



Year 4 – Curriculum Overview – 2026-27

	<u>Autumn 1</u>	<u>Autumn 2</u>	<u>Spring 1</u>	<u>Spring 2</u>	<u>Summer 1</u>	<u>Summer 2</u>
Reading RWI Literacy Shed+	Guided Reading is taught daily through whole class VIPERS sessions.					
Writing	Letter Writing (formal) Character description Poetry – Acrostic poem on a significant person.	Adventure narrative Recount – Diary	Non-chronological report Persuasive Writing (letter)	First person narrative Journalistic Writing – Newspaper report	Play scripts based on Marcy and the Riddle Sphinx	Character description Informal letter linked to Firework Maker's Daughter
		UK Parliament Week		British Science Week	Poetry – Narrative poems based on a short film.	Performance Poetry World Environment Day
Maths White Rose Education	Place Value Addition and Subtraction Area Multiplication and Division A		Multiplication and Division B Length and Perimeter Fractions Decimals A		Decimals B Money Time Shape Statistics Position and Direction	
Science	Electricity	Living Things and Their Habitats: Food Chains		Sound	States of Matter	Animals, including humans: Teeth and The Digestive System
History	<u>Ancient Greece:</u> What is the legacy of the Ancient Greeks?			<u>Ancient Rome:</u> Why did the Romans invade Britain?		
Geography			How have climate zones changed over time?			What are rivers and how are they used?
Art and DT KAPOW	<u>DT: Mechanical Systems</u> Making a Slingshot Car	<u>Art: Drawing</u> Power Prints	<u>DT: Textiles</u> Fastenings	<u>Art: Painting and Mixed Media</u> Light and Dark	<u>DT: Cooking & Nutrition</u> Adapting a Recipe	<u>Art: Craft and Design</u> Fabric of Nature
Computing Purple Mash	1. Animation (L1-6)	1. Micro:Bit (L1-4) 2. Databases (L1-3)	1. Databases (L4) 2. Game Creator (L1-5)	1. Concept Maps (L1-4)	1. Coding (L1-6)	1. Quizzing (L1-5)
PE PE Hub	Dance 1 OAA	Gymnastics 1 Basketball	Dodgeball Gymnastics 2	Tag Rugby Badminton	Volleyball Athletics	Tennis Dance 2
RE KAPOW	Are all religions equal?	What makes some texts sacred?	Just how important are our beliefs?	Who was Jesus?	Why is the Bible the best-selling book of all time?	Does the language of scripture matter?
PSHE Jigsaw	Being me in my world	Celebrating differences	Dreams and goals	Healthy me	Relationships	Changing me
Music	Radical Rap	Ukulele Magic (Level 2)		Music Theory with Keyboards (Level 4)	Class Band: Groove	African Drumming (Level 2)
Mr French	Review of Year 3 Pets	At Home Going to School	In my Classroom Lunch at School	School Subjects Hobbies and Interests	Play an Instrument The Weather	The Fruits