

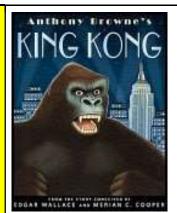


Autumn Term Planner:

Below is a breakdown of the topics covered in each subject for the Autumn term in Swallow class.

SUBJECT		
R.E	 Creation and Covenant We'll be studying two key events in the life of Moses: The Burning Bush: We'll explore the story of Moses and the burning bush, where God reveals himself. We'll reflect on what this event tells us about God. The Ten Commandments: We'll learn about the Ten Commandments, understanding their original context. While they might seem like rules, they were actually liberating for a people who had just been freed from slavery. We'll also explore the relevance to our lives today. We'll discuss how these commandments still apply to us today and connect them to Jesus' teachings about loving God, loving others, and loving ourselves. 	 Prophecy and Promise We'll study the significance of David: A King for the People: The Israelites ask for a king to protect them from their enemies, but the prophet Samuel warns them they should rely on God instead. From Shepherd to King: Saul becomes the first king, but he isn't a good one. So, God guides Samuel to choose a new king: David, a humble shepherd boy. We'll explore why this is similar to Jesus' story. A Promise and a Legacy: God promises David that one of his descendants will be king forever. We'll learn how this promise links David to Jesus, especially since Jesus' family is descended from David. We'll explore how David is an important figure in the Bible because he united the people of Israel, conquered Jerusalem, and is seen as a model for prayer.

ENGLISH



Writing opportunities: setting descriptions, diary entries, narratives and letters.

Key objectives: using expanded noun phrases, using passive verbs, linking ideas across paragraphs with adverbials, integrating dialogue to convey character and advance action.

Final independent outcome:

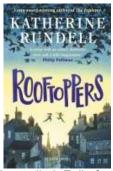
An action-packed story ending



Writing opportunities:
personal responses, list
poems, explanation and
information leaflets.
Key objectives: enhancing
meaning through
selecting appropriate
grammar and vocabulary,
using modal verbs, using
brackets, dashes or
commas to indicate
parenthesis and advance
action.

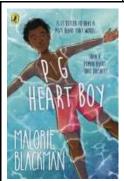
<u>Final independent outcome:</u> An information booklet based on an amazing animal (hybrid text type including information, explanation and persuasion)

READING



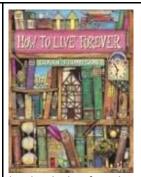
Set in Victorian times, Sophie, the twelve-yearold protagonist, is seemingly orphaned as a result of a shipwreck in which her mother, a cellist, is presumed to

have died. Full of adventures and imaginative detail, this book explores the idea that anything is possible with enough love and determination.



The story centres around Cameron, a thirteen-year-old boy, who is in need of a heart transplant. As time appears to be running out for him, he agrees to take part in a pioneering

transplant procedure, using a pig's heart instead of a human one.



Peter and his family live in the cookery section of a mystical library which comes alive at night. Peter discovers a secret – there is only one

book missing from its shelves, called How to Live Forever or Immortality for Beginners. Beautifully illustrated and full of original and quirky detail, the narrative relates Peter's journey to find the book

MATHS	Place value In this unit we will: - Read, write, partition, order and compare numbers to 10,000,000. - Round numbers. - Work with negative numbers. Four Operations In this unit we will: - Use written methods for addition, subtraction and multiplication. - Solve mental calculations. - Find common factors and multiples - Learn about prime, square and cube numbers - Learn the order of operations.	Fractions In this unit we will: - Simplify, compare and order fractions Add and subtract fractions including mixed numbers Multiply fractions by whole numbers and other fractions Divide fractions by whole numbers Solve problems including fractions and the four operations Solve problems involving fractions of amounts. Decimals In this unit we will: - Recognise the value of digits in decimal numbers Multiply and divide decimals by 10, 100 and 1000 Convert between fractions and decimals Multiply and divide decimals by a one-digit number.
SCIENCE	Electricity	Evolution and Inheritance
HUMANITIES	History: The Anglo-Saxons	Geography: Improving the environment
COMPUTING	E-Safety	E-Safety Networking and Communications
ART	Recycled Materials	
Music		BBC 10 Pieces - Earth
P.E Monday and Tuesday	Tag Rugby Swimming: Wednesdays	Netball
P.S.H.E	Being Me in My World 'Who am I and how do I fit?'	Celebrating Difference: Respect for similarity and difference. Anti-bullying and being unique