

Curriculum for Year 4 Autumn term

Literacy

Fiction - Stories with humour, Read and respond 'Street child', 'Teeth' and 'Journey.'

Non-Fiction - Local History unit, Recounts, Historical settings

Poetry - Narrative poetry, Creating images, Nonsense poems.

Spelling rules/patterns, Grammar and Punctuation, Reading journals, Comprehension, Handwriting and Progress checks.

Numeracy **See the School Website for guidance on calculation methods**

Working across the objectives for Year 4

Place Value up to 4 digits

Four calculations $\div$ $\times$ $+$ $-$

Fractions and Decimals

2D and 3D Shapes

Measurements

Statistics

Times tables

Science

Animals including humans

Digestive system, healthy teeth and food chains

History

The Romans

Geography

Local area changes

ICT

Coding and online safety

Music

Listening, performing, improvising and composing using the programme Charanga and Music Express.

Art/DT

Links to Topics, pencil techniques
Links to Remembrance and Christmas

P.E.

Rugby, Football Hockey, Dance.

R.E

Christianity:

Creation - What do Christians learn from the Creation story?

Incarnation - What is the Trinity?

PSHE

Being me in my world

Celebrating difference

French

Conversations and greetings.

PLEASE NOTE

Year 4's PE days are Wednesday and Thursday. Children must come to school dressed in a PE kit. Suitable colours are blue, white or black. As it begins to get colder and we go outside for PE, children will need a warm pair of tracksuit bottoms, warm top and appropriate trainers. For indoor PE they will need either a blue or white PE tshirt and sensible sports shorts (which can be changed into on colder days)

Year 4's also visit Tokes Farm where they connect with the animals on a deeper level and as well as developing their relationship with their food and where it comes from. The magic of churning milk and seeing it transform into butter never fails to astound. The blocks are organised as 'A Year on the Farm', focusing on seasonal farming activities or driven by a specific curriculum topic such as Science, Geography, Maths or English.