



# Curriculum and Timetabling

2023-2024

## Year 4 2023 – 2024 Curriculum Overview

Subject	Autumn 2023	Spring 2024	Summer 2024
<b>Reading (30 minutes per day)</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Fantastic Mr Fox by Roald Dahl</li> <li>Literacy Shed Plus (Non-Fiction Comprehension resources)</li> <li>River Story- Meredith Hooper and Bee Willey</li> <li>The Drop in my Drink: The Story of Water on our Planet.</li> <li>Revolting Rhymes by Roald Dahl</li> <li>The Witches Play script by Roald Dahl.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A Bear Called Paddington by Michael Bond</li> <li>Literacy Shed Plus (Non-Fiction Comprehension resources)</li> <li>Nose Knows by Emmanuelle Figueras</li> <li>Curiosity: The story of the Mars rover- Markus Motum</li> <li>Midnight Feats- AF Harrold (Anthology)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Midnight Feats- AF Harrold (Anthology)</li> <li>Literacy Shed Plus (Non-Fiction Comprehension resources)</li> <li>Patricia Cleveland-Peck- The story of Tutankhamun</li> <li>Cobblestone- I were a kid in Egypt</li> <li>Sally Morgan- The Legend of Tutankhamun</li> <li>Where my Wellies Take Me- Clare and Michael Morpurgo (Anthology)</li> </ul>
<b>Writing (1 hour per day)</b>	<p><b>Fantastic Mr Fox –</b> 3 weeks narrative 3 weeks instructions</p> <p><b>River Story –</b> 2 weeks explanation 3 weeks narrative 1 week poetry</p>	<p><b>Film from Literacy Shed –</b> 3 weeks discussion 3 weeks narrative</p> <p><b>A Bear Called Paddington –</b> 2 weeks information 1 week Book Week 3 weeks narrative</p>	<p><b>Egyptian Myths –</b> 1 week poetry 2 weeks narrative 3 weeks recount</p> <p><b>The Butterfly Lion –</b> 2 weeks narrative 3 weeks persuasive argument 1 week poetry</p>
<b>Maths (1 hour per day)</b>	Place Value Addition and Subtraction Area Multiplication and Division	Multiplication and Division Length and Perimeter Fractions Decimals	Decimals Money Time Shape Statistics Position and Directions
<b>Art and Design (block)</b>	<p><b>Storytelling through Drawing</b> (sequenced drawing &amp; poetry comics)</p> <p><b>Exploring Pattern</b> (colour, line &amp; shape inc. repeating patterns)</p>	<p><b>The Art of Display</b> (artwork inspired by the idea of “plinth”)</p> <p><b>Exploring Still Life</b> (contemporary &amp; traditional still life)</p>	<p><b>Sculpture, Structure, Inventiveness and Determination</b> (personality traits &amp; technical skills)</p> <p><b>Festival Feasts</b> (drawing &amp; making inspired by food)</p>
<b>Computing (block)</b>	Animation Coding Online Safety	Spreadsheets Writing for different audiences Logo	Effective searching Hardware investigators Optional: Making music or finishing other units
<b>Design and Technology (block)</b>	Electrical systems – Torches Mechanical systems-Slingshot car	Digital World- Mindful moments timer Cooking and Nutrition-Adapting a recipe	Structures-Pavilions Textiles- Fastenings
<b>Geography (block)</b>	Rivers The Water cycle	Longitude and latitude Rivers revisit	Map Skills - Environmental regions of Europe, Russia, N & S America
<b>History (block)</b>	Britain’s settlement by Anglo-Saxons and Scots	Viking and Anglo-Saxon struggle for the kingdom of England to the time of Edward the Confessor.	Ancient Egypt
<b>Music (45 minutes per week)</b>	<p>Body and tunes Percussion. (Rainforest). (6 weeks).</p> <p>Changes in pitch, tempo and dynamics. (River). (6 weeks).</p>	<p>Developing Singing Technique: Vikings. (6 weeks).</p> <p>Rock and Roll. (6 weeks).</p>	<p>Haiku music and performance. (Hanami). (6 weeks).</p> <p>Composition and notation. (Ancient Egypt). (6 weeks).</p>
<b>MfL (45 minutes per week)</b>	A1 Encore! A2 Quelle heure est-il?	Sp1 Les Fetes Sp2 Ou vas-tu?	Sum1 On Mange Sum2 Le Cirque

<b>PE (2 sessions per week)</b>	A1 - Indoor – Dodgeball A2 – Indoor – Sportshall Athletics  A1 – Outdoor – Football A2 – Outdoor - Netball	Sp1 – Indoor - Gymnastics Sp2 – Indoor – Dance  Sp1 – Outdoor – Tag-Rugby Sp2 – Outdoor - Hockey	Sum1 - Boccia Sum2 – Archery  Sum1 – Outdoor – Rounders (3weeks) Cricket (3weeks) Sum2 – Outdoor - Athletics
<b>PSHE (45 minutes per week)</b>	Healthy and Happy Relationships – solving relationship difficulties.  Similarities and Differences – Identify and diversity.	Caring and Responsibility – Rights and Responsibilities.  Families and Committed Relationships – Range of relationships.	Healthy Bodies, Healthy Mind – Influences to our health and well-being.  Coping with Change – Coping with feelings.
<b>RE (45 minutes per week)</b>	Islam – What is Islam?  Christianity – What is the most significant part of the Nativity story?	Islam – What is the best way for a Muslim to show commitment to God?  Christianity – Is forgiveness always possible for Christians?	Multi – Faith  Christianity – Do people need to go to Church to show they are Christians
<b>Science (1hr 30 minutes per week)</b>	<b>States of Matter Electricity</b>	<b>Living Things and their Habitats Sound</b>	<b>Animals including Humans Revisit Living Things and their Habitats</b>
<b>Trips and visits</b>	Visit to the River Trent (2024-2025) (Geography) Roald Dahl Day (English) Pantomime (Playscripts English)	Think Tank (Science)	Faith Trail (RE) Church Trip (RE) Egyptian Workshop (History)
<b>Home project work for display</b>	River Model (Geography) Anglo Saxon Houses (History)	Models of London (English)	Egyptian Artwork Project (History)
<b>Forest Focus</b>	Anglo-Saxons	Field to Fork	Egyptians