

St Anne's R.C. Primary School Year 4 Curriculum Overview September 2024 - July 2025

	AUTUMN		SPRING		SUMMER	
	7 weeks	8 weeks	6 weeks	8 weeks	4 weeks	6 weeks
	Why should we look after our teeth? (Science link)	Why were the Romans so powerful and what did we learn from them? (History link)	Farm Life (Science and geography link)	How have the Ancient Greeks impacted the modern world we live in? (History link)	Space (Science link)	Who were the early lawmakers? (1066 +) (History and British Values link)
TOPIC/Text	<u>Fiction:</u> Charlie and the Chocolate Factory	<u>Fiction:</u> Iliona: Diary of a Slave Girl	<u>Fiction:</u> Charlotte's Web	<u>Fiction:</u> Who Let the Gods Out Myths- Theseus and the minotaur	<u>Fiction:</u> Armstrong: The adventurous journey of a mouse on the moon	<u>Fiction:</u> The true story of the three little pigs
Song/film link	Rise of the Guardians	Horrible Histories: - The Rotten Romans	Charlotte's Web	Percy Jackson	National Geographic Super Spider Documentary	Horrible histories: The highwayman
Writing outcomes						
Narrative	Diary entry 3 weeks	Boudicca speech 3 weeks	Diary entry 2 weeks	Theseus and the Minotaur retelling 3 weeks	Setting description 3 weeks	Retell 3 Little Pigs (dialogue focus) 3 weeks
Non-Fiction	How to look after your teeth 3 weeks	How to be a Roman soldier 3 weeks	Spiders fact file 2 weeks	Character description 2 weeks	Planet poetry 1 week	Dick Turpin/crime and punishment (agree/disagree) 3 weeks
Poetry	Next stanza 1 week	Christmas poem 1 week		Persuasive letter 2 weeks Poem based on a myth 1 week		
Spellings	Step 1: Words that are homophones Step 2: Words with the prefix 'in-' meaning 'not' Step 3: Words with the prefixes Step 4: with the prefix 'sub-' meaning 'below' Step 5 Words with the prefix 'inter-' meaning 'between or among' Step 6: Challenge Words	Step 7: Words ending in '-ation' Step 8: Words ending in '-ation' Step 9: Words ending '-ly' Step 10: Words ending '-lly' Step 11: Words where 'ch' makes a /sh/ sound Step 12: Challenge Words	Step 13: Words ending in '-sion' Step 14: Words ending in '-ous' Step 15: Words ending in '-ous' incl. those where 'ge' from the base word remains Step 16: Words where a suffix is added to words ending in 'y' Step 17: Words ending in '-ious' and 'eous' Step 18: Challenge Words	Step 19: Words where 'au' makes an /or/ sound Step 20: Words ending in '-tion' Step 21: Words ending in '-sion' Step 22: Words ending in '-cian' Step 23: Words that are adverbs of manne Step 24: Challenge Words	Step 25: Words that are homophones Step 26: Words spelled with 'c' before 'i' and 'e' Step 27: Words containing 'sol' and 'real' Step 28: Words containing 'phon' and 'sign' Step 29: Words with the prefixes 'super-', 'anti-' and 'auto' Step 30: Words with the prefix 'bi-' meaning 'two'	Step 31: Challenge Words Step 32: Words that are plurals with possessive apostrophes Step 33: Revision words Step 34: Revision words Step 35: Revision words Step 36: Revision words
Maths	Place Value - 4 weeks Addition & Subtraction - 3 weeks	Time - 1 week Measure: Perimeter - 2 weeks	Multiplication & Division - 3 weeks Measure: Area - 1 week	Decimals - 2 weeks Tme - 1 week Decimals - 2 weeks	Time - 2 weeks Statistics - 1 week	Shape (2D shapes & angles) - 2 weeks

		Multiplication & Division - 3 weeks Shape Revision unit - 1 week	Fractions - 3 weeks	Money- 2 weeks	The four operations revision unit - 2 weeks	Position & direction - 2 weeks Fractions & decimals revision unit - 2 weeks
RE	Caritas - Dignity of the Human person Caritas - Family and Community Domestic Church Laudato si - Feast of St Francis Baptism/	Day of the dead Sikhism and Diwali Caritas Theme 3 Solidarity and the Common Good Judaism Feast of St Nicholas Advent	Local Church Reconciliation Mardi Gras Ash Wed	Lent Islam Week Easter Holy Week Caritas in Action Theme 4 - Rights and Responsibilities	Eucharist Pentecost Pentecost Party Caritas in Action - Theme 6 - The Dignity of work	Caritas in Action Theme 7 -Stewardship Universal Church Caritas in Action 5 - option for the poor and vulnerable
PSHE	IMatters Curriculum and Ten Ten Resources					
Science	Biology: Animals (humans)	Chemistry: States of Matter	Physics: Earth's Movement in Space Biology: Classifying Living Things	Continue with Biology: Classifying Living Things Physics: Sound and Hearing	Biology: Environment	Physics: Electricity
Computing	Online Safety- Self image and identity Online relationships Connecting systems and networks: The internet	Online Safety- Online reputation Creating media- Desktop publishing	Online Safety- Online bullying Programming- Sequencing sounds	Online Safety- Managing online information Data and information- Data logging	Online Safety- Health, Well-being and lifestyle Creating media- Audio production	Online Safety- Privacy and security Copyright and ownership Programming- Repetition in shapes
History		The Roman Empire and Roman Britain		The Ancient Greeks		Crime and Punishment- a study over time
Geography	United Kingdom		Rocks		The Peak District	
Art & Design	Drawing- Storytelling through drawing			Sculpture- Greek art- clay		Painting- Exploring still life
Design & Technology		Food: Celebrating culture and a healthy varied diet	Structures: Shell structures Desk Tidy 3D printing		Electrical Systems: Simple Circuits and Switches reading light	
Languages (Latin: Minimus)	Revisit of Y3 key learning: • nouns • adjectives • verbs	Chapter 5: Romans and Britons • Britons and Candidus' experiences • adverbs	Chapter 6: Off to Town Consolidation: • verbs • nouns	Chapter 7: The Military Machine • The Roman Empire • Imperatives	Chapter 8: Clean and Healthy • Roman baths, doctors	Review of Learning Assessment Showcase

			• adjectives		• adverbs • imperatives	
PE	Outdoor Games Orienteering	Gym Edstart Linking actions in a sequence.	Dance World Dance World of Dance (TV show) Create a stepping pattern jive/salsa/irish dance/country/afro-american	Gym Linking actions in a sequence.	Dance	Outdoor Games Invasion games and athletics: Learning sport specific skills, developing a basic understanding of attack, defence, rules and personal evaluation. Focus sports will be rugby
Swimming	Swimming	Swimming	Swimming	Swimming	Swimming	Swimming
Music	Ukulele Specialised Teacher Lessons					
Educational Visits					Ghyll Head	Crown Court & Police Museum