

Curriculum Information
Term 1 2021-2022
Year 4



English

We will be reading: *Vi Spy Licence to Chill* by Max Evans



In our writing we will be learning to:
Write a Kenning
Write a myth
Write an information text

Maths

We will be focusing on the four operations: addition, subtraction, multiplication and division.

We will be learning to:

- Add and subtract 4-digit numbers
- Multiply and divide 4-digit numbers
- Answer word problems and multi-step problems using addition, subtraction, multiplication and division.

Spelling

We will be practising our statutory words for Year 3 & 4, and learning our spelling rules:

Suffix –sure (words ending in sure – e.g treasure), possessive apostrophes and

Invasion

This project teaches children about life in Britain after the Roman withdrawal. Children will learn about Anglo-Saxon and Viking invasions up to the Norman conquest.

Significant People

We will be learning about

- King Alfred the Great
- Aethelfised
- St Cuthbert
- King Athelstan
- William the Conqueror
- King Harold



History

This is a history topic where we will use a range of texts and evidence to find out about life after the Roman withdrawal in Britain. We will learn about the Anglo-Saxons, Vikings and Normans.

Computing

We will develop our understanding of digital devices, with a focus on inputs, processes, and outputs. We will compare digital and non-digital devices, before exploring computer networks that include network infrastructure devices like routers and switches.

PSHEE

The theme for Term 1 is 'Me and My Relationships.' We will be exploring different feelings and talking about people that we admire and identifying their positive qualities. We will also be considering what makes a good team. Term 1 will also give children the opportunity to elect a new School Parliament representative.

P.E.

In P.E. this term, we will develop ball skills through the sport of football. They will learn to combine dodging and running skills while dribbling a ball. We will also learn ways to support their friends while playing sport and begin to take on small leadership roles within a team.

Art

In art, we will be developing our use of line and form, to create 3D sculptures inspired by Giacometti.

Music

In music this term, pupils will begin their ukulele learning at the start of this term. They will learn some basic chords, including C and Am. They will also sing some songs using these chords, such as 'Buffalo Soldier'. Pupils will learn simple tab notation and play some riffs including 'Smoke on the Water.' As well as learning the ukulele, pupils will develop their ability to create and analyse a number of different pieces based on their topic.

French

In French, we will learn about classroom instructions, animals and colours.