



Year 4 Curriculum Overview

	AUTUMN		SPRING		SUMMER	
	1 st HALF TERM	2 nd HALF TERM	1 st HALF TERM	2 nd HALF TERM	1 st HALF TERM	2 nd HALF TERM
	<u>Mountains</u>	<u>The Vikings</u>	<u>Reduce, Reuse and Recycle</u>		<u>Ancient Egypt</u>	<u>Inventions</u>
English	Writing Riddles- Inspired by nature Non-Fiction Report- Report based on mountains Diary Entries- Based on our study of Harriet Tubman during Black History Month Reading Texts Running on the Roof of the World Destination Planet Earth Be the Change Poems to Help You Save the World	Writing Norse Myths Information Text- We will design and write about our own dragons. Reading Texts How to Train Your Dragon Norse Myths	Writing Writing and performing a play- Based on Alice in Wonderland Narrative Poems- Based on our book Cloud Busting Reading Texts Extracts from Alice in Wonderland Cloud Busting Our Planet	Writing Story Settings Persuasive Speeches - Inspired by the speeches of Greta Thunberg Reading Texts Swimming Against the Storm DK Human Encyclopaedia	Writing Poetry Study- Focussing on the work of Valerie Bloom. Discussion Texts- Should Tutankhamun have had so much power? Reading Texts Spiderwick Chronicles Women In Science Ancient Egypt	Writing Explanation Texts- Children will design and explain how their own inventions work. Themed Stories- Writing based on a range of themes covered throughout the year such as Good vs Evil Reading Texts A Story Like the Wind The Story of Inventions Inventors: Incredible Stories
Mathematics	Place Value Rounding Addition and Subtraction (mental methods) Addition and subtraction Formal Methods Multiples Multiplication and Division Facts	Multiplying and Dividing by 10,100 and 1000 Measure conversion Measure Comparison Measure Problems Discrete and Continuous Data Perimeter	Properties of Shape Symmetry Decimals Calculating with Decimals Money Problem Solving with Decimals	Fractions of Amounts Fractions and Measure Ordering Fractions Formal multiplication Formal Division	Formal division Buffer Zone Time Interpret and Present Continuous data Roman Numerals Negative Numbers Angles	Multiplication and Division Review Area Fractions Review Problem Solving

Science	States of Matter Enquiry Focus: Observation over time	All Living Things Enquiry Focus: Classification	Animals Including Humans (teeth and digestion) Enquiry Focus: Research		Sound and Vibrations Enquiry Focus: Fair Test	Electricity Enquiry Focus: Pattern Seeking
Computing	Unit 4.1- Coding Unit 4.2 Online Safety	Unit 4.2 Online Safety Unit 4.3 Spreadsheets	Unit 4.4. Writing for Different Audiences	Unit 4.5 Using Logo New Format Unit 4.6 Animation	Unit 4.6 Animation Unit 4.7 Effective Searching	Unit 4.8 Hardware investigators Unit 4.9 Making Music
History		The Vikings		Industrial Revolution	Ancient Egypt	
Geography	Mountains of Europe		Reduce, Reuse, Recycle			Geographical Skills and Fieldwork
Art & Design	Self- Portraits Ken Done- Using oil pastels	Viking Shields - Paint	Henri Matisse- Colouring pencils	Collages using tissue paper	Hieroglyphic Art	Observational Drawing- Insects
Design & Technology	Dioramas of Mountain Landscapes	Christmas Stockings	Textiles - Weaving		Ancient Egyptian Flat Bread Canopic Jars with Clay	
Music	Body and tuned percussion (Theme: Rainforests)	Rock and Roll	Developing singing technique (Theme: The Vikings)	Haiku, music and performance (Theme: Hanami)	Samba and carnival sounds and instruments	Adapting and transposing motifs (Theme: Romans)
PE	Gymnastics	Gymnastics	Dance	Dance	Athletics	Athletics
	Hockey	Netball	Basketball	OAA	Swimming	Swimming
RE	Hinduism: Teachings About God	Incarnation (Digging Deeper)	Hinduism: Inspirational People	People of God	Kingdom of God	Gospel (Digging Deeper)
PSHE	Health and Wellbeing What strengths, skills and interests do we have?	Relationships How do we treat each other with respect?	Health and Wellbeing How can we manage our feelings?	Health and Wellbeing How will we grow and change?	Living in the Wider World How can our choices make a difference to others and the environment?	Health and Wellbeing How can we manage risk in different places?

Languages	Language Angels Je me presente Presenting Myself	Language Angels En Famille The Family	Language Angels Boucles D'or et les Trois Ours Goldilocks	Language Angels As-tu un animal? Do you have a pet?	Language Angels En classe The Classroom	Ma Famille Chez Moi My Home
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