

Curriculum Coverage Overview – Summer Term 1 – 2018/19

Year 4

ICT: Word processing

The children will analyse and discuss sport reports using examples from the internet. Working in groups, the children will create their own sports news report which they will share and work on together online using Dropbox.



PSHCE: Changes

This theme tackles the issue of change and aims to equip children with an understanding of different types of change, positive and negative, and common human responses to it. The theme seeks to develop children's ability to understand and manage the feelings associated with change. It aims to develop knowledge, understanding and skills in three key social and emotional aspects of learning: motivation, social skills and managing feelings.

English: Fiction- The Pied Piper of Hamelin

Myths and Legends: Children will read a range of myths, legends, fables and traditional tales, and identify and discuss common themes. They will explore The Pied Piper of Hamelin and sequence the key events using lists, maps and storyboards and describe the key characters with reference to the text.

Poetry: Children will explore features of a poem observing rhyme, repetition, rhyming couplets and stanzas before beginning to compose their own poems.

Science: Electricity

This unit is the first introduction to studying electricity in Key Stage 2. The children will learn about what electricity is and how it was discovered. They will identify which appliances use electricity in their homes and how to keep themselves safe. Children will construct circuits, start to create pictorial circuits and conduct an investigation into how easily different types of switches can break, and reconnect a circuit.

Geography: History of Athletics

This unit will create an overview of athletic history and research some specific aspects of athletic history. Children will learn about the achievements of Roger Bannister and his contribution to athletics, through hot-seating, role play and research. Children will also explore what motivates famous athletes to succeed.

D&T: Design a trophy

Children will undergo various experimenting techniques which include cutting and joining techniques before designing and creating their own trophies.

PE: Athletics

PE DAY: Monday

Children will be taught how to use various athletics equipment. They will also develop flexibility, strength, technique, control and balance.

Maths

This term Year 4 will focus on:

- Equivalent fractions $1/2 = 6/12 = 3/6$
- Calculating fractions of quantity, e.g.: $1/2$ of 12, $1/4$ of 12
- Converting mixed numbers to improper fractions
- Converting improper fractions to mixed numbers
- Problem solving-calculate quantities
- Making a whole
- Writing decimals
- Comparing decimals
- Ordering decimals
- Rounding decimals
- Halves and quarters
- Multiplication tables x8 and x9

Islamic Studies – Aadab (Manners and Etiquettes)

This term we will be looking at the topic of aadaab. We will be studying the following topics: aadaab of: dua, dressing, guest and hosts, sitting in a gathering and Istinja.

Hadith: Key to paradise “The keys to paradise are to testify that there is no god but Allah.” (Sahih-Al-Bukhri).

Zikr: “He who remembers his lord and he who does not are like the living and the dead.” (Sahih-Al-Bukhri)

Surah and Dua Memorisation

Focus on individual targets for surah and dua memorisation from the Islamic Curriculum memorisation book.

Qaaidah/Quran

To practice recitation of the Quran with fluency. To implement the rules of tajweed.