



Y4 Curriculum Overview

Autumn Term 2021



English

- Handwriting, grammar, reading, phonics and spelling form an essential focus of our work in Literacy throughout all the curriculum areas.
- The children will have text focuses: The True Story of the Loch Ness Monster - Frances Gilbert. The Unsolved Mystery of The Loch Ness Monster - Terri Sievert and The Firework Maker's Daughter - Philip Pullman and various versions of The Princess and The Pea.
- In addition, the children will focus much of this term on punctuation, grammar, comprehension and vocabulary work.
- Some of the genres this term will be: Stories with fantasy settings, explanations, leaflets, fairy tales, classic poetry and recount.

Physical Education

- Boccia
- Cricket
- Gymnastics

Science and Creative Curriculum

Science: Electricity: A unit, which considers appliances, components, circuits, conductors and insulators.

DT: To design a game which uses a circuit to power a light or buzzer.

Art and Design: Drawing developed into printmaking, rotating and translating images.

Computing & ICT: Internet safety, data handling.

French: All around town and Going shopping.

PSHE: Living in the wider world and Relationships.

History: A theme in British history beyond 1066

Geography: Rubbish and recycling - an environmental study.

Mathematics

- Counting, partitioning and calculating.
- Number facts, shape.
- Data handling and measures.
- Calculating, measuring, shape.
- Number facts, relationships, calculating.
- The children will be undertaking revision for the Y4 table's tests.

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Our Christian Values: Service and Friendship.

- David and the psalms
- Christmas and the symbolism of light.

Music

- Music appreciation
- To compose, explore and perform music with consideration of all of the musical elements.

Homework

- **Reading:** Children are required to read for 20 minutes every night during the school week.
 - **Homework:** Homework will go out on Tue and must return to school the following Monday giving everybody plenty of time to complete it.
- A 5-week homework project will also be set this term, which relates to our topic.**

Class: Year 4

Teacher: Mrs Barras.