

Year 4 Yearly Overview

	Topic 1	Topic 2	Topic 3	Topic 4	Topic 5	Topic 6
English – Reading	Fiction – The Miraculous Journey of Edward Tulane – Kate DiCamillo Non-fiction – StoryWorlds: A Moment in Time: A Perpetual Picture Atlas – Thomas Hegbrook Poetry – Hansel and Gretel: Rhyme Stew – Roald Dahl	Fiction - Operation Gadget Man - Malorie Blackman Picture book – Wolves in the Wall – Neil Gaiman Poetry – I asked the river – Valerie Bloom	Fiction – Call Me Lion – Camilla Chester Poetry – Where do we come from? - Michael Rosen Non-Fiction – Forest Fighter: The Story of Chico Mendes – Anita Ganeri	Fiction - How to Train a Dragon - Cressida Cowell Picture book – Talk Like A River – Jordan Scott Poetry: I am Roman – Josiah Wedgewood	Fiction – Harry Potter and the Philosopher’s Stone – JK Rowling Picture book (non-fiction) – Rhythm of the Rain – Grahame Baker Smith Poetry – Throwing a Tree - Thomas Hardy	Fiction – The Demon Headmaster – Gillian Cross Picture book – The Snow Leopard – Jackie Morris Poetry – Bush Fire – Jackie Kay
English – Writing	Wishing Tale Formal Letter Cinquain Poetry	Film Narrative Newspaper Clerihew Poetry	Traditional Tale Balanced Argument	Mystery Narrative Biography	Journey Narrative Persuasive Letter	Adventure Narrative Explanation Limerick Poetry
Maths	Statistics Place value Number: addition and subtraction	Number: addition and subtraction Geometry: position and direction Number: multiplication and division	Number: multiplication and division Measurement: time	Number: fractions Number: decimals	Number: decimals Measurement: money Measurement: converting, perimeter and area	Measurement: converting, perimeter and area Geometry: properties of shape
Science	Living things & their habitats	Animals including humans		Sound	States of matter	Electricity
History		Ancient Greeks		Romans		Local study - Bancroft

Geography	The Geography of Europe		In depth study - Italy		Mountains & the water cycle	
Art and Design	Form – Goldsworthy - natural resources	Colour - Monet – colour affecting moods		Printing – creating layered prints	Drawing - landscapes sketching to enlarge	
Design and Technology		Cooking - making biscuits	Mechanisms - slingshot car		Textiles – applique cushion	Electrical circuits – torches
Physical Education	Gymnastics Invasion 1 – basketball	Invasion 2 – football Dance	Invasion 3 – Games Tag rugby	Handball Multi-skills	Net and Wall Games - Tennis Striking and fielding	Athletics Rounders
Religious Education	Hinduism – beliefs about God, deities, and celebrations (Diwali)	Christianity – beliefs about God, Jesus, and the Holy Spirit. Celebrations (Christmas and baptism)	Hinduism – inspirations and influences from other Hindus and celebrations (Holi)	Christianity – inspirations and influences from other Christians and celebrations (Easter and marriage)	Islam – beliefs about God and celebrations (Ramadan)	Islam – inspirations and influences from other Muslims and celebrations (Eid al-Fitr)
Computing	The Internet		Repetition in games	Data logging		Audio production
Personal, Social, Health and Economic Education	Jigsaw – Being Me	Jigsaw – Celebrating differences	Jigsaw – Dreams and Goals	Jigsaw – Healthy Me	Jigsaw - Relationships	Jigsaw – Changing Me
Music	Mamma Mia	Glockenspiel Stage 2	Stop!	Blackbirds	Guitars	Guitars
Modern Foreign Languages - German	School learning skills	Our local area	Family tree and faces	Carnivals and body parts	Feeling unwell and jungle animals	The weather