

## English

English skills are taught in subject-specific lessons and across the curriculum:

- Vocabulary expansion will be taught all year;
- Reading, including comprehension skills, will be taught all year;
- Grammar, punctuation, joined handwriting and spelling will be taught throughout Year 4;
- Sentence and paragraph construction will be taught all year;
- historical fiction and non-fiction ;
- descriptive writing;
- poetry in different forms;
- narrative writing.

## P.S.H.E.

- Caring for the environment
- Team building
- Helpfulness

## Science

- Living things and their habitats: plants and animals
- Electricity

# Year 4 Curriculum Autumn Term

## P.E.

- Swimming and water safety.
- Team and invasion games and ball skills.

## Art

Line and tone and the creation of pattern and texture will be covered all year using different media.

## Geography

- British Isles
- Continents

## Maths

Mental arithmetic strategies (including tables and number bonds) are taught throughout the year.

- Place value and number sequences
- Standard methods for addition, subtraction, multiplication and division (four rules)
- Time (analogue and digital)
- Applying the above to problem solving

## Computing

Throughout the year, internet safety and responsibility will be emphasised.

- Cross-curricular computing skills to include:
- word processing skills;
- Internet and digital research.

## R.E.

- What do we learn from religions about right and wrong?
- The importance of festivals.

## History

- Looking at evidence
- Significant event in local history – The Battle of Bosworth

## Design and Technology

- Prepare and cook a variety of dishes using seasonal ingredients.
- Using a range of tools to perform practical tasks (such as cutting and joining).
- Research and develop a design (such as cards).

## Music

- Singing a range of songs and carols.
- Listening to examples of well known world music.
- Developing an understanding of composing and performing simple rhythms and melodies.