Year 4 Curriculum Map

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| 2023-24 | Minimum Weekly hours | Autumn Term | | Spring Term | | Summer Term | |
| English | 5 | Narrative 1: Overcoming a Monster Story Wild Girl Chris Wormell  Non-Fiction: Recount Wild Girl Chris Wormell  Narrative 2: Portal / Time Slip I Believe in Unicorns Michael Morpurgo  Poetry Remembrance Sue Cowling | | Narrative 1: Traditional / Warning Tale Little Red Bethan Wolvin  Non-Fiction: Newspaper Report True Story of 3 Little Pigs Jon Scieszka  Non-Fiction 2: Persuasion Range of Fairy Stories | | Narrative 1: Fantasy Spiderwick Chronicles (extract) Holly Black  Narrative 2: Fantasy / Finding Spiderwick Chronicles (extract) Holly Black  Non-Fiction 1: Persuasion Spiderwick Chronicles (extract) Holly Black  Non-Fiction 2: Discussion Spiderwick Chronicles (extract) Holly Black | |
| Phonics / Reading | 2.5 | Firework Makers Daughter/Comprehension | | Land of Roar/Comprehension | | DR Who/KrindleKrax/Comprehension | |
| Mathematics | 5 | Place value  Addition and subtraction | Area  Multiplication and division | Multiplication and division  Length and perimeter | Fractions  Decimals | Decimals  Money  Time | Shape  Statistics  Position and direction |
| Science | 1 | Animals inc humans Teeth and Digestion | Material Properties and Material Changes  States of matter | Sound | Material Properties and Material Changes Water cycle | Electricity | Living things and their Habitats Biodiversity, Classification and Care of Environments |
| Use the local environment throughout the year to identify, study and observe changes of plants and animals in their habitat | | | | | |
| Computing | 1 | Computer Systems and Networks  The Internet | Creating media  Audio Production | Programming A  Repetition in Shapes | Data and Information  Data Logging | Creating media  Photo Editing | Programming B  Repetition in Games |
| History | 1 | Achievements of Earliest Civilisations  The Egyptians |  | Impact on Britain  The Romans |  | A local history study  Colchester Castle and park |  |
| Geography |  | Locational Knowledge  East Anglia |  | Human and Physical Geography inc. fieldwork  Map Reading |  | Place Knowledge  South America  (Rainforests) |
| Art | 1 | **Technical skills Drawing**  Showing expression with body language and movement Munch/Picasso/ Basquiat / Haring |  | **Technical skills Painting and Malleable Material**  **Printing**  Showing reflection and printing using multiple colours  David Wightman |  | **Malleable Material**  **Clay**  Sculpting clay and integrating digital images  Frederico Uribe |  |
| DT |  | **CAD**  3D Poster |  | Food Technology Adapting a Recipe |  | Technical Mechanisms  Pop up Books |
| RE | 0.5 | Theology  Where do religious views come from?  Christianity |  | Human/Social Sciences  How do/have religious groups contribute to society and culture?  Hinduism / Christianity |  | Philosophy  What do we mean by truth? Is seeing believing?  Multi/Sikhism |  |
| PSHE |  | Health and Wellbeing  Awareness of body, inc. sexual body parts |  | Relationships  Positive / Negative relationships  Physical contact |  | Living in the Wider World  Rights and Responsibilities |
| PE | 2 | **Dance**  **Football** | **Gymnastics**  **Hockey** | Swimming | Swimming | Swimming | Swimming |
| Music | 0.5 | Theme: Developing Playing Skills Charanga Unit: Glockenspiel stage 2  Genre: Mixed styles | Theme: Writing Lyrics  Charanga Unit: Stop!  Genre: Grime | Year 3 and 4 production | Theme: Helping One Another  Charanga Unit: Lean on me  Genre: Soul/Gospel | Theme: Civil Rights and Equality  Charanga Unit: Blackbird  Genre: The Beatles / Pop | Theme: Music in the Past  Charanga Unit: Reflect, rewind and replay  Genre: Classical |
| French | 0.5 | Speaking and listening skills  Saying likes/dislikes/  Loves/hates  Unit 9:  Luc adore les serpents | Speaking and listening, reading skills  Days of the week  Unit 10: Dimanche c’est mon anniversaire | Reading and Writing skills  Numbers 21-31, family members  Unit 11:  Trente et un invites | Writing skills  Months of the year, birthdays  Unit 12:  Quelle est la date de ton anniversaire? | Reading and writing skills  Parts of the body  Unit 13:  J’ai mal! | Reading and writing skills  Classroom items  Unit 14:  Ou est ma trousse? |
| Total | 20 hours | Weekly hours available 26 hours 15 mins | | | | | |