

Year 4

English

Journalistic writing, weather reports– non fiction.

'How to Train your Dragon by Cressida Cowell – fiction.

List poems and kennings - poetry

Skills: Writing for audience and purpose, using metaphor and hyperbole, use of paragraphs

Writing outcomes: weather report, list poem, chapter from a story

Grammar and punctuation: modal verbs, present progressive tense, expanded noun phrase, possessive pronouns

Reading: Continuing with Onjali Rauf's, 'The Boy in the Back of the Class' before starting Peter Brown's, 'The Wild Robot.'

Maths

Multiplying and dividing by 10, 100, 1000

Factors and factor pairs

Informal methods for multiplication

Multiplying 3-digits by 1-digit

Measure in KM and M

Perimeter of polygons and rectilinear shapes

Mixed numbers and improper fractions

Equivalent fractions

Tenths and hundredths as fractions and decimals

DT

- Making a shoebox car (joint project with Y2)
- 'If you were an engineer, what would you do?' STEM competition

Spring 1



"One body with many parts, growing together in love"

Music

Review the position of holding and finger board, to understand how to put the fingers on the fret to change pitch of string, be able to play simple guitar code, perform a simple tune or two Bars music in a small group

French

Identify the days of the week, months, seasons and names of fruit using songs and games to reinforce their learning, hold basic conversations.

Computing

Designing and creating their own social media platform to fill a gap in the market. Throughout the half term, pupils will use more advanced functions in Word to plan their ideas before finally collating them into a Keynote ready to be presented to their peers.

Miss Caruth

RE – How do Hindus worship?

Why do Hindus have many images of God?
Why is the Aum symbol important to Hindus?
How do Hindus worship at home?
How does a Hindu priest help Hindus worship at the mandir?
Why do Hindus go on pilgrimage?

Science – Ecology

Living Things and Habitats, Natural Cycles, Web of Living Things, Air Pollution - A Human Threat to the Environment, Ecology in our Local Areas

Humanities - UK Geography: London and the South East

Introduction to the South East, The River Thames and the Thames Barrier, Canterbury, White Cliffs of Dover – Coastal Erosion and Weathering

PSHE – Healthy Me

Healthier friendships, group dynamics, smoking, alcohol, assertiveness, celebrating inner strength