

## Science

### Topic : Evolution and Inheritance

How have living things adapted to survive over time?

- Understand why offspring look similar to their parents
- Research how specific animals have adapted to their environment over time
- Understand the process of adaptation and how it can lead to the evolution of a whole species
- Know about the life of Charles Darwin and evaluate how important his findings were
- Explain how fossils are still useful to scientists today

## Strength

## History

### Topic :

What happens when people decide to invade and settle in a new place?

- Order significant events and movements on a timeline
- Compare life in Britain when it was led by Romans, Anglo Saxons and Vikings
- Identify similarities and differences between life then and today- what evidence do we have of this? Using a range of sources
- Explain the struggle between the Anglo Saxons and The Vikings in their fight for Britain.

## The Big Question

**What do we need to survive?**

## Friendship



**Survival based visitor/ visit**



## Vulnerability

## Music

### Topic : Friendship and Happiness

- To listen to and appraise a pop/ neo soul song.
- To play instrumental parts of the song using glockenspiels by ear and using notations.
- Compose a simple melody using a simple rhythm.
- To perform with confidence

## English

### Class Novel : Kensuke's Kingdom

Is it possible to survive alone?

- Read fluently and respond critically to literature.
- Analyse and assess the uses of language within a text to draw out the authors intent.
- Write for a range of purposes and audiences adapting style and language choices to meet their needs.
- Use varied, appropriate and challenging vocabulary in order to convey precise meaning when writing.
- Communicate ideas with imagination, fluency, style, variety and accuracy.

## Belonging

## Technology and Design

### Topic : Hibernating Hedgehog Homes

What makes a good shelter for hibernating hedgehogs?

- To research and evaluate a range of shelters.
- To explore how shelters can fail when loaded and find techniques for reinforcing and strengthening them.
- To plan, design and create a hedgehog shelter.
- To evaluate their product and identify strengths and areas for development.