



Curriculum Map

Year 4 Autumn Term 2025

<p>English</p> <p>Texts we will be using: The Mermaid of Zennor, Annie Lumsden The Girl from the Sea, Tar Beach, Until I met Dudley, FARThER and Skygazing.</p> <p>Key Learning:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Dialogue Playscript Poetry Formal letter Information booklet Retelling from a different perspective <p>Key Vocabulary: compound and multi-clause sentences, co-ordinating/ subordinating conjunctions, main clause, subordinate clauses, similes and metaphors and adverbials.</p> <p>At home you can: Hear your child read/read to them x 5 per week. Practise spellings</p>		<p>Maths</p> <p>Key Learning:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Look at numbers up to 10,000. Use the formal written method to add and subtract 4-digit numbers. Calculate and compare the area of a shape. Multiplying and dividing up to the 12 times tables. Problem solving <p>Key Vocabulary: one, tens, hundreds, thousands, partition, addition, subtraction, area, multiply, divide, operation, methods, factor, factor pairs and derive.</p> <p>At home you can: Continue to practise all times tables and related division facts in different ways including the use of Times Table Rock Stars.</p>	
<p>Science</p> <p>Key Learning:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Grouping and classifying living things –animals and plants States of matter – solids, liquids and gases Working scientifically Data collection <p>Key Vocabulary: vertebrate, invertebrate, mammal, bird, fish, reptile, amphibian, classification, solid, liquid, gas, particles, condensation, evaporation, precipitation.</p>	<p>PSHE</p> <p>Key Learning:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Team – maintaining positive, healthy friendships, including showing compassion, and the benefits of a community Healthy – medicines (drugs), including how to take them correctly, side effects and risks <p>Key Vocabulary: collaborative, relationships, healthy, responsibility, compassion, respect, community, benefits, maintain, friendship, caffeine, risk, habit, addiction, prescribed, harmful, medicine, drug, advice, side effects, dental health, wellbeing</p>	<p>Computing</p> <p>Key Learning:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Online safety – recognising phishing, malware, plagiarism and healthy screen-time Computing systems and networks – the internet as a network of networks and why we should evaluate online content <p>Key Vocabulary: report, phishing, digital footprint, malware, software, virus, AdFly, ransomware, cookies, watermark, copyright, collaborating, internet, network, security, server, World Wide Web, download, link, permission, content, accurate</p>	
<p>Art</p> <p>Key Learning:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Create a three-dimensional by using tones to show light and dark. Use lines and marks in different ways to represent tone and texture. Consider where to items. Show texture in collage. <p>Key Vocabulary: collage, composition, form, highlight, proportion, shadow</p>	<p>Design Technology</p> <p>Key Learning:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Evaluating existing biscuits Preparing and cooking a dish Selecting ingredients based on a budget Analysing existing products Making a prototype <p>Key Vocabulary: healthy, texture, taste, ingredients, combine, flavour and hygiene.</p>	<p>French</p> <p>Key Learning:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Be introduced to the four seasons in French say which is their favourite season use the conjunctions ‘et’ and ‘car’. <p>Key Vocabulary: L’hiver, le printemps, les arbres</p>	<p>Geography</p> <p>Key Learning:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> What does living sustainably mean? Wind and solar farm purposes. Differences between renewable and non-renewable energy sources. <p>Key Vocabulary: Sustainability, energy sources, environment, solar and wind.</p>
<p>History</p> <p>Key Learning:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Roman Empire and why they invaded Britain. Boudica Compare and contrast armies Interpreting sources to find out about Roman society, towns and roads in Britain Gladiatorial games <p>Key Vocabulary: Roman, archaeologist, cities, gladiator, Roman Empire, armour, invasion, raw materials, motives.</p>	<p>Music</p> <p>Key Learning:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> start to learn notation begin to use the glockenspiels learn the notes B, A and G Play together as an ensemble and learn about keeping in time <p>Key Vocabulary: stave, pulse, beat, notes, ensemble and notation.</p>	<p>Physical Education</p> <p>Key Learning:</p> <p>Each topic will explore different passing styles, shooting, moving to create space and ways to keep possession of the ball.</p> <p>Pine class will be swimming this term.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Netball (Acer only) Gymnastics (Acer and Pine) Hockey (Acer only) Dance (Acer and Pine) <p>Key Vocabulary: pass, dribble, throw, receive, attack, defence, movement, team.</p>	<p>Religious Education</p> <p>Key Learning:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Buddhism: Is it possible for everyone to be happy? Christianity: What is the most significant part of the nativity story for Christians today? <p>Key Vocabulary: Buddha, Bodhi, 8-fold path, Prince, Siddhattha, Gautama, Yasodhara, teachings, peace, Jesus, frankincense, myrrh and Christingle.</p>