

General Information

Please ensure that your child:

- Reads regularly at home
- Practise times tables regularly
- Has all uniform and kit clearly labelled
- Refers to the homework diary for completion of tasks set
- Is fully equipped with a named pencil case & the appropriate contents : pencils, sharpener, eraser, ruler, scissors, glue stick & handwriting pen

Extra Curricular Clubs:

- Judo
- Choir
- Japanese language
- Athletics
- Netball
- ICT Lego Club
- Crazy Circuits (*Full of Beans*)
- Contemporary Dance (*Full of Beans*)
- Speaking and listening skills
- Football
- Drama

Curriculum Overview



Year 4

Spring Term 2018

Maths

- Written and mental addition and subtraction
- Written and mental multiplication and division including to 1 place decimal
- Learn 7 and 11 times tables
- Find factors of numbers
- Estimate, measure and convert both length and weight
- Problem solving
- Bar charts
- 1 place decimals
- Identify equivalent fractions
- Simplify fractions
- Add fractions with same denominator
- Read and convert time on 24 hour clock
- Read and mark co-ordinates in the first quadrant
- Read, place on number line and compare negative numbers .

Computing

- Databases - use prepared databases to answer questions. Present data in graphical form and learn how to detect mistakes and to amend them.
- To collect data - predict, investigate and present as line chart.
- To write commands to control an onscreen turtle - with procedures
- To introduce the sensing block and design a simple maths game in Scratch programming
- To sequence instructions to control output devices

PE -

- Gymnastics
- Netball/ High 5
- Hockey
- Football
- Tag Rugby

English

Stories by the same author - rainforests

The Great Kapok Tree by Lynne Cherry

The Shaman's Apprentice by Lynne Cherry and Mark Plotkin

- Using noun phrases extended by the use of modifying adjectives
- Nouns and preposition phrases
- Using and punctuating direct speech
- Using fronted adverbials
- Using appropriate choices of pronouns or nouns

Persuasive Writing

Where the Forest Meets the Sea by Jeannie Baker

The Vanishing Rainforest by Richard Platt and Rupert Van Wyk

- Using conjunctions
- Adverbs and prepositions to express time and cause
- Indicating possession by using apostrophes

List poems and Kennings

- Noun, adjective, verb, adverb and prepositions
- Using prepositions to express time or place
- Writing sentences using a wider range of connectives

Curriculum Map Spring 2018

Science

Animals including humans

- Teeth
 - Washington Sheffield
- ### Growing and Changing
- Linked with RSE
 - Human Lifecycle

Mummification (continued)

Spanish

My World

- Weather
- My House
- Animals
- Nationalities
- In town
- Recycling

Art

- Egyptians
- Tudors

French

The World Around Me

- Weather
- Seasons
- Colours

Self and family

- Animals
- Family

Seasonal

- Shrove Tuesday

R. E.

Christian symbols and Festivals (continued from Autumn)

Including places, festivals, symbols, holy book and main beliefs held by Christians

Humanism

Including differences between religious and non-religious world views, origins, core beliefs and the Happy Human symbol

History

Ancient Egyptians

- Jobs
- Hieroglyphics
- Everyday lives and homes
- Clothes
- Rich and poor

The Tudors

- Timeline
- Battle of Bosworth
- Henry VII
- Henry VIII (ICT research skills)

PSHCEE

- New Year's resolutions
- Healthy and balanced lifestyle
- Making informed choices
- Risk
- Internet safety
- Growing and changing

Geography

Extreme Earth (continued)

Rainforests

Including - location, climates, layers, life and the Amazon

Music

- World Music
- Listening skills
- Performance techniques

Please note that occasional changes may occur.