

## Literacy

### Spellings

Practising the words from the statutory list for years 3 and 4, Studying the 'au' digraph, the suffixes -tion, -sion, -ssion, -cian and adding 'ly' to create adverbs.

### SPAG

Each week we will be focusing on a different element of either spelling, punctuation or grammar.

### Stories set in Imaginary Worlds

- Children will write their own stories with an imaginary setting.

Explanation texts – Inspired by *How to Train Your Dragon* by Cressida Cowell, children will write a text explaining how to train a dragon.

## PSHCE

'Feelings and Emotions': To recognise that different people can have different feelings in the same situation.

## DT

Levers and linkages - Exploring mechanical systems. Designing, making and evaluating their own mechanism.

## P.E

Invasion games - Skills and tactics leading to playing small team games.

Gymnastics - Creating sequences using jumps, balances, rolls and travelling.



## Maths

We will:

Recap some concepts from the previous term of home-learning e.g. area and linking division & multiplication.

Learn how to add/subtract fractions and calculate fractions of a quantity. Understand tenths and hundredths as decimals.

## Music

Singing – To learn and perform songs for the Y4 concert based on 'Songs from the Musicals'.

## History/Geography

Vikings & Settlers - Discovering where they came from and why they invaded and settled.

To learn about Viking trade and their way of life.

## Oceania and Africa

Year 4  
Spring term 2 - 2021

Mrs Rowley, Ms Atkins and  
Miss Smith



## Collective Worship

Whole school Collective Worship will be on a Friday and KS2 Collective Worship on Tuesday, they will focus on our value.

## Values

Our value this term is perseverance

## RE

Christianity – Easter. Why do Christians call the day Jesus died 'Good Friday'?

## Computing

Writing for different audiences - Children learn that technology can be used to organise, reorganise, develop and explore ideas, and that working with information in this way can aid understanding.

## Science

Pupil-Led Investigations – Children will be conducting experiments based on their own enquires and interests. Though experiments, children will be answering their own investigative questions.

## Spanish

This term we will be learning how to say our birthdays and other dates.

## How you can help

Please continue to encourage your children to complete all set homework, including spelling practice.

We also need children to practise their times tables.

Regular reading – either listening to or reading with your child each night will continue to build their fluency.