



# Year 4 Curriculum Overview 2023 - 2024

	Autumn Term		Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
<b>Cornerstones Project Title</b>	<b>Burps, Bottoms and Bile</b>	<b>I am Warrior</b>	<b>Potions</b>	<b>Misty Mountain Sienna</b>	<b>Traders and Raiders</b>	<b>Blue Abys</b>
<b>English</b>	Section of Narrative (baseline) Diary Entry Instructions Poetry – free verse Narrative – mystery		Non-Chronological report – report Newspaper article Setting description Narrative – adventure/fantasy		Explanation Narrative – myth/saga Balanced discussion Narrative – fantasy	
<b>Maths</b>	Numbers and the number system Counting and comparing Calculating: addition and subtraction	Calculating space (Area and perimeter) Calculating: multiplication and division Exploring time and money (Just the time objectives)	Exploring fractions and decimals Counting and comparing Calculating fractions and decimals	Investigating angles Investigating properties of shapes Exploring time and money (just the money objectives)	Checking, approximating, and estimating Calculating fractions and decimals Investigating angles	Measuring space Mathematical movement Presentation of data
<b>Science</b>		Biology - Animals, including Humans <b>Person of note: Mary Mallon</b>	Physics – sound Chemistry - States of Matter <b>Person of note: Marie Curie</b>	Physics (and Geography) - The Water Cycle  Physics - Electricity		Biology – Living things and Animals, including Humans
<b>History</b>		Roman Empire and its impact on Britain Person of note: Cartimandua			Anglo Saxons and Vikings <b>Person of note: Aethelflaed</b>	
<b>Geography</b>				Identify topographical features (mountains and hills) Field work World map Physical and human features		Locate counties and cities in the UK Human geography of cities Locate seas and oceans Environmental changes Great barrier reef <b>Person of note: Benjamin of Tudela</b>

<b>Art</b>	Artist study – Georgia O-Keeffe	Thematic art focus – Commonwealth games logo	Artist study – Joseph Purnell	Thematic art focus – Portrait of Boudicca – post impressionism	Sculpture study –Eva Rothschild	Thematic art focus – seasons
<b>Design and technology</b>		Mechanisms – bottle submarine		Mechanism – Roman Catapult		Food and Nutrition – Viking Brown Bread
<b>Music</b>	Pupils will learn to sing, listen to a range of music and learn to play the keyboard and samba					
<b>Computing</b>	Pupils will learn to use digital devices, use and create simple programs and understand the importance of being safe online					
<b>Languages</b>	Pupils will learn to express their ideas and thoughts in French and understand and respond to its speakers, both in speech and in writing					
<b>PE</b>	Yoga Tag Rugby	Gymnastics/Swimming Basketball	Swimming Football	Dance Tennis	Basketball Cricket	Fitness Athletics/OAA
<b>RE</b>	Buddhism Kathina	Islam Eid-ul-Adha	Christianity Lent	Sikhism Vaisakhi	Judaism Shabbat	Hinduism Janmashtami
<b>PSHE</b>	Being me in my World  Being part of a class team Being a school citizen Rights, responsibilities and democracy (school council) Rewards and consequences Group decision-making Having a voice What motivates behaviour	Celebrating Differences  Challenging assumptions Judging by appearance Accepting self and others Understanding influences Understanding bullying Problem-solving Identifying how special and unique everyone is First impressions	Dreams and Goals  Hopes and dreams Overcoming disappointment Creating new, realistic dreams Achieving goals Working in a group Celebrating contributions Resilience Positive attitudes	Healthy Me  Healthier friendships Group dynamics Smoking Alcohol Assertiveness Peer pressure Celebrating inner strength	Relationships  Jealousy Love and loss Memories of loved ones Getting on and Falling Out Girlfriends and boyfriends Showing appreciation to people and animals	Changing Me  Being unique Having a baby Girls and puberty Confidence in change Accepting change Preparing for transition Environmental change