

Year Four Curriculum Overview – 2023-24

Spring 1						
English			Maths		Science	
Texts: Disney’s Feast, The River by Valerie Bloom			Multiplication and Division, length and perimeter, fractions.		Living things and their habitats	
Grammar and Punctuation			<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Factor pairs• Multiplying by 10 and 100• Dividing by 10 and 100• Related facts – multiplication and division• Written multiplication methods• Multiplying a 2/3 digit number by a 1 digit number• Dividing a 2/3 digit number by a 1 digit number• Problem solving• Efficient multiplication• Measuring in kilometres and meters• Equivalent lengths• Perimeter of shapes• Understanding the whole• Counting beyond 1• Partition, compare and order mixed numbers		<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Identifying characteristics of living things• Classifying animals• Exploring classification keys• Explaining habitats and threats	
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Adjectives• Homophones• Commas and fronted adverbials• Expanded noun phrases• Editing and evaluating						
Spelling						
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Homophones and near homophones• Nouns ending in the suffix –ation• Adding the prefix -sub and –super• Plural Possessive apostrophes with plural words						
Geography	RE	PSHE	Computing	Art	Music	PE
Polar Regions	Hinduism – How does the story Rama and Sita inspire Hindus to follow their dharma?	Working together and financial capability.	Scratch	Painting	Traditional music.	Indoor PE: gymnastics Outdoor PE: basketball
Visits: River Lark, Pond Covert						
Spring 2						
English		Maths		Science		

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Texts: Penguins (Non-fiction)		Fractions and decimals.			Sound	
Grammar and Punctuation		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Improper fractions • Fractions on a number line • Equivalent fractions • Adding/subtracting fractions • Tenths as fractions, decimals, on a place value chart and number line • Hundredths as fractions, decimals, on a place value chart and number line • Dividing 1 and 2 digit numbers by 10 and 100 			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Understanding how sound is made • Exploring vibrations • Finding patterns in pitch • Exploring and explaining volume 	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Determiners • Word families • Prepositional phrases • Verb tense – present • Inverted commas 						
Spelling						
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Words with the /s/ sound spelt 'sc' • Words with a 'soft c' spelt 'ce' • Words with a 'soft c' spelt 'ci' • Word families based on common words, showing how words are related in form and meaning • Statutory spelling challenge words 						
Geography	RE	PSHE	Computing	DT	Music	PE
Biomes	Judaism – What symbols and stories help Jewish people remember their covenant with God?	Sex and relationships education and drug education.	Lego We Do/ internet research	Snow Goggles	Music through the ages	Indoor PE: fundamental movement Outdoor PE: tag rugby
Visits:						