

Overview for Year 4



	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4	Term 5	Term 6
Texts	Krindlekrax The Water Horse	The Explorer	The Explorer	The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe	Emil and the Detectives	The Five Children and It
Writing Genre 24-25	Narrative (from short film) Poetry (limerick) Recount (Elvis' POV from Krindlekrax)	Non-chronological report (survival guide) Narrative (rainforest choose your own adventure)	Persuasive letter (stopping palm oil) Narrative (dialogue based)	Narrative (portal story) Instructions (DT day)	Formal letter (Emil to mother) Newspaper Article (Viking attack on Lindisfarne)	Balanced Argument Poem (free verse) Narrative (making a wish to the Psammead)
Maths	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	Animals: digestion and food	Energy: electricity and circuits	Materials: states of matter	Energy: sound and vibrations	Living things: classification and habitats	Making connections
History	How have children's lives changed?		How hard was it to invade and settle in Britain?		How did the achievements of the ancient Maya impact their society and beyond	
Geography		Why are rainforests important to us?		Where does our food come from?		What are rivers and how are they used?
Art	Painting and mixed media: light and dark		Sculpture and 3D: Mega materials		Drawing: power prints	
D.T.		Electrical Systems- Torches		Digital World- Mindful moments timer		Structure- Pavilion's
Computing	Computer Skills: Screengrabs and cropping	Video editing: Adding voiceover to a presentation	Animation: Stop frame animation	Programming: Lego boost to control an external object	Programming: Scratch: Variables in code	Spreadsheets: Inputting Data
Music	Body and Tuned Percussion (Rainforests)	Rock and Roll	Changes in Pitch, Tempo and Dynamics: Rivers	Haiku: Music and Performance	Samba and carnival sound and instruments	Adapting and transposing motifs
PSHE/RSE	Family and Relationships	Family and Relationships Health and Well being	Health and well being Safety and the changing body	Safety and the changing body	Citizenship	Citizenship Economic Well being Transition
R.E.	Are all religions equal?	What makes some texts sacred?	Just how important are beliefs?	Who was Jesus?	Why is the Bible the best-selling book of all time?	Does the language of scripture matter?
MFL (French)	Unit 1: Portraits- Describing in French	Unit 2: Clothes- Getting dressed in France	Unit 3: French Numbers, Calendars and Birthdays	Unit 4: French Weather and the Water Cycle	Unit 5: French Food-Miam! Miam!	Unit 6: French and the Eurovision Song Contest
P.E.	Basketball	Gym	Swim	Hockey	Athletics	Dance
	Tag Rugby	OAA/Team building	Football	Tri-Golf	Tennis	Netball

Year 4 Art Day- Craft and Design- Fabric of Nature

Year 4 DT Day- Term 2- Mechanical Systems-Slingshot Car

Term 4- Cooking and Nutrition-Adapting a recipe/ Term 6-Textiles- Fastenings