

Curriculum Overview 2021-22 Year 4

Subject	Autumn term		Spring term		Summer term	
Overall Topic	Local Area/Mapping skills	Europe	Romans	Rivers/Water Cycle	Ancient Greeks	
Literacy	Non-chronological report Loch Ness Monster story Fantasy story Poems on a theme (senses) Class reader - Firework Maker's Daughter		Issues and dilemma story Newspapers Explanation texts Classic poetry- CATs poems Different style of poems (Kennings/Haiku/Cinquain/Limericks) Class reader Odd and the Frost Giants		Greek myths Playscripts Novel as a theme (David Walliams) Class reader - Gangsta Granny	
Mathematics	Following Lancashire planning supplemented by the White Rose Hub					
Science	STATES OF MATTER- material properties and material changes.		ELECTRICITY - circuits, conductors and insulators, switches	FORCES- gravity and falling objects, air resistance, water resistance and friction.	ANIMALS INCLUDING HUMANS- skeletons, muscles and teeth.	HABITATS- biodiversity, classification and care of environments.
History			Romans		Ancient Greeks	
Geography	The local area - Grid references OS symbols	Europe *Capital cities		The Water Cycle/Rivers *Map work linked to main rivers in the world *Features of a river		
DT		Pop up books using card mechanisms		Money containers Sewing skills		Security lights
Computing	Programming	Data handling	iMail Working together with email	Online safety	Animation	iPodcast - missed unit no sound work done Editing audio
Art	Design and make chairs- link with DT 3D sculpture and skills based unit includes some freestyle clay work Current craftworkers and designers:- Keith Brymer Jones, Sue Pryke (Great Pottery Showdown) and Emma Bridge water	Friedensreich Hundertwasser (Artist and architect study) Painted pictures/patterns, final pictures used for calendars Observational drawing linked to RE:- menorah candlestick (Concentrating on accuracy and shading)	Landscape pictures- Dorian Spencer Davis and Sara Holden:- Living artists, compare their styles. Talk about paintings using technical language. Draw the landscape the first, then, complete with watercolours.		Ripped paper collages including looking at the work of Antoni Gaudi. Show pictures of sculptures from Guell Park and Sagrada Familia. Draw design first and select materials.	

Music	Charanga scheme- Mamma Mia	Charanga scheme- Glockenspiels	Charanga scheme- Stop!	Charanga scheme- Lean on me	Charanga scheme- Blackbird	Charanga scheme- Reflect, Rewind and Replay
RE	God, David and the Psalms	Christmas- light Hanukkah (NCF) Advent Festival of St Lucia	Jesus the Son of God- Looking at his authority	Easter- betrayal	Prayer The Church Including The Mosque (NCF)	
PE	Gymnastics -combine travelling, jumping and balancing into a sequence. Invasion Games-Netball throwing/ passes and applying to games.	Games- Invasion games- Basketball passes/ applying tactics Gymnastics - sequence of gymnastic actions included matched shapes with partner using apparatus.	Swimming Dance Sparks Might Fly- develop performance skills, creative, imaginative movements.	Swimming Dance -Myths and Legends- travelling, mirrored sequence with a partner including balances and performance.	Net and Wall games- Core task 2-consolidate throwing, striking ball/hand within a net/ wall activity. Athletics - throwing sling throw, piush action, relay, jumps	Striking and Fielding- Rounders - striking ball from tee, simple tactics OAA -Team work and problem solving
French	On y va Visiting Paris:- How to get there and what to see.	Christmas songs L'étoile de Noel Douce Nuit	En classe including songs	Moi Family members and birthdays	As-tu un animal? Les amis de la ferme	Writing a simplified version of the story of the 3 little pigs
Other learning opportunities	Values- Honesty/Truthfulness	Values - Christmas	Values - Forgiveness	Y4 Music Festival Values - Lent/Easter	Values - Justice	French Day Values - Wisdom