

English

This term the children will cover different styles of writing throughout the term using talk for writing. Children will write an adventure story, poems about a mythical creature and a diary recount. The children learn the text through story maps and actions, so please ask your child to perform this for you at home. Our class books this term are 'A Bear called Paddington' and 'Why the Whales Came'.

Maths

The children will be learning more about area, perimeter and money in our measures unit. They will also be learning more about fractions and division. We will continue to complete a daily times table frenzy test and the weekly championship test on Friday. Please help your child with learning their times tables as we approach the multiplication tables check in the Summer.

Science

In Science this term, the children will be learning about food chains, the digestive system and electricity! They will be carrying out investigations linked to these areas of science and creating their own electronic quiz game.

History and Geography

In History the children will learn who the Anglo-Saxon invaders were. Why and where they settled in Britain. They will explore Anglo Saxon settlements and what everyday life was like. They will also discuss what Anglo Saxon artefacts tell us about the past.

In Geography the children will be researching information about European countries. They will be locating them on a world map, make comparisons and explore the different features of each European country.

Languages

The children will be learning how to say foods and sports in French. They will then practice by talking about their favourite foods.

Music

The children will continue to follow the Active Music scheme this term and learn songs.

Computing

The children will be using purple mash for computing this term and learning about spreadsheets, logos and writing online. We will also be developing our laptop skills. Please help your child learn how to log on to purple mash independently at home.

PSHE

As part of our personal, social and health education, children will be learning how to manage their money as they get older and how to keep themselves safe in different situations.

Year 4 Curriculum Map **PASSPORT TO EUROPE**

Brilliant Beginning

Creating passports and Claude Monet inspired painting.

Fabulous Finish

Creating models of the Eiffel Tower.

RE

In RE the children will learn about Human and Social Science and how religious beliefs contribute to society and culture in the local area and beyond. They will explore the concept of compassion and describe compassionate acts. They will examine the connection between Dharma and compassion within the Hindu faith. Pupils will analyse a range of factors which have contributed to diversity within Christianity and explain the reasons for diversity within Christianity.

PE

Children will develop their dancing skills. The children will learn different dance moves and styles and perform them with their peers.

Art and D&T

In art this term, children will develop their knowledge of Seurat a famous French artist who is known for using Pointillism and Monet known for impressionism. The children will learn this technique and apply it to their own painting inspired by the artists. In D&T the children will have the opportunity to build a replica of the Eiffel Tower and cook and try croque monsieur.