



MATHS

This term, the children will be starting with decimals and rounding to the nearest whole numbers. They will then move on to money and solving problems involving calculating with money. They will learn to convert between analogue and digital times and review units of measurement for time. Later in the term, children will be looking at angles in triangles, quadrilaterals and polygons. They will also be identifying lines of symmetry. As the term progresses, children will learn to read coordinates to plot points on a grid and they will also learn to translate shapes to a new point.

ENGLISH

This term, the children will be reading 'Varmints', 'Wild Robot' and 'Jemmy Button'. They will use these texts as inspiration to write their own setting-based narratives, persuasive letters and instruction texts. They will learn to use fronted adverbials, subordination, prepositions, commands, apostrophes, paragraphing and personification. In Guided Reading, children will read 'Mr Penguin and the Lost Treasure' and 'The Undeafed'. They will focus on developing skills for retrieval, summarising, inferences and predictions.



SCIENCE

This term, the children will be learning about Habitats and classification keys. They will learn about deforestation and the impact on the world. Later in the term, children will learn about the Digestive System, particularly focusing on tooth decay. They will learn about food chains and the different roles of producers, predators and prey.



COMPUTING

This term, children will be learning to stay safe online. They will learn to search the internet effectively and assess the reliability of sources. Later in the term, they will investigate different hardware and learn about the parts that make up a computer.

YR 4 SUMMER

1: Inside the Amazon 2: Law & Order



HISTORY & GEOGRAPHY

In Geography, children will learn all about the continent of South America. They will learn about the Incan empire and the physical geography of the continent. They will learn about deforestation in the Amazon Rainforest. In History, children will be learning about Law and Power. They will learn about Henry II, Thomas Becket, King John and Simon de Montfort.



ITALIAN

Ciao

This term children will be learning to name a number of Italian meals. They will use their knowledge of numbers to learn to calculate the bill in Italian currency.

MUSIC

The children will continue to have music lessons with our specialist music teacher Mrs Shanahan. She will focus on teaching the children songs linked to their topic and skills necessary for percussion instruments. They will continue to have Recorder lessons with our specialist recorder teacher.

PE

During Indoor PE lessons, children will be having fitness and volleyball lessons. They will develop their stamina and coordination during these sessions. In Outdoor PE lessons, children will be doing Athletics and Orienteering sessions.



RE & RHE

In RE, the children will be learning about the story of Paul and how he spreads the Good News. They will also learn about the importance of Reconciliation and some key saints including Oscar Romero and Saint Teresa.



ART & DT

This term the children will be using paint and collage to create their own artwork of different South American fruits. They will use the work of artist Paul Cezanne as their inspiration. In the second half of the term, children will look at the work of Lucia Hierro and create their own sculptures of food using modroc.

