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| <p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>Literacy</u></b></p> <p><b>SPAG (Spelling, Punctuation and Grammar):</b> Y3 and Y4 grammar rules- using the correct tense, 'a' or 'an', nouns and pronouns and understanding word families.</p> <p><i>Spellings:</i> recapping and consolidating common exception words and starting Y3/4 word lists.</p> <p><b>Reading:</b> Weekly Reading Workshop activities including Guided Reading sessions. Developing our skills using a dictionary.</p> <p><b>Writing:</b></p> <p><i>Non-fiction:</i> instruction and explanations with Mrs See</p> <p><i>Poetry:</i> Syllabic Poems with Mrs See and Creating Images poetry. With Mr Duffin the children will be studying fables, information texts and poetic form. There will also be a weekly emphasis on grammar and English structure.</p> | <p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>ICT</u></b></p> <p>The children will use ICT devices and skills in all subjects. They will also develop their typing skills, the use of Office programs and apps on iPads relating to Coding.</p>  | <p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>Religious Education</u></b></p> <p>For the first half of the term, children will be learning about the Festival of Divali. After half term they will be studying the Christmas story. There will be opportunities to reflect and consider their own beliefs</p>   | <p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>Numeracy</u></b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Number (Mrs See):</b></p> <p>Place Value of numbers up to and over 1000, followed by developing our mental maths and written methods to solve a range of calculation problems. Our on-going objectives will be to learn our times tables up to 12x12 (Y4) and develop our mental maths ability to quickly recall our addition and subtraction number bond facts.</p> <p>With Mr Duffin children will be extending skills linked to shape, coordinates, data handling and time. In addition they will be extending Mental Maths skills</p> |   |
| <p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>Science</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Forces and Magnets;</b> linking with our topic- 'Machines' we will learn about forces and machines that use magnets.</li> <li>• <b>Rocks and Soil;</b> when learning about the war effort we will explore different soil types and how these might have impacted on the war campaign- 'Dig for Victory'.</li> <li>• <b>Light;</b> as the days get darker we will explore why this happens and think about the impact of light in WW2 with the blitz and blackouts.</li> </ul>   | <p><u>Autumn Term 2017</u></p> <p><u>Kingfisher Class Topic Web</u></p> <p><u>Years 3 and 4</u></p> <p><u>Topic: Machines</u></p> <p><i>Tuesday &amp; Friday - Mr Duffin</i><br/><i>Monday, Wednesday &amp; Thursday - Mrs See</i></p>  | <p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>PE &amp; Games</u></b></p> <p><b>For our Games lessons:</b> (<i>Friday mornings</i>) Mr Dailey will be coming in to teach us Rugby and Basketball every Friday morning.</p> <p>(In bad weather we will use the Village Hall.)</p> <p>With Mrs See, on Monday afternoons, we will be doing gymnastics linking to our work in Science on forces (pushes and pulls) and our topic of machines. After Half Term we will be learning about Hockey.</p> |   |   |
| <p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>Art</u></b></p> <p>When learning about WW2 we will make our own versions of war campaign posters using printing. We will link with our work on light in Science and explore making silhouettes using watercolours.</p>  | <p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>Music</u></b></p> <p><i>With Mr Duffin the children will be exploring descriptive sounds linked to animals and their movements. There will be weekly opportunities for singing and composing using tuned and untuned percussion instruments. The children will also listen and appraise music.</i></p> | <p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>Humanities</u></b></p> <p><i>History:</i> This term we will be learning World War 2 and the impact it had on society and on places local to us. We will learn be introduced to what it meant to be evacuated and as part of this will be dressing up and having a trip to the WW2 experience at Nothe Fort.</p>   | <p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>French</u></b></p> <p><i>Avec Monsieur Duffin, les enfants...will learn everyday French language and use this to construct simple sentences and responses. There will be a focus on listening to the French language and a study of the French culture.</i></p>  | <p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>Design &amp; Technology</u></b></p> <p>Following our whole school topic 'Machines' we will be using stimulus of Honda Cog Advert to invent our own machines then use junk modelling materials to construct them. We will also explore nets and make gas mask boxes for our class trip.</p> |

