To Parents/Carers Victory School's Curriculum Plan 2023-2024

Topics for the term: 1st half term: Change, Cause and Consequence / 2nd half term: Growing Around the Globe

Class: Year 3/4 Emerald Term: Spring 2024			
English	Maths	Science	How can you help your child?
Fiction: Stories with Dreams, Curiosities and Desires - Shared poems, Persuasive poster, discussion and a letter of explanation.	Counting, partitioning and calculating. Securing number facts and understanding shape. Identifying and using negative numbers and Roman numerals.	Electricity: Children will be taught about common electrical appliances and how to construct simple series circuits, also using vocabulary, such as, cells, wires, bulbs and buzzers.	Help your child with their homework, ensure that it is signed by a Parent/Carer and returned on time. Encourage your child to research the topics
Fiction: Stories that use fantasy and humour - character descriptions, discussing vocabulary, narrative retelling and comprehending texts.	Handling data and measurements (length, capacity and weight). Calculating involving developing methods to solve problems in all 4 operations (addition, subtraction, multiplication and division)	Plants: Children will be taught how to identity and describe the functions of the parts of flowering plants. Also, what plants need to grow.	we are studying in their own time, by visiting the library or going onto the internet. Listen to your child read on a regular basis. Check your child has learned their multiplication times tables and spellings.
History	Explaining reasoning and methods. Geography	Computing	R.E.
The Roman Empire and its effect on Britain: In the first half term, we will be studying the Roman Empire and its impact on Britain. Including identifying Romans that originated from other countries, e.g. Septimius Severus.	All Around the World: In the second half term, we will be taking a closer look at where the countries of the world are located. They will also learn how to describe places using longitude and latitude. Also, we will look at specific lines around the Earth, such as the Equator.	Touch Typing: Children will be introduced to typing terminology, the correct way to sit at the keyboard and practice typing keys. Emails: (Including email safety) Children will think about different methods of communication. Also, they will open, respond and write an email. Branching Databases: Children will be introduced to Branching Databases which is sometimes known as 'binary tree' or 'key' and will classify a group of objects.	 Signs, Symbols and Sayings: The children will consider how art is used to express important beliefs in two religions – Christianity and Islam. Sikh Beliefs: The children find out about 6 main Sikh symbols and their meaning to Sikh people.
PSHE	P.E. / Music	Design & Technology / Art	MFL - French
Safety First: Children will learn how to consider what it means to takes responsibility for their own safety, e.g. peer pressure, risks or dangerous situations.	Hockey (first half term) Tennis (second half term) It is compulsory for all children to wear their PE Kit on the actual day and take part in lessons.	Mechanical Posters: Children will be given the opportunities to understand mechanical systems. They will design and make different lever and linkage mechanisms.	Quelle Heure Est-il: Children will learn how to talk about daily activities, telling the time.
Be Yourself: Children will explore the importance to have confidence to be yourself. Children will identify their strengths and achievements.	Perform a short composition: The children will be developing the ability to play simple rhythmic patterns and perform them from rhythm notation.	Insects: The children will use pencil, colour and mosaic, whilst observing real-life photographs on a variety of insects. Also, they will explore 'Insect' artists, e.g. Jennifer Angus and Louise Bourgeois.	Bon Anniversaire: Children will learn all about food and give their opinions about their likes and dislikes.