

Curriculum Map Year 4

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Humanities Topic	The Ancient Egyptians <i>What were the beliefs of the Ancient Egyptians?</i>		Extreme Earth: Volcanoes <i>Where are volcanoes and how are they formed?</i>	The Ancient Greeks <i>How has Ancient Greece influenced us today?</i>	London and Rome <i>What is the difference between England and Brazil?</i>	
Core Texts/ Stimuli for Writing	Wisp by Zara Fraillon Cinderella of the Nile by Beverley Naidoo & Marjan Vafaeian Marcy and the Riddle of the Sphinx by Joe Todd Stanton The Story of Tutankhamun by Patricia Cleveland-Peck & Isabel Greenberg Egyptian Gods Dummy's Guide to the Egyptian Underworld		Journey to the Centre of the Earth by Jules Verne Mythologica: An encyclopaedia of gods, monsters and mortals from Ancient Greece by Dr Stephen P. Kershaw & Victoria Topping The Odyssey by Homer		Romeo and Juliet by William Shakespeare The History of the London Underground Coming to England by Floella Benjamin Rukus (video)	
Writing Units	Narrative retelling Setting description Diary writing Suspenseful narrative Newspaper report Non-chronological report Instructional writing		Narrative retelling Character description Non-chronological report Formal letter Discussion text		Speech writing Police report Narrative retelling (romance) Information text Letter writing Diary writing Setting description	
Whole Class Reading Texts	Matilda by Roald Dahl The Field Guide by Holly Black and Tony DiTerizzi		Folktales from Africa: The Baboons Who Went This Way & That by Alexander McCall Smith A Year Full of Stories: 52 Folktales From Around The World by Angela McAllister		Beetle Boy by M.G. Leonard I Am Not A Label by Cerrie Burnell The House With Chicken Legs by Sophie Anderson	
Mathematics	Unit 1: Reasoning with 4-digit numbers Unit 2: Addition and subtraction	Unit 3: Multiplication and division Unit 4: Interpreting and presenting data	Unit 5: Securing multiplication facts Unit 6: Fractions Unit 7: Time	Unit 8: Decimals Unit 9: Area and perimeter	Unit 10: Solving measure and money problems Unit 11: 2-D Shape and Symmetry	Unit 11: 2-D Shape and Symmetry Unit 12: Position and Direction Unit 13: Reasoning with patterns and sequences Unit 14: 3D Shape
Science	Biology Animals including humans <i>Digestive System</i>	Chemistry States of Matter <i>Solids, Liquids & Gases</i>	Physics Sound <i>Vibrations & Patterns</i>	Biology Living things and their habitats <i>Environmental Changes</i>	Consolidation	Chemistry Properties of change and materials (Y5, Part 1) <i>Uses of Materials</i>
PE	Netball	Basketball	Tag Rugby and Swimming	Dance and Gymnastics	Tennis	Athletics
Computing	The Internet	Repetition in shapes	Photo editing	Audio production	Data logging	Repetition in games
RE	Why is the Bible special for Christian people?	How and why do Hindu people worship at home and in the mandir?	What is important to Humanists?	Why is Easter important to Christian people?	What religions and worldviews are represented in our neighbourhood?	What makes me the person I am?
Music	Mamma Mia Pupils focus on one song. The interrelated dimensions of music, singing and playing instruments are all linked.	Glockenspiel Stage 2/Christmas Concert Pupils learn to sing together and to perform.	Stop! Pupils learn a rap about bullying. They learn about the interrelated dimensions of music through games, singing and composing.	Lean on Me/Spring Concert Pupils focus on one song. The interrelated dimensions of music (pulse, rhythm, pitch etc.), singing and playing instruments are all linked.	Blackbird Pupils focus on one song. The interrelated dimensions of music (pulse, rhythm, pitch etc.), singing and playing instruments are all linked.	Reflect, Rewind and Replay/Summer Concert Pupils consolidate the year. The revisit songs and activities, learn a context for the History of Music and the beginnings of the Language of Music.

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PSHE	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Our Pride Values • What makes a community • Shared responsibilities 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Exploring the Zones of Regulation • Size of the problem, managing reactions and toolkit • Being your own inner coach 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Physical and emotional changes in puberty • external genitalia • personal hygiene routines • support with puberty 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Forming positive friendships • Getting on and falling out • Friendships online 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Respecting differences and similarities • Discussing difference sensitively • Respecting other's viewpoints.
Art and DT	<u>Drawing</u> <i>Bodies in Motion - Michelangelo, Keith Haring</i> (Introduction to figure drawing – proportions of the body, the body in motion)		<u>Drawing/Painting</u> <i>Portraiture – Kahlo, Picasso, Eli Waduba</i> (Introduction to portraiture – proportions of the face, realism, cubism, mixing paint – skin tones)		<u>Printmaking</u> <i>Layered Prints - Hokusai, Blexbolex</i> (2 tone printing – review styrofoam printing, printing technique, layering prints)	
Spanish	Vamos al cole Spanish speaking countries, means of transport. DT/art Nazca lines.	¿Qué te gusta hacer? Like and dislikes. Spanish conjugations. The infinitive form of several verbs.	¿Dónde vives? Where do you live? Where are you from? Demonyms. European countries. Spanish speaking cities. Ser and estar.	Toma mucha fruta Healthy lifestyles, sports, food and drink. Subordinate conjunction <i>because</i> (porque) Determiner + noun + adjective agreement.	Raúl viaja en el tiempo Reading. TPRS. Reading comprehension. Pastimes. Subordinate conjunction <i>porque</i> .	Animalandia Animals' classification, descriptions. Determiner + noun + adjective agreement.