Medium Term Plan Year 2 Term: Autumn 2019/20 Topic Title: Out of Africa

Topic Hook	Does the lion sleep at night?						
•	Suggested Activities	Enrichment Activities	Writing Opportunities	Numeracy- Application of skills	ICT- Application of skills	Assessment	
Science	Animals including humans: Living things and their habitats, offspring, food chains and basic needs of survival, inc. exercise and healthy eating	Make a video of animal facts Kirkley Hall Zoo	Animal fact files  Creative writing linked with literacy based texts: Handa's surprise	Measuring Predict, plan, test	We are researchers		
STEM	Measure, cut, sticking techniques	Craft and design techniques to develop cutting and sticking - 3D junk modelling	Factfile to match model animal	Measure accurately			
History	Continuity and change over time - Maasai warriors  Lives of significant individuals who have contributed to international achievements - Nelson Mandela	Make shields, masks & jewellery Gumboot dancing, learn djembe	Diary entry	Measuring Symmetry Direction	Internet research		

Geography	Map skills - locating continents & countries.  Knowledge of place and location -Contrast places Weather and climate  Flags  Identify similarities and differences - lifestyles including empathy	Make own maps using symbols and keys	Write a postcard from Tanzania	Distance Scale	Google Earth	
Art	Study African artists e.g. Stephen Njenga	Create work in the style of artists				
Music	Listen to African music: Folksongs  Create and experiment with sound - African drumming	Create own music using instruments and body parts		Repeated patterns		

D/T	Design African habitats	Make African shields and masks	Describe African habitats	Measuring Symmetry		
	Craft and design techniques - African masks	Design an African water carrier	Instructions	Measuring Predict, plan, test		
	Produce creative works -African jewellery					
RE	Judaism Christmas time	Make Jewish artefacts and sample food		Measuring		
PHSE	Getting to know each other Communities	Compare life to that of an African village child			Word	