

# Year 4 Overview (2023-24)

	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4	Term 5	Term 6
<b>Theme</b>	Geography – Local Bridge and Canterbury	Mayans	Settlements	Romans	South America	Rainforests
<b>Trips/Visits/Experiences</b>	Creed Outdoor Centre Fieldwork trip			Roman Museum Trip		
<b>Parent Sharing Opportunities</b>	Iron Man Puppet Cat-Walk		Sharing opera project	Poetry Slam		

<b>Core Texts</b>	Iron Man  Creed Activity Centre Leaflet	Weslandia (Adventure)  Example Non-Chronological Report	Tar Beach	Escape from Pompeii (Roman Poem) Poem Boudica? Acrostic Haiku Kenning (Children's poetry archive)	Ada's Violin	Jungle Book  Overheard - Poem Tin Forest
<b>English Genres (Writing)</b>	Narrative: The Iron Woman (Re-write)  Non-fiction: Persuasion (leaflet)	Non-fiction: Balanced argument - Should Welsey allow other children in?  Non-fiction: Non-Chronological Report - Mayans	Non-fiction: Biography - Faith Ringgold  Narrative – Flying over Canterbury (Re-write)	Narrative Writing – Predictive Chapter  Poetry	Non-fiction: Newspaper Reports  Narrative Writing – Whole Story	Non-fiction: Letter of persuasion - 'Trust in me'  Poetry
<b>Maths</b>	Place Value  Addition and Subtraction	Multiplication & Division  Measurement - Area	Fractions  Time	Decimals  Measurement  Money  Roman Numerals	Measures – Perimeter & Length  Geometry – Angles, Position & direction	Statistics  Measurement - Perimeter

<b>Geography</b>	Fieldwork <i>Graph &amp; Digital</i>		Human Geography <i>Settlement</i>		South America	South America
<b>History</b>		Mayans		Romans (2)		
<b>Science</b>	States of Matter	States of Matter	Animals including humans	Sound	Electricity	All Living Things & Living Things and their habitats
<b>Computing</b>	Online Safety Effective Searching		Coding			Spreadsheets
<b>Art</b>			Textiles: Making a Class Quilt (2)		Self-portrait & colour: Frieda Kahlo (2)	
<b>DT</b>	Puppets (2)	Mayan Masks (2)		Savoury Food (Baking) (2)		Bird Feeders
<b>Music</b>	Percussion: Junk Band (Stomp)	Wind: Recorders (Classical composers)	Singing: Opera Project (HB)	Melodica: Introduction to staff notation	Melodica: 70s pop	Ukulele (calypso chords/ accompaniment)
<b>Other</b>		Forest School (2) weekly Fri am		<i>Forest School (linked to DT) alt Thurs/Fri pm</i>		

<b>PE</b>	Net & Wall Games: Tennis	Gymnastics (Indoor)	Dance (Indoor)	<i>Forest School in lieu of PE</i>	Swimming (2)	Swimming (2)
<b>PE</b>	Outdoor Adventurous Activities	<i>Forest School in lieu of PE</i>	Invasion Games: Rugby	Striking & Fielding: Tri-Golf	Striking & Fielding: Rounders	Athletics
<b>RE</b>	<b>CREATION</b> What do Christians learn from the Creation story?	<b>INCARNATION</b> What is the Trinity?	<b>GOSPEL</b> What kind of a world did Jesus want?	<b>SALVATION</b> Why do Christians call the day Jesus died 'Good Friday'?	<b>HINDU DHARMA</b> What does it mean to be a Hindu in Britain today?	<b>HINDU DHARMA</b> What does it mean to be a Hindu in Britain today?
<b>PSHE</b>	Being Me in My World	Celebrating Difference	Dreams and Goals	Healthy Me	Relationships	Changing Me
<b>MFL</b>	School & Travel	School & Travel	Phrases	Daily Life	The 4 Friends	Animals