









Overview & Themes
Bluebell Year 5

	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4	Term 5	Term 6
Theme	Leadership 	Creation & Creativity 	Exploration & Journeys 	Innovation & progress 	Diversity 	Care and protection 
Significant figures	Leader: Alfred the Great	Creator:	Explorer: Sir Francis Drake Tim Peake	Innovator: Hidden Figures Adam Steltzner	Figure of Faith: Mohammad Ibn Battuta	Carer: Rainforest Alliance Fairtrade
History	The Vikings	The Ancient Maya	Tudor Exploration			
	NC: The Viking and Anglo-Saxon struggle for the Kingdom of England to the time of Edward the Confessor	NC: a non-European society that provides contrasts with British history: Mayan civilization c. AD 900.	NC: A study of an aspect or theme in British history that extends pupils' chronological knowledge beyond 1066. UC: Tudor connections with W'bury			
Geography					South America: Mexico and central America	South America: Rainforest & the indigenous peoples
					NC: Locate the world's countries, using maps to focus on South America, concentrating on their environmental regions, key physical and human characteristics, countries, and major cities. Understand geographical similarities and differences through the study of human and physical geography of a region with South America.	NC: describe and understand key aspects of: physical geography, including: climate zones, biomes and vegetation belts, rivers. Human geography, including: types of settlement and land use, economic activity including trade links, and the distribution of natural resources including energy, food, minerals and water CC: Deforestation
English (key texts)	Viking Boy The Boy in the Tower by Polly Ho-Yen Tuesday by David Wiesner	Rain Player by David Wisniewski Hero Twins by Jolley Dan	Midsummer Night's Dream Iron Man by Ted Hughes	Curiosity: The Story of the Mars Rover Hidden Figures by Margot Lee Shetterly	The Explorer by Katherine Rundell	The Great Kapok Tree The Lost Book of Adventure by Teddy Keen

Science	Properties and changes of materials	Forces	Earth & Space	Animals including humans: Human development from birth to old age.	Living things: Life cycles
Art		Mayan Masks			Printing – insects.
DT			Textiles: Costume Design	Electrical systems: Battery powered moon buggies.	Food: Fajitas Corn bread