

Creative (Art, DT, Music)

Art

In art we are continuing to learn all about self-portraits. We will be looking at the work of different artists to explore how self-portraits are made. We will use the photographs we took of ourselves to help us sketch our self-portraits.

DT

This half term in DT we will be looking at the structural features of a tower. We will be designing, building and evaluating our towers this half term!

PE

In PE we will be looking at:

Kick Rounders - just like the original game of rounders only using our feet to kick the ball. This will help to develop our coordination and build our team work skills.

Mini Tennis - Our second topic of this half term is learning all about the game tennis. We will work hard to improve our hand eye coordination.

Computing



We will continue to expand our knowledge on how to be safe online. We will also continue learning the different parts of a computer and the key differences between each device. We will also start to learn coding and programming and look forward to using this knowledge to control our own Bee-bot!

Websites

[The Counting by Fives Song](#) | [Counting Songs](#) | [Scratch Garden - YouTube](#)
[The Counting by Tens Song](#) | [Counting Songs](#) | [Scratch Garden - YouTube](#)

Humanities (History, Geography)

Geography

We will continue exploring how temperature changes across the world. We will look at how the Northern and Southern hemispheres affect temperature and why some countries are warm at different times of the year.

History

This half term in history we will continue looking at how different modes of transport have changed. We will also learn all about significant historians who have made important changes to modes of transport.

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Curriculum Overview

Class 4

Spring 2



Books/resources/films/music/visits/visitors/role play etc

We enjoy story time daily and will be reading a range of fiction and non-fiction texts to help with our understanding of the world around us.

This half term we also celebrate World Book Day and Red Nose Day!

English

Read Write Inc - Phonics

During Spring we will be continuing to attend our daily Read Write Inc phonics lessons. We will be working hard to practice all of our new sounds and recap all of the sounds that we already know. This is really helping with our reading and writing.

Writing- Year 2

- Narrative
- Information Text
- Poetry

Writing - Year 1

In year 1 we will be continuing to practice our dictated sentences on our story book. Focusing on our full stops, capital letters and finger spaces, making sure we use are individual phonics knowledge to spell our words.

Related UNCRC Articles

Article 29 - A child or young person's education should help their mind, body and talents be the best they can. It should also build their respect for other people and the world around them.

Science

Topic - Living Things

This half term in science we will be learning all about living things. We will start by learning how we classify living, dead or never alive. Then we will look at how we know something is alive. We will then move on to look at the different types of habitats that living things can live in.

RE

Why do Christians celebrate Easter?

In RE we are going to be learning all about why Christians celebrate Easter. First we will learn the story of Easter. Then we will look at how Easter makes Christians feel. As part of our RE topic we will be visiting St Aidans church for an Easter service.

Maths

Mental

- Counting forwards and backwards
- Counting in 10s
- Doubling and halving
- Partitioning numbers
- Number bonds to 10 - Y1
- Number bonds to 20 - y2

Main maths lesson

<u>Year 2</u>	<u>Year 1</u>
- Fractions	- Fractions
- Time	- Time
- Properties of shape	- Shape
- 2 X tables	- Counting in 2's
- 5 X tables	- Counting in 5's
- 10 X tables	- Counting in 10's