

Roots to grow, wings to fly



Y4 Curriculum Overview 2026-2027

Subject	Autumn	Spring	Summer
Maths	Number: Place value, addition and subtraction, multiplication and division Measure: length and perimeter	Number: multiplication and division, Fractions, decimals Measure: Area	Number: Decimals Statistics Geometry: properties of shape, position and direction Measure: Money, Time
English	Fiction - The Firework Makers Daughter Narrative Writing to entertain – poetry	Fiction – Secrets of a Sun King Writing to inform – reports, diaries, letters	Fiction – The Butterfly Lion Narrative Writing to argue – letters, leaflets
Science	States of matter – How do we change between solids, liquids and gases?	Animals - What happens to the food we eat? Living things and their habitats - How can we protect animal habitats?	Sound - Do we all hear the same things? Electricity - How would we cope without electricity?
Religion & Worldviews	UC Concept: People of God Key Question: What is it like (for Christians) to follow God? Religion: Christianity Theme: Beliefs and Practices Key Question: How special is the relationship Jews have with God? Religion: Judaism	Theme: Passover Key Question: How important is it for Jewish people to do what God asks them to do? Religion: Judaism	UC Concept: Kingdom of God Key Question: When Jesus left, what was the impact of Pentecost? Religion: Christianity Humanism
History & Geography	Geography Focus Local to global – Why do people live in challenging places?	History Focus Continuity and change – What did the Ancient Egyptians achieve?	Geography Focus Humans and the world – How have humans impacted Africa?
PE	Dance Problem solving & inventing games Hockey Playground games	Football Orienteering Swimming Basketball	Tennis Swimming Ultimate Frisbee Swimming
Art	Drawing and sketching – pencils oil pastels Colour focus – warm and cold tones	Clay Egyptian masks	Printing Artist study: Esther Maglangu
DT	Mechanics – Christmas cards	Cooking and nutrition- Ancient Egyptian flatbreads	Textiles – Cross stitch
Computing Teach Computing	Computing systems and networks – The Internet Creating media – Photo editing	Programming A – Repetition in shapes Data and information – Data logging	Programming B – Repetition in games
Online Safety Project Evolve	Online Bullying	Managing Online Information AND Safer Internet Day	Self-Image and Identity
PSHE	Jigsaw unit: Being me in My World Jigsaw unit: Celebrating difference	Jigsaw unit: Dreams and Goals Jigsaw unit: Healthy Me	Jigsaw unit: Relationships Jigsaw unit: Changing Me
Music	Singing in parts: Loops and layers Christmas Play	Whole Class Ukulele	Musical motifs: Reading the stave Music technology: Loops