

HARSTON AND NEWTON PRIMARY SCHOOL
TOPAZ CLASS OVERVIEW SHEET 2022-2023 – Cycle A

Year group Year 1/2

	Autumn 1		Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Topic Title	Our school	Explorers	An Island Home	Great Fire of London	Australia	Seasides	
English	Beegu Jim and the Beanstalk	Lost and Found Wolves	The Sea-Saw The Owl and the Pussycat	The Great Fire of London Yeti and the Bird	Wombat walkabout Billy and the Beast Instructions	Journey Home Fanatical about frogs (or sharks)OR Lghthouses? Poetry	
	The Worst Witch	The Owl who was afraid of the dark	Harry and the Poisonous centipede	The Hodgeheg	George’s Marvellous Medicine	Just so stories	
Maths (Year 1) Following WR	Place value to 10 x5 Addition and Subtraction x2	Addition and subtraction x3 Shape x1	Place Value to 20 x3 Addition and subtraction x3	Place value to 50 x2 Length and Height x2 Weight and volume x2	Multiplication and division x3 Fractions x2 Position and direction x1	Place value to 100 x2 Money x1 Time x2	
Maths (Year 2) Squeezed WR plans to accommodate SATs	Place value x4 Addition and subtraction x3	Addition and subtraction x2 Shape x2 Money x2 Length and Height x1	Multiplication and Division x5 Statistics	Fractions x2 Time x2 Position and direction x2	Mass, Capacity and temperature x2 Calculation x2 Problem solving x2 SATs papers	Revision and coverage of assessment statements Calculation inc missing numbers, time, scales, shape, money, number facts	
Science (Year 1)	Materials: Let’s build	Materials: Marvellous materials	Animals inc humans - animal groups, food (Y1)	Habitats – suited habitats, food chains (Y2)	Weather (Y1)	Habitats – dead & alive, suited habitats (Y2)	
	Seasons: Throughout the year at appropriate times to learn about each of the 4 seasons						
(Year 2)	Materials: Materials matter	Materials: Squash, Bend, Twist, Stretch	Animals inc Humans: Healthy animals		Plants: Ready, Steady, grow		

History		Significant individuals - Explorers Scott and Columbus		Change beyond living memory Great Fire of London		Change beyond living memory Seasides Significant individuals Grace Darling
Geography	Our School Mapping skills focus		Island Home Contrasting UK locality (Katie Morag)		Australia Exploring a different place	
Trips / Visits				History off the page		Hunstanton Sea Life Centre Or Southwold & light house?
Art	Portraits (Class display) Craft and design: Map it out (Y2)	Christmas art activities and hall display	Drawing: Tell a story Lessons 1-3	Sculpture and 3D: Paper play (Y1) Link minibeasts Great fire of London based art work – buildings and silhouettes	Painting: Colour splash (Y1) Aboriginal art Patterns and animals	Drawing: Tell a story Lessons 4-5
Design technology		Structures: 2022-23 – Homes 24-25 – Windmills	Textiles: Puppets			Mechanisms: Fairground wheel
Computing	e-safety Mouse skills	What is a computer?	Digital Imagery 1 Internet photos and images	Digital Imagery 1 Taking photos/ editing Story board	Programming Beebots/Scratch	Skills showcase Word processing
Religious Education (RE)	Who made the world ? Creation story and harvest	Why does Christmas matter to Christians? Unit	Who are the Sikhs? Origin of Sikhism; Khalsa, Five Ks, Sikh worship and the Guru Granth Saibib	What stories do Sikhs think are important?	What do Christians believe God is like? Unit 1.1 Understanding Christianity	What makes a book special? Introduction to Holy books – Bible, Torah, Koran

		1.3 Understanding Christianity				
PHSE (Personal, health and social education)	Rights, rules and responsibilities Working together	Friends and Family	RSE Personal safety	Financial capability	Drugs education	Healthy lifestyle
Music	Class topic songs. Development of Duration, Pulse, Dynamics. To use this in composition to create thicker textures, layering of sounds and rhythms. To improve listening skills and understanding of pulse and time. Basic notation		Class topic songs. Pulse, Tempo, Texture in composition. Continuation of listening and basic analysis. Natural and everyday sounds.		Class topic songs. Sea Shanties as an aid to composition. Listening with focus on the sea and how to create this sound. Instrumental choices and rhythmic patterns. Graphic Scores.	
Physical Education (PE)	Games fundamentals 1 Dance – weather unit	Gymnastics Games fundamentals 1	Trails, trust and teamwork (OAA) Gymnastics	Games fundamentals 2 Dance	Tennis Athletics	Swimming Striking and fielding