

Year group: 4

Time Allocation: 1/2 term

Date: Autumn 1 2023

Teachers: Miss Highgate, Miss McLean and Mrs. Burford



Year 4 Curriculum



English/Communication:

As communicators, we will be learning to think carefully about the different ways we speak to different people and how we must adapt to suit the needs of the listener.

As readers, we will continue to develop our skills in reading with fluency and understanding. We will focus on the story of 'Charlie and the Chocolate Factory' to inspire our writing. We will learn about, plan and write for a variety of purposes encouraging the children to use their imaginations to the fullest. We will write letters, character and setting descriptions as well as develop our own recipes.

Maths:

This half term we will be developing our understanding of Place Value. We will be learning how to partition, order, estimate and compare numbers up to 10,000. We will begin to learn about Roman Numerals as well as rounding numbers to the nearest 10, 100 and 1000.

PSHE: SCARF: Unit 1 Me and my relationships

We will be learning about what is meant by a 'positive, healthy relationship'. We will identify a wide range of feelings and begin to recognise that different people can have different feelings in the same situation.

Computing:

We will be learning more about computer systems and networks, specifically the internet and continuing to stay safe online.

MFL: French: Me and my Family

Children will understand and use set phrases to talk about their family. They will describe who is in their family and write sentences to describe them.

Learning Together

Please ensure that your child reads regularly at home. Weekly homework of Maths and grammar will be given out on a Thursday and to be returned by the following Wednesday.

Core Value: S.M.S.C

"Always give thanks for everything to God the Father" Ephesians 5.20

Thankfulness

If you require any further information about the Year 4 curriculum please visit the curriculum page on our school website or see a member of the Year 4 team

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History: Romans

As historians, we will be learning about the Romans, finding out about Emperor Claudius and why he invaded Britain. We will describe what a gladiator was and learn about the gladiatorial games.

Art and design: Drawing: Power Prints

As artists, we will develop an awareness of proportion, composition and pattern in drawing and combine media for effect when developing a drawing into a print.

Science: What's the matter?

As scientists, we will be exploring the three states of matter solids, liquids and gasses. We will be exploring how some materials change when heated or cooled. We will also be looking at the water cycle and learning about evaporation, condensation and precipitation.

Design Technology: Adapting a recipe

As food technologists, the children will learn how to follow and adapt a basic recipe to make biscuits. They will then design and create their own biscuit and present it to a panel of judges.

RE: Understanding Christianity How and why do believers show their commitments during the journey of life?

We will begin to make links between ideas of love, commitment and promises in religious and non-religious commitments.

Music: Charanga

As musicians we will be the words to the famous Abba song 'Mamma Mia' looking at the pulse and rhythm within the song. We will also learn how to accompany the song with a variety of musical instruments.

PE: Gymnastics

We will be developing our skills in gymnastics with an NUFC Coach. This PE session will take place every Thursday so please ensure your child comes to school dressed in their Whitley PE Kit.