

## English

Children will be focusing on handwriting, sentence structure and presentation skills this term. Our class narratives will be 'Outlaw' by Michael Morpurgo and 'A Christmas Carol' by Charles Dickens. Both texts will provide inspiration for many creative writing tasks including; diaries, letters and stories. SPaG will be taught discreetly using these texts and Spellings will be set weekly. Through comprehension lessons children will enhance their inference and retrieval skills as well as broaden their vocabulary.

## RE

During RE this term Class 4 will answer the questions 'Creation and science: conflicting or complementary?' and 'Why is the Torah so important to Jewish people?'

## Geography

Children will learn about natural resources, including fossil fuels and sustainable energy. They will discover where natural resources are found in the world and enhance their map reading skills.

## Music

In Music this term children will appraise different genres of music including rock and jazz and will have the opportunity to play a variety of instruments.

## Class 4 Autumn term

### Science

This term in science children will learn about the ageing process in animals including humans. They will investigate the circulatory system in detail and discover facts about how water and nutrients are transported around the body. Children will use their scientific knowledge whilst carrying out investigations.

### Art & DT

In Art lessons this term children will create pieces of work based on Georgia O'Keefe and Andy Goldsworthy. Our DT project this term is to plan, design and create a pop-up toy (animal) for Class 1 children.

### Computing

This term Class 4 will use laptops to learn about E-safety, searching the web effectively and computer systems. Children will use laptops and iPads to help with research during topic lessons throughout the term.

## Maths

This term our focus will be place value, decimals, rounding, shapes including circles and mental calculations. The children will look at the four operations (addition, subtraction, multiplication and division) and develop their reasoning and problem-solving skills in these sessions.

## PE

In PE this term children will continue to enhance their co-ordination, agility and teamwork whilst playing football and netball. They will continue to develop their strength and creativity during dance lessons. PE lessons will take place on Tuesdays with Y4, Y5 and Y6 together. On Wednesday afternoons children from KS2 will participate in PE together.

## History

In History this year, children will discover facts about life during the Middle Ages. They will learn about 1066, Magna Carta and castles. I am sure this will appeal to the children's curiosity.

## French

In French this term children will learn new vocabulary to describe themselves and hold conversations with each other.