

Curriculum Overview 2020-21 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 Issues/Dilemmas story Poems on a theme (senses) Class reader - Firework Maker's Daughter		Fantasy stories 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	Online Safety	Computational problem solving	Computer networking	Animation
Art	Design and make chairs Printing	Hundertwasser pictures for calendars	Landscape pictures		Faces - Guieseppe Archimboldo Picasso David Hockney	Clay Ripped paper collages
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	Invasion games Gym	Invasion games Gym	Swimming Dance	Swimming Dance	Net and Wall games Athletics	Striking and Fielding OAA
French	On y va	Christmas	En classe	Moi	As-tu un animal?	Les amis de la ferme 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
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