



St Barnabas

Church of England Primary Academy

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**Our Vision: 'Achieving great things through learning and growing together in a love-filled Christian family'
 'That they shall have life, life in all its fullness!' John 10:10**

Year 4 Curriculum Overview

| Subject | Autumn 1 | Autumn 2 | Spring 1 | Spring 2 | Summer 1 | Summer 2 |
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| Topic Title | South America | Let there be Light | A Kingdom United | The Great Plague | Ancient Egypt | Rivers |
| Trip/Visitor/ Experience | | Visitor for interfaith week | Local fieldwork/trip | Workshop | Visit to Rock & River (Date TBC) | Field Trip-River Darwen. Visit by United Utilities. |
| English | -Novel as a theme -Poems on a theme -Debate | -Story with a fantasy setting -Play Scripts -Explanation text | -Non-Chronological report (on London) -Fairy Tales -Classic Narrative Poetry | Stories with dilemmas -Persuasive text | -Folk tales -Information text | -Stories with a theme -Recount-Newspaper -Poems with a structure |

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| Maths | Place Value- 4 digit numbers Addition and Subtraction | Measurement- Perimeter Multiplication and division | Multiplication and division (2) Measure-Area Fractions | Fractions (2) Decimals | Decimals (2) Money Time Statistics | Geometry- angles and 2D shapes. Geometry- Position and direction. |
| Science | Grouping and classifying living things Human impact | Electricity | Material properties and changes- solids, liquids and gases. | Teeth and digestion | Sound | 5 units- Allowing for some units to be extended into the following half term. |
| RE | Jesus the Son of God | Christmas-Light | What is Prayer? | Easter- Betrayal and Trust | The Church | |
| PE | Invasion games - handball Invasion games-Boccia | Gymnastics Net/Wall games | Invasion games. Gymnastics | OAA- Team Work & Problem Solving Dance | Athletics Striking and Fielding | Dance Net/Wall games |
| History | | Anglo-Saxons | | The Great Plague | Ancient Egypt | |
| Geography | South America-Brazil | | The United Kingdom (cities). | | | Rivers |
| Computing | Junior Jam-iProgram | Junior Jam-iJam | Junior Jam-iOffice | Junior Jam-iCreate | Junior Jam-iCommunicate | Junior Jam-iTech |

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| Art and Design | Romero Britto-Pop Art- Drawing (texture, shape, pattern), contrasting colours (felt tip). | | | Painting - Damien Hirst skulls | | Collage - Rivers |
| Design and Technology | | Textiles- Christmas Stocking | Food technology: 'Be a Baker' | | Mechanical and Electrical Systems- Alarm to protect Tutankhamun's tomb | |
| Music | Junior Jam- Steel Pans | Junior Jam- Boom Whackers | Junior Jam-Music Theory | Junior Jam-Samba Drumming | Junior Jam-Song Writing | Junior Jam- Boom Whackers |
| PSHE | Health and Wellbeing- What strengths, skills and interests do we have? | Relationships- How do we treat each other with respect? | Health and Wellbeing- How can we manage our feelings? | Health and Wellbeing- How will we grow and change? | The wider world- How can our choices make a difference to others and the environment? | Health and Wellbeing- How can we manage risk in different places? |
| French | Basic greetings, numbers, classroom instructions, seasons, birthdays, Christmas. | | Describing shapes, art and body parts. | | Family, friends, alphabet, spelling. | |