

Year 4 Curriculum Overview 2023 - 24

	Autumn A 8 weeks	Autumn B 7 weeks	Spring A 5 weeks	Spring B 5 weeks	Summer A 7 weeks	Summer B 7 weeks
TOPIC	Romans impact on Britain	The Girl Who Stole the Elephant Teeth and Digestion	Ice Palace	Amazing Grace-Grace and Family	Greeks Myths and Olympics	Tell me a dragon
English	<p><u>Texts</u> Pompeii Non-fiction Romans</p> <p>Writing Focus</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Diary Writing • Non-Chronological reports 	<p><u>Texts</u> The Girl Who Stole the Elephant</p> <p>Writing Focus</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Debate/persuasive • Newspaper report • Inner monologue 	<p><u>Texts</u> Ice Palace</p> <p>Writing Focus</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Setting description • Write a quest • Persuasion 	<p><u>Texts</u> Amazing Grace Grace and family</p> <p>Writing Focus</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Letter writing • Diary writing • Tourist brochure • Setting description 	<p><u>Texts</u> Greek myths</p> <p>Writing Focus</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Persuasive text • Greek Myths • Playscript and performance 	<p><u>Texts</u> Tell me a dragon The Land of Roar</p> <p>Writing Focus</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fantasy story • Non-chronological report
Reading	Revolting Rhymes	The Girl Who Stole the Elephant	Ice Palace	Carousel	Carousel	Carousel

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Maths	Number – Place Value Number- Addition and Subtraction	Measurement: Area Number – Multiplication and Division	Number – multiplication and division Measurement- Length and Perimeter	Fractions Decimals	Fractions/Decimals Measurement- Money Time Convert between different units of measure [for example, Read, write and convert time between analogue and digital 12- and 24-hour clocks.	Statistics Geometry: Properties of shape Geometry- Position and Direction
Science	Living things and their habitats.	Teeth and Digestion	Water cycle Changing states	Electricity	Sound and Ear	RSE
Working Scientifically comes throughout all blocks						
Computing 9	Networks and how the internet works	Audio editing	Creating media- photo editing	Data handling	Programming	
E-safety throughout all blocks						
History	Roman Empire and the impact on Britain	Armistice day			Ancient Greeks- Democracy	Local History Study- Industrial Revolution/Textiles
Geography		Geography: The Americas Can you come on a Great American Road Trip?	Geography: Rivers and the Water Cycle How does the water go round and round?	Geography: Coasts Do we like to be beside the seaside?		

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Religious Education	How are important events remembered in ceremonies? Diwali Assembly	How are important events remembered in ceremonies? The importance of light in the festivals e.g Diwali, Hannukah, Christmas	What Faiths are shared in our country?	How do the five pillars guide Muslims? 40 Acts Lent Easter	Why are Gurus at the heart of Sikh belief and Practice? Vasaikhi	
Art and Design and Technology	<u>ART- Drawing Explore</u> how artists create sequenced drawings to share and tell stories. Create accordion books or comic strips to retell poetry or prose through drawing.	<u>DT- Design and Food Technology- Chocolate</u> courgette cake (fairtrade) Recipe 24 know that food is grown, reared and caught in the UK, Europe and the wider world. Catapults	<u>ART- Exploring Pattern</u> Exploring how we can use colour, line and shape to create patterns, including repeating patterns.	<u>DT- Design and make</u> an electrical systems, simple circuits and switches- Nightlight?	Art-Sculpture	<u>DT- Textile- 2D shape</u> to 3D project
RSHE	Transition changes Rights and Responsibilities First Aid	Families and people who care for me	Staying safe and healthy online and in real life.	Money Matters Taking care of the environment Railway safety (being safe)	Mental and physical benefits of an active life style. Drugs and alcohol	RSE
Music	Keyboards	Keyboards	<i>Charanga-Mamma Mia</i> <i>(pop)</i>	Charanga-Glockenspiel 2 (mixed)	Charanga-Stop! (grime)	Charanga-Reflect, rewind and replay (history of music)
French	Welcome to school	My local area, your local area	Family tree and faces	Face/body parts	Feeling unwell/jungle animals	The Weather/ Summer Time

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PE and Games	Gym-Beyond the Physical-external provider-Symmetry, balance, travel Hands, feet, equipment	Strike, react, rally Look, Run, Avoid	Throw, prepare, catch React, roll, retrieve	Run, jump, throw Fair, share, dare	Duel, win, lose Position, possession, patience	Inspire, create, perform (external provider) Accuracy, power, distance
Trips and visitors	Romans VR School Trips & Workshops (planmyschooltrip.co.uk)				Greek Workshop YSP	Cliffe House