



Year 4 Curriculum Overview

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Topic Title	Vicious Vikings	Why War?	Awesome Asia	Shake, Rattle and Boom	Ancient Aztecs	Live and Let Live (in the process of changing)
Literacy	How to train your dragon (book)	The War Game (book) The Polar Express (book & film)	Kung-Fu Panda (film)	Pompeii (book)	Charlie and the chocolate factory (book)	A Bugs life (film)
Guided Reading	The Boy at the Back of the Class (Book)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Non-chronological report • Poetry • Instructions • Biographies • Comic strip • The Grinch – Book • Playscripts 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • George’s Marvellous Medicine – Book • Poetry • Information text • Newspaper report • Story Writing 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Horrible Histories Books - (Violent Volcanoes & Earth Shattering Earthquakes) • Information text • Poetry • Factfile • Performing texts 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Poetry • Persuasive leaflet • Information text • Short stories • Biographies • Stories (motives) 	James and the Giant Peach (book)
Maths	Number/place value Addition and subtraction	Division/multiplication Time	Fractions Addition Subtraction Division Multiplication	Shape Data handling	Recap 4 operations Place value Fractions	Recap Shape Data handling Time
Science	Nutrition/ teeth and digestive system.	Electricity	Electricity	Sound	Liquids, solids and gasses	Animals and life cycles



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Computing	Online Safety	Multimedia	Text & Images	Internet & Emails	Programming & Coding (LEGO)	Data Handling
Geography	Vikings	Why war	Asia	Volcanoes and Earthquakes	Aztecs	Live and let live
History	Vikings	Why war	Asia	Volcanoes and Earthquakes	Aztecs	Live and let live
DT	To design and make a Viking longship to sail across a body of water	Preparing a meal – trench stew	To produce an item of clothing	Design and make a quakeproof structure	Creating and making their own chocolate and packaging.	To design and make a recyclable, reusable and biodegradable item
Art	To design and make a Viking longship to sail across a body of water	Drawing and painting a poppy	Drawing anime art Using sketching to draw the Taj Mahal	Painting a quakeproof structure	Creating an Aztec Sunstone using clay	Warhol/ Freidrich artist – landscape painting/ pop-art
MFL	German	German	German	German	German	German
RE	Growing up in Faith Multi-faith	Love one another Christianity	Islam	Images of Faith Christianity	Religions in our Neighbourhood Multi-faith	There's more to life .. Christianity
PE	NandW Tennis	OAA	IG Handball	Gymnastics and Dance	SandF Rounders	Athletics
PSHE	Being Me in My World	Celebrating Difference	Dreams and Goals	Healthy me	Relationships	Changing Me
Music	Mamma Mia	Glockenspiel stage 2	Stop!	Lean on me	Blackbird	Reflect, rewind and replay.
Enrichment						