

Year 4 Curriculum Overview 2022/2023

	Autumn		Spring		Summer	
Topic title	Veni, Vidi, Vici.	Winter Wonderland	Island Adventures			
Texts	Thieves of Ostia by Caroline Lawrence Ice Palace by Robert Swindell Roman Britain Who were the Romans? How to be a Roman in 21 easy stages Ancient Rome		The Wild Robot Stowaway		Letters from the Lighthouse Bombs and Blackberries plus other playscripts	
Maths	Place Value, Addition & Subtraction, Area, Multiplication & Division		Multiplication & division, Length & perimeter, Fractions, Decimals		Decimals, Money, Time, Shape, Statistics, Position & Direction:	
English genres	Narrative, Non-chronological report, Persuasion, Instructions, Recount, Discussion, Explanation, Poetry					
Spelling	No Nonsense Spelling Y4 Term 1		No Nonsense Spelling Y4 Term 2		No Nonsense Spelling Y4 Term 3	
Science	Living Things & their Habitat	States of Matter	Electricity	Sound	Animals including humans	Living Things & their Habitat- habitats
Computing	(CS) Code.Org	(DL) Word Processing	(CS) Scratch Maze	(DL) Stop Animation / Green Screen	(CS) Kodu	(DL) Web Research/ design
ESafety	L1 Rings of responsibility	L2 private and personal information	L3 the power of words	L4 the key to keywords	L5 whose is it anyway?	
RE	How special is the relationship Jews have with God?	What is the most significant part off the Christmas story for Christians today?	How important is it for Jewish people to do what God asks them to do?	Is forgiveness always possible?	What is the best way for a Jew to show commitment to God?	Do people need to go to Church to show they are Christians?
History	Romans		Tudors		World War II	
Geography	Mountains, Earthquakes & volcanoes –(European Country)		Globes & maps			
DT	Structures: Shell Structures		Electrical Systems: simple circuits and switches		Food: A healthy and varied diet	
Art	Developing ideas Mastering techniques- Drawing & Painting Inspiration from the greats (artists may vary)		Developing ideas Mastering techniques- Collage & Sculpture Inspiration from the greats (artists may vary)		Developing ideas Mastering techniques- Print, Textiles & Digital Media Inspiration from the greats (artists may vary)	
Music						
MFL	Unit 10 Birthdays, Unit 11 Days of the Week		Unit 12 What's the date today?, Unit 13 Pets		Unit 14 Families	

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PE	Real PE unit: 1 (Personal)	Real PE unit 2 (Social)	Real PE Unit 3 (Cognitive)	Real PE Unit 4 (Creative)	Real PE unit 5 (Applying Physical)	Real PE unit 6 (Health & Fitness)																											
	Striver- Tag rugby (y3)	Striver- Dance 1	Striver- Gymnastics 1	Striver- Basketball	Striver-Rounders	Striver- Athletics																											
KS2 Intra school event	Football	Rugby Dance share	Basketball	Hockey Gymnastics share	Rounders	Cricket Sports Day																											
RHSE	Being Me in my World Being part of a class team, Being a school citizen, Rights, responsibilities and democracy (school council) Rewards and consequences, Group decision-making, Having a voice, What motivates behaviour	Celebrating Difference Challenging assumptions, Judging by appearance, Accepting self and others, Understanding influences, Understanding bullying, Problem-solving, Identifying how special and unique everyone is, First impressions	Dreams and goals Hopes and Dreams, Broken Dreams, Overcoming Disappointment, Creating New Dreams, Achieving Goals, We Did It!	Healthy Me My Friends and Me, Group Dynamics, Smoking, Alcohol, Healthy Friendships, Celebrating my Inner strength and assertiveness	Relationships Jealousy, Love and loss, Memories of loved ones, Getting on and Falling Out, Girlfriends and boyfriends, Showing appreciation to people and animals	Changing Me Being Unique, Having a baby- responsibilities and joys. Girls and puberty- How a girl's body changes so that she can have a baby when she's an adult- including menstruation. Confidence in change, Accepting change, Preparing for transition.																											
Life Skills Enterprise Fundraising	Children in Need- organisation of																																
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	Democracy – Election of School and Sports' Councils. Individual liberty		Mutual respect and tolerance for those of different faiths and beliefs and for those without faith. Individual liberty		Rule of Law																												
Bible Story	Cycle 1: Jesus Calms the Storm (Trust) Cycle 2: Feeding of the 5000 (Kindness)																																
Focus Days/Week:	Harvest service and Remembrance service at St Bartholomew's Church		Book Week The Easter Experience Safer Internet Day		Healthy Living Week Arts Festival (biennial)																												
Enrichment:	World Cup Reading Challenge				Forest School Transition activities Key Stage 2 Summer Production																												
Additional texts:	Escape from Pompeii		The Wild Robot Electrigril																														