

English

- Class Novels – The Great Kapok Tree, *Window*, Train to Impossible Places
- Types of writing – Letters, Descriptive Writing, Narrative Writing, Instructions, Biographies, Newspaper Reports, Poetry, Non Chronological report
- Reading Comprehension – Language choices and the effect they have, characters feeling and thoughts.
- SPAG – apostrophes, conjunctions and prefixes, suffixes and prepositions, subordinate clauses and determiner's.
- Spelling – Words ending – sion, Words ending -ous, Words ending –ge +ous, Suffixes ending in -y, Words ending – ious and -eous, Words where 'au' makes an /or/ sound, Words ending -tion, Words ending –ssion, Suffixes ending -cian, Adverbs of manne

PSHE

Taught through English and Geography
Feelings and emotions
Pride
Express yourself
Know your mind
Media wise

Mathematics

- Multiplication and Division
- Short Multiplication
- Short Division
- Factors
- Prime Numbers
- Fractions
- Decimals
- Length and Perimeter
Please encourage your child to go on their TT Rockstars daily. This will significantly help with their end of year test.

Computing

- We are musicians – garage band
- Percussion sequences
- Touch instruments
- Piano rolls
- Live Loops
- Composition
- Research blogs

Spring Term 2024 Year 4

1st Half Term – Rivers



2nd Half Term – British Inventors and Inventions



Science

States of Matter (Solids, Liquids, Gas):

- Viscosity
- Evaporation
- Boiling
- Condensing
- Freezing

Adaptions (Habitats and classification):

- Similarities and differences of habitats and how creatures change over time.

DT

Cooking and Nutrition

- Product analysis
- Following a recipe
- Testing ingredients
- Final design and budget
- Biscuit baking

Art

Painting and Mixed Media

- Tints and shades
- Three Dimensions
- Painting techniques
- Composition
- Still life

Geography

Rivers:

- The water Cycle
- Features of a river system
- 3 stages of a river
- The River Thames
- The world water crisis
- Floods and droughts

History

Inventions and Inventors since 1800

- Alexander Graham Bell
- Tim Berners Lee
- W B Wilkinson
- Science Week
- Women Inventors
- Charles Mackintosh
- Most influential invention since 1800

Music

- Singing Games
- (Active Music)
- Music Appreciation-
- John Williams
- Music appreciation
- Meet John Williams
- Harry Potter glyph
- Star Wars glyph
- Jurassic Park glyph

Physical Education

- Swimming
- Real PE
- Balance and Acrobatic sequences
- Rotation and Partner Work

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Festivals

- What do our celebrations show about what we think is important in life? (Festivals)
- Christianity, Islam, Hinduism

French

- Family revision
- Pets