Year 4 Autumn 1 Curriculum Leaflet

ENGLISH

In English, we will be focusing on the story of 'The Magic Finger', by Roald Dahl. In writing, we will be:

- Retelling a familiar fairy tale, with our own twist ending added in
- Writing riddle poetry describing an animal using cryptic clues
- Writing a character description of the characters in 'The Magic Finger', describing how their bodies change through the story
- Adding our own chapter to the story to create the next adventure for the storyteller



In RE, we will be looking at Judaism and think about what the most important part of Jewish tradition is. We will also be looking at religious artefacts such as the Torah, as well as Pesach and the story of Exodus.

GEOGRAPHY

In Geography, we will be studying the American continent. We will be examining the physical and human features of the landscape, using map reading skills to find towns and plot routes between points of interest, and researching the features of the famous Route 66.

PSHE

In PSHE, we are working on building a School Charter, filled with guidelines the children agree to follow for the year in class and around school. The children will collaborate on a piece of artwork representing the Charter.



In Art, we are going to be looking at plant art. We will be discussing our feelings and viewpoints about pieces of art, and then begin to work towards creating depth, tints and hues within our artwork. We will then recreate different pictures of plants as artworks.

Miss Rakhra Teacher 4TR







In Music, we will be learning how to read simple musical notation, recall rhythm and melody and play the glockenspiel. We will be performing the song 'Mamma

Mrs Cartwright Mr Vawer ΤA Teacher 4IV

SCIENCE

In Science, we will be looking at living things. We are going to be learning about how living things can be grouped and classified in different ways. We will also be classifying animals and plants within the classroom.

MATHS

In Maths, we will be looking at how to:

- Read and write 5-digit numbers.
- Round numbers to the nearest 10, 100 and 1000.
- Read. write and convert between fractions and decimals.
- Solve maths stories for $+ x \div$
- Compare and convert between units of measure.
- Solve money and measure word problems.
- Solve + and stories using negative numbers.

COMPUTING

In Computing, we are learning how to code using Scratch, a website which creates simple coding strings. We will be creating our own educational video game.

INFORMATION

PE Dav is on Thursday Swimming is on Friday