

Year 4 Curriculum Overview 2019-20

Year Group/Term	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4	Term 5	Term 6
<i>Year 4</i>	"I am Warrior"		"Planet Earth"		"Road Trip USA"	
English	<i>The Mystery of the Hare and the Moon</i> Fiction: Short Burst Opening/ending Focus: Characterisation <i>Scintillating Sicily - Brochure</i> Non-Fiction Focus: Persuasive advert	<i>Adventure at Sandy Cove</i> Fiction: Short Burst Finding Tale Focus: Suspense and setting <i>The Sound Collector by Roger McGough</i> Non-Fiction Focus: Poetry	<i>Miss Trimble's Legendary Trip</i> Fiction: Short Burst Tale of fear Focus: Character, dialogue and suspense. <i>Manfish and Shark Lady (And other texts showing opposite)</i> Non-Fiction: Short Burst Focus: Discussion <i>"Do your childhood interests help shape your future?"</i>	<i>Cinderella/The Blue Fish</i> Fiction: Short Burst Rags to riches Focus: Description <i>Magical, Mythical and Mysterious Animals.</i> Mountain Animal information. Non-Fiction Focus: Information	<i>Elf Road</i> Fiction: Short Burst Portal Story Focus: Description, people, places and objects (TBC: A diary entry) Non-Fiction Focus: Recount as a diary.	<i>Deadman's forest.</i> Fiction: Short Burst Escaping the monster Focus: Openings and endings <i>How to build a shelter/make a den?</i> Non-Fiction Focus: Instruction and explanation
Maths	Number: Place Value Number: Addition and Subtraction Measurement: Length and perimeter Number: Multiplication and division		Number: Multiplication and division Measurement: Area Number: Fractions		Number: Decimals Measurement: Money Geometry: Symmetry Time Interpreting charts	
Science	Digestion & Teeth	Sound	States of matter	Animals (including humans)	Electricity	
Science Investigation (Love to Investigate)	"How far does sound travel?"		"Are all liquids runny?"		"Are all sea creatures the same?"	
RE	Hinduism What do Hindus believe that God is like?	Hinduism What does it mean to be a Hindu in Britain today?	Christianity What is the trinity?	Christianity Why do Christians call the day Jesus died "Good Friday"?	Christianity For Christians, what was the impact of Pentecost?	Christianity How and why do people mark the significant events of life?
History/ Geography	Roman Britain	Anglo-Saxon and Celts			Vikings	
			Rivers	Migration		Natural resources in Northern Chile
Art & Design	Mosaic making of Roman gladiators. Question and make thoughtful observations about starting points for work. Sketch nature referring to growing, living, dying and reused. Light effect art.		Pastels of the Baptism of Jesus. Colour mixing-shades and tones-Seascapes. Colour washes and silhouettes		Digital art. Artist - Andy Warhol Block printing-Native Americans. Tie dye. Clay models-Native American huts.	

Design & Technology	Construction- Roman shields		Food- Snack bar		Textiles- Native American headdress?	
PSHE	A mindful approach to learning Ebug Citizenship & British Values Anti-Bullying		Keeping yourself safe-Protective behaviours E-Safety-Be internet legends Environment Sometimes my brain hurts		Healthy and Safer lifestyles Growing and Changing Moving up and moving on	
PE	Tag rugby Gymnastics	Netball Gymnastics	Netball Circuits and Fitness	Adventurous activities Circuits and Fitness	Athletics Dance	Rounders and cricket Dance
Computing	Algorithms - Espresso Coding	Use technology purposefully to store and retrieve content.	E-Safety	Use technology to explore the wider world. <i>Use ICT responsibly, safely and securely.</i>	<i>Use search technologies effectively, appreciate how results are selected and ranked, and be discerning in evaluating digital content</i>	<i>Use models and simulations to test programs.</i> Logical reasoning
Music	Mamma Mia	Glockenspiel Stage 2	Stop!	Lean on me	Blackbird	Reflect, rewind and replay
French						
Enrichment / Trips	Trip - Corinium Musuem Trip - Cheltenham Literature Festival		Trip - Bristol Aquarium Visitors - River Health Authority	Visitor-Zecobricks	(Skillzone?)	Enterprise- USA day!
SMSC						