



Year 4 - Curriculum map



Planned half term	Year 4	Subject focus	Memorable experience	Innovate challenge	Love to Read links	Love to Investigate	English	Art & Design	Computing	D&T	Geography	History	Mathematics	Music	PE	PSHE	Science	RE
1	Burps, Bottoms and Bile	Science	Local dentist visit	Giganta Gut	Demon Dentist - David Walliams	How does toothpaste protect teeth?	Recount, Explanation texts, Fantasy stories, Persuasive leaflets	None this half term	Simulations, Algorithms; Digital images, E-Safety	Healthy Foods - sandwiches and wraps.	None this half term	None this half term	Place value, Addition, Subtraction.	Charanga - Mamma Mia	Hockey	Roots and Wings - Golden Rule	Teeth types; Tooth decay and hygiene; The digestive system	Visiting places of worship
2	Blue Abyss	Art & Design	Visit an aquarium	Bioluminescence exhibition	Treasure Island - Robert Louis Stevenson	How does pollution affect habitats? Can worms sense danger?	Poetry using personification, Dilemma stories, Diary, Biography, Playscript	Diorama over half term. Observational drawing of fish; Vincent Scarpace	E-Safety; Coding	How a product has changed over time	Seas and oceans of the world; The Great Barrier Reef; Environmental issues; Biomes	Diary entry of HMS Challenger	Measurement; Multiplication and division	Carols	Gym	Resolving Conflict; Stay Well this Winter	Food chains; Living things and their habitats	Special places; Christmas
3	I am Warrior!	History	Different activities circle around class	Become a Roman soldier	The Thieves of Ostia - Caroline Lawrence	Did the Romans use toilet roll? Where does water go?	Fantasy worlds, Persuasive, Non-chronological report, Historical narrative,	Drawing + Sculpture - clay make a coin; Mosaic	E-safety	Shields and helmets	Comparing Britain and Italy; Using maps; Locational knowledge;	The Roman Empire and its impact on Britain	Multiplication and division; Measurement; Fractions	Garage Band	Basketball	Fairtrade - Have a Banana; Facing New Challenges; Keeping Safe in cyberspace	Working scientifically	Does a Beautiful World Mean a Wonderful God?
4	Traders and Raiders	History	Portal to the Past - Viking and Saxons	Trade fair	Erik the Viking - Terry Jones	How can we change sound? How far can sound travel?	Myths and Legends (Beowulf), Diary entries, Character profile, Poetry, Narrative	Print Making, Entry Point	Animation; Digital images	None this half term	Using maps; Settlements; Europe	Anglo-Saxons and Vikings	Fractions and decimals	Recorders - Music World	Football	Immigration - Coming to Britain	Sound	Why Do Some People Think Jesus is Inspirational?
5	Road Trip USA!	Geography	Visit 14 US States	Plan a family holiday	The Indian in the Cupboard - Lynne Reid Banks	What conducts electricity?	Postcards, Emails and Letters, Newspaper reports, Diary writing	Totum Poles - use middle of carpet.	Collaborative databases and spreadsheets; Using logical reasoning; Writing programs; Effective online research; Digital presentations	Torches	Using world and US maps; Human and physical geography	Native Americans	Decimals; Money; Time	Recorders - Music World	Swimming	Charitable Giving through History; Animal Care - Creature Kindness	Electricity	Keeping 5 Pillars
6	Potions	Science	Alice in Wonderland discovery trail	Create a potion	Alice in Wonderland - Lewis Carroll	How do smells get up your nose?	Instructions, Play scripts, Narrative (George's Marvellous Medicine)	Stained glass bottle	Presenting information	None this half term	Local Study	Historic use of potions	Statistics; Geometry	Charanga - Benjamin Britten - Cuckoo	Swimming, Cricket	The Gift of Sight; Emergency	States of matter	Keeping 5 Pillars