Spring 2 Year 4 2016-17 Pegasus Academy Trust

	WEEK 1	WEEK 2	WEEK 3	WEEK 4	WEEK 5	WEEK 6			
ENGLISH	The Demon Headmaster by Gillian CrossChildren will study the above text about a group of children who make a stand against their headmaster who wants to take over the world!. Through studying the book, children will write in a range of genres including newspaper articles, diary entries and first person accounts. They will also write their own extended, narrative version of the story focusing on descriptive writing, punctuation, grammar, sentence structure and related spelling words and patterns.Charlie and the Chocolate Factory by Roald DahlChildren will study the above text about a group of children who make a stand against their headmaster who wants to take over the world!. Through studying the book, children will study the play script version of the classic Roald Dahl story. Through drama, role play and paired and group collaborative work they will explore the medium of play scripts and write their own scenes based on what they have learnt. They will focus on the features of good writing, using all the skills they have been taught so far in Year 4.								
MATHS	For the second half of the summer term, children will revisit areas of maths they have learnt about already this year. In some cases, such as in calculation, they will revise and refine their methods applying them to solve problems and preparing them for Year 5. They will also revisit certain topics, such as fractions, time and measures, to extend their knowledge of these areas of the curriculum.								
	Animals including	Animals including	Animals including	Animals	Animals including	Animals including			
SCIENCE	humans humans Children learn about the digestive systems of humans and other animals.	<u>humans</u> Children learn about the diets of humans and other animals.	humans humans Children learn about the different types of teeth and their functions.	<u>including</u> <u>humans</u> Children learn about tooth decay and carry out an investigation to simulate this.	Animals including humans Predators, producers and prey.	humans Food webs.			

THEMATIC CURRICULUM 'Invaders and Settlers'	History In history, we will be learning about the time up to the Battle of Hastings in 1066. We will learn about how and why the Anglo Saxons settled in Britain and how this changed life for the people here.	Geography In geography, we will be learning about Anglo Saxon settlements, where they were and why they chose these specific places.	DT In DT, we will be making our own Anglo Saxon swords based on King Arthur's and designing our own Anglo Saxon village.	Art In Art, children will learn about the Bayeux Tapestry and the designs and art of this time.					
RE	Judaism Children will learn about the Jewish faith including studying the Shabbat and Hanukah. They will also learn about worship, lifestyle, celebrations and the scared and inspirational writings of the Jewish people.								
ІСТ	Scratch – children continue to explore how to write and create their own computer programmes. Children also use their ICT skills to research topics and publish their own work.								
P.E. AND GAMES	Swimming, gymnastics, athletics, cricket and rounders.								