zebra live in Mapperley? Geography non-European **Habitats (Year 2)**	Who's in the zoo? Science (Features/ Classification) **Grouping animals by features (Year 1 and 2)**	What's the story behind Nottingham? History	How have seaside holidays changed over time? History	Where do pirates travel? Geography- oceans/ continents **Properties of materials (Year 2)**
Y34 **Enquiry driver** **Science Unit**	Why is the rainforest disappearing? Geography **Habitats (Year 4)**	What was life like in Ancient Egypt? History **Sound (Year 4)**	Why is the earth so awesome? Geography (Earthquakes & volcanoes) **Properties of materials - rocks (Year 3)**	Who eats who and how? Science **Grouping animals by features (Year 3 and 4)**	What's the matter? Geography (Rivers & mountains) Science **Properties of materials – forces and magnets (Year 3)** **Properties of materials (Year 4)**	

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Y56 **Enquiry driver** **Science Unit**	What lies beyond the Earth's atmosphere? Science **Earth and space (Year 5)**	Who are the Mayas and what have we learnt from them? History **Forces (Year 5)**	Where would you want to build a city? Geography **Properties of materials (Year 5)**	What was life like in Ancient Greece? History **Grouping animals by features (Year 5 and 6)**

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Cycle B 2024-25						
	Autumn 1	**Autumn 2**	**Spring 1**	**Spring 2**	**Summer 1**	**Summer 2**
F1 **Enquiry driver**	What does my world look like? (family etc)	What days are special to your family?	What happened to Humpty Dumpty?	What is the weather like around the world?	Who lays an egg? (life cycles)	Who are your local superheroes? Community- people who help (Where we live, members of society)
F2 **Enquiry driver**	What do you see when you are out and about?	What do people celebrate in our community?	What can you find in the deep, dark woods?	What can we find at the bottom of the garden?	What hatches out of an egg?	What is life like in other countries?
Y12 **Enquiry driver** **Science Unit**	How did the Great Fire change London? History		How can we protect the Arctic? Geography	What do I need to do to stay healthy? Science **Humans (Year 1 and 2)**	What was the impact of Florence Nightingale and Mary Seacole? History	What's growing in our gardens? Science **Plants (Year 1 and 2)**
	Seasonal Changes (Year 1) →					
Y34 **Enquiry driver** **Science Unit**	Who lived in Britain first? (Stone Age) History **Electricity (Year 4)**	Why visit Nottingham? (Local area) Geography **Grouping materials by features – Light (Year 3)**	Romans – rotten or revolutionary? History **Humans - nutrition (Year 3 and 4)**		Settlers or invaders? (Vikings & Anglo-Saxons) History **Humans – skeleton and muscles (Year 3)**	Holidays/ Destinations Geography **Plants (Year 3)**

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Y56 **Enquiry driver** **Science Units**	What does a journey through the human body look like? Science **Humans (Year 5 and 6)**	What did the Victorians do for Great Britain? History – Local study **Grouping materials by features – Light (Year 6)**	How did World War II shape the world we live in today? History – Local study **Electricity (Year 6)**	How do you survive in extreme conditions? Geography **Evolution and Inheritance (Year 6)** **Plants (Year 5 and 6)**