

Curriculum Overview 2019-2020 – Year 4

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Theme Title	The Rampaging Romans	Can the Earth shake, rattle and roll?	What did the Victorians do for us?	Can you come on a great American road trip?	The Time-Travelling children	How does water go round and round?
English	Poetry/vocab building Myths	Report writing – Volcanoes Vocab building: Christmas poetry	Poetry – riddles Story settings	Persuasion	Stories with a theme Take one poet	Playscripts Explanation
Mathematics	Place value Rounding, estimation, magnitude Mental addition and subtraction fluency Written addition and subtraction fluency Counting in multiples of 6,7,9,25,1000 Multiplication and division facts	Factor pairs, integer scaling and correspondence problems Problem solving (apply mental strategies) Multiply and divide by 10 and 100 Measure: conversion of units Measure: compare, estimate, calculate Discrete and continuous data	Perimeter Shape Symmetry Decimal numbers Calculating with decimals Measure: money Problem solving involving two decimal places	Add and subtract fractions with the same denominator Fractions of quantities Fractions in context of measure Equivalent fractions, ordering and comparing Multiply two and three-digit numbers by a one-digit numbers using formal method	Divide two and three-digit numbers by a one-digit numbers using formal method Time: analogue, digital, 12/24 hour Statistics: continuous and discrete data Roman numerals Negative numbers Geometry: angles Geometry: triangles	Geometry: coordinates in first quadrants and translations Geometry: position and direction, plotting points of a shape. Multiplication and division review Area Fractions review Application and problem solving (operation sense)
Science	Teeth and eating	Electricity and circuits	States of matter	Sound and vibrations	Living things – vertebrates and invertebrates	Investigative skills



History	Roman settlements and way of life		Victorian life (families, children, jobs and architecture)		Is it better to be a child now than in the past? Comparisons across a few eras.	
Geography		Volcanoes and		American continents		The water cycle
		earthquakes		and Route 66		
Art and	Roman Mosaics –		Still Life		Andy Goldsworthy	
Design	printing and foam					
Design and Technology		Light up Christmas Cards		Musical Instruments		Healthy Eating
Music	Listen with attention to detail and recall		Appreciate and unde	rstand great musicians	Play and perform in	solo and ensemble
	sounds		and composers		contexts	
Physical	Swimming	Swimming	Swimming	Swimming	Fitness	Fitness
Education	Fitness	Fitness	Fitness	Fitness	Kwik Cricket	Short Tennis
Spanish	Presenting myself	Classroom	The Family	Numbers past 10	Do you have a pet?	At the café
		commands				
	The Classroom			Months of the year		
		Christmas				
Computing	Online safety and Programming		Online safety and Digital media – imaging		Online safety and Word processing	
Religious	Love	Tolerance and	Community and	Justice and charity	Values, truth and	Peace
Education		respect	service		honesty	
PSHE and	Respectful	Being Safe (RSE)	Caring friendships		Online Relationships	Families and people
Citizenship	relationships (RSE)	(Boundaries/	(RSE)		(RSE)	who care for me
		responses/feelings)				(RSE)
			Friendship	Dreams and goals	Healthy Me	
		Celebrating				Trust
		difference				



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School Values		Kindness	Respect	Friendship	Courage and Determination	Truth and Honesty	Trust
	Curriculum	17 th October	19th December	13 th February	2 nd April		9 th July
ent	Evening	History and	Mathematics	English	Science		Art
Learning I Enrichment Ices	Focus	Geography					
	Trips	Verulamium Museum –	Eco-Day 12th/19 th November – 4H		Airbus (sound)		
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Out of School Lea Opportunities and En Experiences		museum			1 st April – 4GP		
	Visitors and Guest Speakers						Ranger Stu – living things consolidation