

Year 4
Autumn 1

English

- Reading and discussing a play script.
- Understanding the purpose, structure and conventions of a play script.
- Writing a detailed setting description for a scene in play.
- Exploring and understanding characters, focusing on feelings and actions.
- Exploring how suffixes change a word.

Mathematics

- Consolidating understanding of place value to order numbers greater than 1000
- Adding and subtracting four-digit numbers, using the column method and explaining appropriate strategies including regrouping.
- Solving word problems with four-digit numbers.
- Rounding numbers to the nearest 10, 100, 1000.

PHSE

- Establishing class and school expectations.
- Exploring the school values of kindness, perseverance, integrity and courage.
- Understanding how to be a good learner and good friend.
- What does it take to be a good school citizen?
- Understanding who is in my school community and the different roles they have.
- Understanding how democracy works through the school council.

History

- Locating the Roman empire on a map and how this changed over time.
- Considering how effective the ruling system was in the Roman Empire.
- Understanding how the Romans constructed roads and buildings.
- Evaluating the Impact of the Romans in the modern world.
- Understanding what life was like before the romans.

Physical Education

- Basketball invasion game defending and attacking
- Gymnastics-partner balances

Science

- Comparing and grouping materials together, according to whether they are solids, liquids or gases.
- Observing that some materials change state when they are heated or cooled.
- Measuring the temperature accurately and making scientific observations.

DT

- Evaluating existing jewellery boxes and their purpose.
- Looking at what makes a box effective.
- Measuring accurately and using techniques to join and finish the box.
- Evaluating the jewellery box.

Music

- Musical structures how does music bring us together?

Religious Education

- To understand the meaning of the Aum symbol.
- Recognise that in Hinduism Brahma is the creator, Vishnu the sustainer and Shiva the destroyer.
- Name some of the scriptures and how they are used by Hindus.