

2026 Year 4 Curriculum Overview

	Summer 1			Summer 2		
English	Persuasive writing	Recounts	Nonsense Poems	Stories from other cultures	Explanation text	Poetry by heart
Maths	Shape and fractions	Division and multiplication	Addition and subtraction	Problem solving	Geometry	Decimals and place value
Science	Sound			Scientists and Inventors		
	Identify how sounds are made, associating some of them with something vibrating.	Recognise that vibrations from sounds travel through a medium to the ear.	Find patterns between the pitch of a sound and the features of the objects that produce it.	Research famous scientists and inventors.	Understand the contribution that scientists have made.	Conduct investigations based on famous works.
Computing	Programming 2 - Scratch			Photo stories		
	Explain that in programming there are infinite loops and count-controlled loops.	Develop a design that includes two or more loops which run at the same time.	Modify an infinite loop in a given program.	To design a story	To create images and text	To import, move and resize in a document
History	<i>No History this half term</i>			<i>No History this half term</i>		
Geography	All Around the World			Somewhere to Settle		
	Understand the use of longitude and latitude.	Know how and why the world has different time zones.	Identify the key features on a map of the world.	Know what a settlement is.	Identify why a settlement site was chosen.	Identify similarities and differences in settlements.
Art	<i>No Art this half term</i>			European Artists		
				Research famous European artists	Identify key features of an artist's work	Draw in the style of a famous artist
D.T.	Let's Go Fly a Kite!			<i>No D.T. this half term</i>		
	Research ideas and create design criteria.	Build and join strong frame structures.	Select materials that are best suited to the task.			
Music	Bringing Us Together			Blackbird		
	Sing with accuracy and expression.	Appreciate music from a great composer.	Perform in an ensemble to an audience.	Listen to tunes and rhythms with attention to detail and repeat them back.	Develop in recognising the style indicators of Pop music.	Compose music using semi-breves, minims and crotchets.
Sport	Swimming	Sports Day	Fitness 1	Swimming	Archery	cricket
MFL	Spanish - My Routine			Spanish - Free Time		
	Say and write a sentence to tell the time (o'clock);	Count in fives to at least 30;	Understand and use the terms 'antes' and 'después';	Express my opinions	Describe the weather in Spanish	Extract the main ideas from a short written text.
R.E. & P.S.H.E.	First aid; Earth Day; Managing Risks; Water and Sun Safety; Marriage, Partnership and Relationships; Speak Out Stay Safe NSPCC; Wesak (Buddhism); Refugee Week; My Money Week; Transitions					
	To find out more about assemblies, please view the assemblies section on the website in Parent Information.					