Medium Term Planning
Eagles Autumn First Half. 2023-2024

	Week 1 4/9/23	Week 2 11/9/23	Week 3 18/9/23	Week 4 25/9/23	Week 5 2/10/23	Week 6 9/10/23	Week 7 16/10/23	
	World War II - The Battle of Britain							
PSHE Myself and My Emotions	Understand and manage feelings and the impact they can have.	Concentrate on boredom, worry and stress.	Problem solving to help myself and others.	Getting support when I need it.	Building confidence and being assertive.	Processing what I have learned and sharing with others.		
English	Descriptive Writing Beyond the Lines	Descriptive Writing Beyond the Lines	Descriptive Writing Beyond the Lines	Biographies and Autobiographies	Biographies and Autobiographies	Biographies and Autobiographies		
Maths	Place Value	Place Value	Place Value	Place Value	Addition and Subtraction,	Addition and Subtraction,	Addition and Subtraction,	
Science Light	Discuss the importance of the Sun as the main light source on Earth and list other sources of light.	The formation of shadows is further evidence that light travels in straight lines. Plan and carry out enquiries to answer questions about shadows.	Study sight in this session. Find out that objects are seen because they give out (light source) or reflect light into our eyes.	Explore light reflection from flat, concave and convex surfaces and refraction when light passes from one material through another.	Watch what happens when white light passes through a triangular prism and discover how rainbows are formed in the same way.	How fast is the speed of light? Faster than the speed of sound but by how much?	Play an online game to revise scientific skills and knowledge.	
R.E. Creation / Fall	Identify what type of text some Christians say Genesis 1 is and its purpose.	Start to consider the theories of Evolution and Cosmology	Considering the context, suggest what Genesis 1 might mean and how Christians may interpret it.	Make clear connections between Genesis 1 and Christians belief about God as Creator.	Show understanding of why many Christians find science and faith go together.	Identify key ideas arising from Genesis 1 and how far these are helpful or inspiring.		
ICT Computer systems and networks	To explain that computers can be connected together to form systems	Recognise the role of computer systems in our lives.	Identify how to use a search engine	Describe how search engines select results	Explain how search results are ranked	Recognise why the order or tanks is important, and to whom		
History/ Geography World War II The Battle of Britain	Understand why World War 2 started, who its leaders were and what is meant by the 'Phoney War'.	Understand some of the major events leading up to the Battle of Britain, including the countries involved and the roles they played; develop a	Digging for victory. Understand why people were encouraged to grow their own vegetables	Research the life of civilians at home and understand and discuss the important role civilian women	Find out about the lives of evacuees including research into some of the places they would have been sent.	Understand how our knowledge of the past is constructed from a range of sources.		

		familiarity with the location of the countries involved in the first year of World War 2 by locating them on a map of Europe.	and design a poster in the same style..	played during the war.				
Music	Recap and assess previous ukelele experience and skills. Chords C Major, A minor	Learn to play C Major and A Minor. Learn how to count frets, an essential skill for finding chords on the ukulele.	Keep practising the C major and A minor chords. Learn how to read chord diagrams. Learn a new chord - F major.	Put together the knowledge and practice gained over the past three lessons - start playing chord progressions. Learn how to play chord progressions, play the G major chord and strum with a pick	Play chord progressions to real songs. Play 1. Can't Stop The Feeling 2. West Coast 3. Lava 4. Ho Hey	Practise these songs, find songs linked to WW2		
Art/ DT Blitz Art	Analyse the methods used to create blitz scenes including colour mixing and build up of colour.	Explore mixing colours and using different brush strokes.	Create the background to a blitz scene by mixing fire colours and layering on paper.	Explore a range of silhouette backgrounds and how they can be achieved.	Plan building silhouette by looking at iconic buildings of large cities.	Add silhouette to the foreground of the picture.	Add any final details to the picture.	
MFL (French) La Seconde Guerre mondiale	Improve reading and listening skills by learning how to decode language in longer pieces of French text.	Learn the French for a selection of countries and languages involved in WWII.	Improve listening and reading skills by listening to the story of an evacuee in French.	Improve my range of vocabulary by learning key words and phrases relating to the countryside and the city.	Use all my new knowledge to compare life in the city and countryside during WWII.	Use all my new knowledge to compare life in the city and countryside during WWII.		
PE Indoor gymnastics	Link different types of gymnastics actions into a matching pair sequence performed in unison.	Incorporate matching and mirroring within a pair sequence and perform it with moments of unison and canon.	Incorporate matching and mirroring within a pair sequence and perform it with moments of unison and canon.	Improve the quality of performance of a pair sequence which incorporates moments of copying and complementing.	Adapt a pair sequence to show variety in speed, level and direction and to create a new compositionally developed sequence incorporating 6 – 8 actions.	Remember, improve and perform a compositionally developed sequence incorporating 6 – 8 actions.		

PE Outdoor handball	Shoot at a target with increasing accuracy of shooting.	Develop the knowledge of how to defend for a small game.	Improve skills of attack and defence in a full size game.	Understand the rules of a full size game.	Explain the strategies needed to block goals from the opposing team.	Combine all skills together and take part in a competitive game.		
Extended writing opportunities		Science - Written investigation - Shadows	English Writing outcome	Topic - Written report about the lives of Women during WW2	R.E - Comparison of Science and Faith.	English Writing outcome		