Year 4 Term: Summer 1 Topic Focus: Collective Responsibility Unit Question: How can I protect

	environment?	Landing Outroms
Learning Objective:		Learning Outcomes:
To take an active role in protecting the		
environment		To understand the responsibilities we have to our
Vocabulary:		environment
		To understand the impact of pollution on the environment
Environment		 To consider how spending can affect the environment
Collective responsibility		 To design a technological solution to an environmental
Climate change		problem
Debate		To explain an environmental issue and a possible solution
Pollution		To understand the importance of care for animals.
Solution		production of the second of th
Technology		Thinking Skills:
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		something
		Encourage others to join in discussions
		Draw upon evidence and own experiences
		Suggest reasoned conclusions
		Show a willingness to illustrate the ideas of others with
		own experiences
		Identify associated concepts and explain their relevance
		and connections.
Suggested Lessons	Aims of Sessions:	Content:
	Recap of prior learning:	
	That they belong to	L.O. To understand the responsibilities we have to our environment
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2 L.O. To understand the impact of pollution on the environment That they have responsibilities both in and out of the classroom Skills Focus: Encourage others to join in discussions https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zp22pv4/articles/z2md82p Watch the bbc video which introduces the effect of fumes/pollution on people and the environment Discuss what causes pollution and the effects it has on the world. Mind map ideas as a class. Show children images of places prelockdowns during Covid-19 compared with the same places during lockdown when car travel was significantly reduced. What do they notice? Why do they think this happened? In groups, children to come up with their own ideas of how we can reduce pollution. https://www.livingstreets.org.uk/workplaces/try20-tips Show children the 20 tips for encouraging walking over driving using the link above Make up some top tips of their own to encourage people to walk more than drive- these can be presented as a group poster, leaflet or a news broadcast. L.O. To consider how spending can affect the environment That they have responsibilities both in and out of the classroom Skills Focus: Suggest reasoned conclusions https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zp22pv4/articles/z2rhcj6 Watch the video about waste above Children to mind map in groups what they think we waste in school or at home. How does money relate to this waste? Recap the 3R's- reuse, recycle and reduce. Ask children to go back to their list of waste and think of ways to reduce that waste. 3 Share pages of this book with children (on their tables or as a class). Children to think about which issues they care most about and

would like to focus on in the next lesson.

issue they want to focus on.

Children to share their preferences and have a class vote on the

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	That they have responsibilities both in and out of the classroom	L.O. To design a technological solution to an environmental problem Skills Focus: Identify associated concepts and explain their relevance and
4		In groups, children to come up with a solution to their chosen issue. This should be a piece of technology- i.e. machine, robot etc. that can support positive change to the environment. • Have a look at these examples before designing their own-https://www.businessinsider.com/10-inventions-helping-save-planet-2018-1?amp
	That they have responsibilities both in and out of the classroom	L.O. To explain an environmental issue and a possible solution Skills Focus: Encourage others to join in discussions
5		Children to write a news report about their piece of technology that they have invented to launch it to the world. Children should include information about the problem and then explain how their technology can help to solve it. Children to read out their reports and present their technology to the rest of the class
		This can be made into a class book of different solutions to an environmental issue
	 That they have responsibilities both in and out of the classroom 	L.O. To understand the importance of care for animals. Skills Focus: Empathise with how others are feeling/thinking about something
	That both people and animals need to be cared for	As well as our responsibility to the environment, we also have a responsibility to look after animals. Does anyone have a pet? How do they look after their pet? Why do we need to take responsibility
6		for animals? Show the video clip from Cats Protection-
		https://education.cats.org.uk/moggy-modules-for-learning-at-home/ Discuss how to look after cats, writing notes on flipchart. Children can write a guide to looking after their own pet or use the information from the video/flipchart to write a guide about looking after a cat.
Evidence for	assessment will be from:	How there is a collective responsibility to help protect the world around us
		 How the environment can be effected by the everyday choices that we make, including what we choose to buy or spend money on
		The skills and vocabulary needed to share their thoughts, ideas and opinions in discussion about topical issues

the environment?

Resources needed for project:	How to show care and concern for both people and animals Pictures that highlight environmental issues/damage people can
	have on the environment
	https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zp22pv4/articles/z2md82p
	https://www.livingstreets.org.uk/workplaces/try20-tips
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Challenge: All tasks are accessible but there is	Level of writing produced when doing their news report- use key
room for stretch or solo taxonomy.	facts and ideas from previous research
SEND:	Use given facts to include in their report. The report can be given orally rather than being written down.