



Curriculum Overview - Year 4

Year 4	AUTUMN 1	AUTUMN 2	SPRING 1	SPRING 2	SUMMER 1	SUMMER 2
VALUES	High expectations	Respect	Responsibility	Perseverance	Trust	Enjoyment
WOW TOPIC / THEME	Nelson Mandela	Volcanoes	Urban Art	Vicious Vikings	An impression of art	Terrific Tamworth
WOW EXPERIENCE	African drumming	Volcano Day	Visit to town - visit from poet	York	Caterpillars	Trip to the Beach
AUTHOR FOCUS	Catherine Fisher	Catherine Fisher	Philip Pullman	Philip Pullman	Glenda Millard	Glenda Millard
ENGLISH FICTION	Text - Little Red Riding Hood - character	Text - To the edge of the world - settings	Text - Mulenga and the Cherries - speech	Text - Matala comes to supper - action	Text - The King of Birds - suspense	Text - The legend of the Green children - vocab
ENGLISH NON-FICTION	Instructions	Letter	Newspaper report	Non-Chronological report	Persuasion	Discussion
GPS	Expanded noun phrases	Degrees of possibility, modal verbs	Relative clauses	Parenthesis	Commas for clarity	Perfect verb forms
MATHS	Place Value to 10000 Addition and subtraction facts	Multiplication and division facts	Measure, shapes, angles and triangles Data collection	Time, mental calculations, properties of shapes and triangles.	Addition and subtraction, multiplication and division, calculating with fractions	Percentages, capacity, fractions, shape and position, problem solving
SCIENCE	Animals including humans	Animals including humans	Living things and their habitats	Sound	Electricity	States of matter
COMPUTING	Safety online, databases	Coding	Spreadsheets	Game Creator	3D Modelling	Concept Maps
P.E	Swimming	Swimming	Swimming	Swimming	Dance	Dance
GAMES	Warm up and tactics	Throw and catch in combination	Defence and attack skills and tactics	Use defence and attack skills to improve individual and team performance	Use tactics to improve individual and team performance	Develop technique, flexibility and strength across a range of athletic events
R.E	Judaism - Beliefs and Practises	Christianity - Christmas	Buddhism	Christianity: Easter	Buddhism	Prayer and worship - Christianity
PSHE	Feelings and emotions	Valuing differences and anti-bullying	Growing and changing, Healthy lifestyles	Keeping safe	Rights and responsibilities,	Money
WOW Geography x2 History x2 Art and DT x 2	History-researching Nelson Mandela	Geography-mapping skills in local area	DT: Urban Art	History: Researching history of our local area	Art: Impression of Art	Geography: Contrasting locality
MUSIC	Play it Again! Rhythmic patterns	Class Orchestra	Dragon Scales	Painting with sounds	Singing games	Animal Magic
MINDFULNESS	Introduction to Mindfulness	Weathering the storm inside	Handling difficult feelings	The conveyor belt of worries	It is good to be kind	Patience, Trust and Letting go
ANKERMOOR ANGELS	Who am I?	Bucket filling philosophy	Resilience	Challenges	Friends and feelings	Taking care of myself