

# Year 4 Autumn 1 Curriculum Leaflet

## ENGLISH

In writing, we are consolidating the skills taught in Year 4 and building fluency. We are focusing on handwriting letter formation.

We have some interesting texts to explore, from 'Goldilocks and the Three Bears' to 'The Magic Finger'.

## PSHE

In PSHE, our topic is 'Being Me in My World'. Our lessons will involve teamwork activities, getting to know each other better, and building a class charter. This will be a set of rules we will agree to follow all year long.



## ART

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.

## 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  $+$   $-$   $\times$   $\div$
- Compare and convert between units of measure.
- Solve money and measure word problems.
- Solve  $+$  and  $-$  stories using negative numbers.

## RE

In RE, we will be looking at the rite of passage for Sikhs. During lessons, children will explore the importance of gurus, Sikh naming ceremonies and the baptism ceremony that Sikhs take part in.

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## COMPUTING

Our computing lessons are about programming. We will be using the programme 'Scratch' to code a simple time tables based game. This will involve building a complex set of instructions which will keep track of scores and celebrate success.

## GEOGRAPHY

Geography this term is all about The Americas!

We are learning about Route 66 and where it goes, what it runs through and the different landscapes. We look at different places within North America in detail and start to understand the physical and human characteristics of given locations.

Children will be doing a lot of research and map work.

## MUSIC



Year 4 will be learning new notes using the glockenspiel and musical theory about pitch, rhythm and melody.

## 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.

## INFORMATION

17/09: National Fitness Day  
23/09: Individual School Photos  
06-10/10: Book Fair  
06-07/10: Parents' Evening  
24/10: Diwali Day  
27/10-31/10: Half Term  
03/11: Return to school