









Overview & Themes

Clover Class Year 4

	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4	Term 5	Term 6
Theme	Innovation & Progress 	Leadership 	Diversity 	Creation & Creativity 	Exploration & Journeys 	Care and Protection 
Significant Figures	Innovator: Steve Jobs Ada Lovelace	Leader: Tutankhamun Cleopatra	Figure of Faith: Gandi	Creator: David Hockney	Explorer: Maria Tharp	Carer: Sylvia Earle Eugene Clark Dara McNulty
History	Ancient Egypt	Ancient Egypt			Anglo Saxon	
	NC: the achievements of the earliest civilizations – an overview of where and when the first civilizations appeared and an in-depth study.				NC: Anglo-Saxon invasions, settlements and kingdoms: place names and village life.	
Geography			India (8 weeks)	Local History & Geography study (4 weeks)		Coastal features
			NC: Understand geographical similarities and differences with human and physical geography. Use maps, atlases, globes and digital/computer mapping to locate countries and describe features studied; identify the position and significance of latitude, longitude, Equator, Northern Hemisphere, Southern Hemisphere, the Tropics of Cancer and Capricorn; types of settlement and land use, economic activity including trade links, and the distribution of natural resources including energy, food, minerals and water. CC: Heatwave/ extreme temperatures	NC: A local history study. use maps, atlases, globes and digital/computer mapping to locate countries and describe features studied. Use the eight points of a compass, four and six-figure grid references, symbols and key to build their knowledge of the United Kingdom and the wider world. Use fieldwork to observe, measure, record and present the human and physical features in the local area using a range of methods, including sketch maps, plans and graphs, and digital technologies. UC: Location of our village (train station, river, hops, farming)		NC: Name and locate counties and cities of the United Kingdom, geographical regions and their identifying human and physical characteristics, key topographical features and land-use patterns; and understand how some of these aspects have changed over time. CC: Rising sea levels and increased coastal erosion Rising sea temperatures
English (key texts)	The Scarab's Secret by Nick Would	The Magic and the Mummy by Terry Derry	Varjak Paw by S.F Said	The Spiderwick Chronicles by Holly Black	Beowulf by Michael Morpurgo	The Mousehole Cat by Antonia Barber

	Until I Met Dudley by Roger McGough Podkin One Ear by Keiron Larwood	The Story of Tutankhamun by Patricia Cleveland-Peck			The Door Poem by Miroslav Holub Ocena Speaks by Jess Keating	Malamander by Thomas Taylor The Lost words by Robert McFarlane The Book of Bees by Piotr Socha
Science	States of matter	Sound	Teeth & the digestive system <i>Gut Garden by Kate Bronsan</i>	Food chains <i>Who Eats What? By Sam Hutchinson</i> CC: how changes in habitat affect the food chains	Electricity CC: Renewable power	Animals & their Habitats CC: The effect of humans on animal habitats
Art	Egyptian artwork: Tomb paintings -colour mixing -traditional crafts -symbolism/ colours		Portraits Matisse Vs Picasso -drawing a face -mixing skin colour -looking at artists -realism Vs abstract	David Hockney & trees and birds -mixed media		Drawing and foil printing: funny fish
DT		Mechanisms: Pneumatic animal	Food: Samosas CC: Food miles		Electrical systems: Buzzer game	