

Year 4 Curriculum Overview Autumn Term 2 2026

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to speak to your child's class teacher at the end of the day or email the class email address.

Dear Parents and Carers, please take a look at the curriculum that your child will be learning this half term.

Writing: We will continue with the 'The Baker by the Sea' story and will be writing a brochure for the seaside village. We will also be doing some winter poetry based on the five senses.



Reading: During guided reading, we will be discussing the vocabulary used in the text, rehearsing our reading fluency through readers' theatre and then answering a range of comprehension style questions. Our guided reading texts will change each week.



Maths: This half term we will learning about multiplication and division, this includes learning our times tables and multiplying three numbers.



Science: Our unit for this half term is electricity. This includes electrical safety, testing circuits and learning about conductors and insulators.



Computing: This half term, we will be using code to design our own chatbot in Scratch.



Music: Children will be continuing to play steady drumbeats using three different sections of a drum kit, either as soloist, pairs or an ensemble. They will be able to compose their own musical parts by utilizing different drums and cymbals across their drum kit, as well as sight-read rhythms composed by other groups



PSHE: The unit this half term is called 'Celebrating Differences' and helps the children to understand how we can make assumptions about people based on how they look. The children will also discuss what bullying is and how to



PE: This half term, we will be having swimming lessons at Horley Leisure Centre. We will also be developing our handball skills.



RE: Our big question this half term will be 'How do people try to make the world a fairer place?'

DT: The children will be investigating the use of different torches. They will then decide on a purpose for their own torch, which they will design, make and evaluate.



Art: This half term, children will explore how artists add depth and distance to their drawings. They will use their learning to create a landscape picture.



MFL: The children will be studying vegetables. During this unit, the children will learn the names for 10 different vegetables and how to order a kilo of each in a shop.



Please remember to read regularly with your child at home. We recommend at least 5 times per week. **TTRS home learning is set on Wednesdays will need to be completed by the following Tuesday.** Reading Record Books should be in school each day so that they can be checked by the class teacher. Please also check to see if your child's stationery need replenishing - the list can be found in their reading record books. Thank you!