

Curriculum Overview 2026/27 – Year 4

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Writing Root Texts	Au1 Writing Root The Iron Man Ted Hughes (narrative: retelling of a section using own character)	Au 2 Writing Root Baker by the Sea Paula White (non-chronological report: tourist brochure)	Sp 1 Writing Root Varmints Helen Ward (autobiography of the Secret Gardener)	Sp 2 Writing Root Riddle of the Runes Janina Ramirez (narrative: continuation of a story)	Su1 Writing Root The Story of Tutankhamun Patricia Cleveland-Peck (biography of Howard Carter)	Su2 Writing Root & Literacy Leaf: Lion, Witch and the Wardrobe C.S. Lewis
Literary Leaf Texts	Poems from a Green and Blue Planet	How Does A Lighthouse Work? Roman Belyaev	Guided reading: group-based comprehension Wild Robot (Peter Brown)	Guided reading: group-based comprehension Skygazing	Guided reading: group-based comprehension Firework Maker's Daughter: Philip Pullman	Guided reading: group-based comprehension Literary Leaf: LWW
Maths	Number and Place Value (4 weeks) Addition and Subtraction (3 weeks)	Area (1 week) Multiplication and Division (2 weeks)	Multiplication (3 weeks) Perimeter (1 week) Fractions (4 weeks)	Continue Fractions (4 weeks) Decimals (3 weeks)	Decimals (2 weeks) Money (2 weeks) Time (2 weeks)	Year 4 Multiplication Tables Check Statistics (1 week) Geometry (4 weeks)
Science	States of matter	Living things and their habitats	Teeth and digestion	Electricity	Sound	Famous Scientists & Reduce, Reduce, Recycle
History	The Romans		Anglo-Saxons		Source work skills/Important figures in different cultures	
Geography	All Around the World: Globe Basics			Where on Earth? City comparison	Weather	Global Caretakers
Art	Drawing	Painting	Printmaking	Collage	Textiles	3D
DT	Sewing		Biscuits		Nightlights	
Music	Drumming	Drumming	Drumming	Drumming	Drumming	Drumming
PE	Swimming Netball	Swimming	Swimming until half term Football	Basketball	Gymnastics Cricket	Rounders Athletics
Forest School	Forest School (1)			Forest School (2)		Forest School (3)
RE	Places of worship + Y3		Sacred Texts + Y3	Worship	Religion in the Community	Symbolism + Yr3
Computing	MS Word to create art	Introduction to scratch - drawing project.	Network Explorers - classroom based	Computing trial unit: Audio Production	iMovie using iPads Childnet Film Competition	iMovie using iPads
PSHE	Me and My Relationships	Valuing Difference	Keeping Safe	Rights and Respect	Being My Best	Growing and Changing Puberty
French	All around town	On the move	Gone Shopping	Where in the world?	What is the time?	Holidays and Hobbies
Trips and Experiences	STEM Wow Week	Roman Day	ARTS Wow Week	Ufton Court: 2 night History Residential	Local geography - Traffic data collection	