Curriculum Overview 2023-2024 for Year 4

- Fiction Descriptive writing rainforest setting - The Wild Robot
- Non-fiction Non-chronological reports - Desert Creatures
- Performance Poetry Michael Rosen
- Non-fiction Instructions How to race chariots
- Fiction Through the Porthole –
 Sea description
- Fiction Little Red Riding Hood Twisted Ending

Numbers up to 10,000.

• Introduction to area.

• Times tables facts up to

Multiply and divide by 2-

and 3-digit numbers

Multiplication and Division

Add and subtract 4-digit

numbers and estimation.

Addition and subtraction

Place value:

Measurement

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English

- Non-fiction Letter The True Story of the Three Little Pigs
- Explanation text the digestive system
- Diary description Escape from Pompeii
- Instructions How to survive a volcano eruption.
- character description Beowulf

SPAG

- Powerful vocab
- Expanded noun phrases/ Adjective/noun phrases
- Prepositions
- Openers ing chunks
- Poem features and vocab
- Focusing on specific adjectives and alliteration.
- Subheadings
- Completing research
- Writing factual pieces of information paragraphs

Art & Design

- Sketching and shading
- Building sculptures volcanoes
- Clay modelling dragon eyes
- DT linked project making Christmas decorations

Life skills & Experiences

- Recorders
- Bristol aquarium trip
- PGI
- Science Practical experiments
- Wolf mock court trial Dance + cricket
- Anglo Saxon crime scene
- Portals to the Past Romans
- Explorer dome
- Making roman catapults

Science

- Living things and their environment
- Digestive system + teeth
- Electricity
- Sound
- __Solids, liquids, gases

Religious

Education

- Why is Jesus inspiring to some people?
- Why do some people think that life is a journey?
- What does it mean to be a Hindu?
- How do family and life festivals show what is important to Jewish people?
- What can we learn from religions and worldviews about deciding what is right and wrong?

Mathematics

Length and perimeter

- Kilometres and meters
- Perimeter of shapes.

Fractions

- Comparing fractions
- Fractions and the four operations.

Decimals

- Tenths and hundredths
- Dividing 1- and 2-digit numbers by 10.
- Comparing decimals

Money

 Converting and comparing money

Time

using a 12- and 24-hour clock

Shape

• angles and polygons

Statistics

- Charts and graphs
 position and direction
 - plotting and drawing on a grid

Spanish

- Greetings
- Hobbies
- Colours
- Describing myself
- Eating and drinking
- Opinions

Music

- Recorders
- Glockenspiels
- Performance and Improvising
- Pulle
- Composing alongside a song
- Reflection
- History of music

Design & Technology

- Making Roman catapults
- Making electrical torchesSewing Christmas decorations
- Pneumatics making a moveable to

Computing

- E-Safety
- Computer networks The Internet
- Editing photos
- Simple programming Repetition in Shapes

History

The Roman Empire

A history of the Roman Empire discussing how it linked to Britain and discussing the impact today.

- Anglo-Saxons
- Why did they invade Britain? How did their invasion affect England today?
- The Viking and Anglo-Saxon struggle for power.

 How close did Vikings come to taking over the country? How did the people in England protect themselves from the invasion?

PSHE

- Being me in my world
- Celebrating different
- Dreams and goals
- Healthy me
- Relationships
- Changing me

Geography

- Earthquakes
- Volcanoes
- __Food & Farming

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