Time Allocation: 1/2 term

Date: Autumn 1 2025

Teacher: Mrs Teasdale and Mrs Martin

English—Taking Courage

Inspired by The Baker by the Sea by Paula White, we will follow a recipe to make Hot Coconut Buns. We will complete a job application to be an assistant baker and we will spend time planning, drafting, editing and publishing tourist brochures to attract more people and businesses to the community.

Using The Lion and the Unicorn by Shirley Hughes, we will explore a range of grammatical concepts including dialogue. We will write a range of diary entries, letters, character comparisons, setting descriptions and finish by writing our own evacuation narrative.

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: 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: Digital literacy and online safety.

We will cover a wide range of topics including wellbeing, privacy and security, online identity, relationships, communication and the media.

PE:

We Will have PE with NUFC on Tuesdays and Wednesdays this half term.



Year 4 Curriculum

Our Core Book:



Learning Together

Please ensure that your child reads regularly at home. Times tables packs will be sent home regularly for your child to improve their fluency of multiplication packs to 12x12.

Core Value:

S.M.S.C

Resilience

History: Roman Britain

We will investigate why the Romans invaded Britain and the reaction of the Celts. Using artefacts and historical sources, we will investigate why the Roman army was so successful. We will discover how the Romans changed Britain and the legacy they left behind.

Design Technology: Adapting a recipe

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

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.

RE: What does it mean to live a Sikh in Britain today? With the help of Theo, the theologian, Livvy, the social scientist and Sophie the philosopher, we will explore the key beliefs of Sikhism and how Sikhs put their beliefs into practice. We will visit a Gurdwara in Newcastle.

Music:

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.

MFL: French: Je Peux

Children will recognise, remember and spell 10 action verbs in French. They will use these verbs in the infinitive to form positive and negative sentence structures with 'je peux' (I am able) and 'je ne peux pas' (I am not able).