

English

In English, we will be studying the legend of Loch Ness. We will read and analyse numerous accounts and sources of sightings of the legendary Loch Ness Monster. We will then read a fantasy story based around Loch Ness before writing our own innovated version of the story.

History/Geography

In History, Lancashire's Cotton Mills and, in particular, Helmshore Mill, is our focus. We will learn about what it was like for both adults and children to work and live in and around the mills. Trade within England and the World will be a particular focus. In Geography we will be studying mountains. We will also look at why Lancashire was so good for the location of the Cotton Mills.

In PSHE we will be looking at relationships and feelings. We will discuss who to talk to when things get difficult and how to deal with pressure.

Science

This half term our focus is on Animals, Teeth and Digestion. We will be learning about teeth, the structure of a tooth and how we can keep our teeth healthy. We will also learn about our digestive system and what happens to our food once it has been eaten.

Maths

In Maths, we will focus on Place Value where we will identify the value of digits within a number before partitioning numbers. We will move on to calculation where we will learn addition and subtraction.



Year 4

Curriculum Overview

Autumn Term 1

Physical Education

In PE, our focus will be on the skills and knowledge of Basketball. We will learn different types of passing and catching whilst moving with the ball the ball. Our attention will then switch to short games where children will be taught techniques for accurately throwing the ball towards a target.

RE

In Religious Education, we will be studying Abraham. The children will learn about his life and his teachings. They will learn about the importance of faith and reliability.