

English

The topics for literacy this term are fiction/historical fiction, stories with dilemmas, fantasy/ imaginative worlds, non-fiction writing.

We will continue to learn and practise the spelling patterns and key words for Year 4.

Our core books for this term will include The Ice palace, Mufaro's beautiful daughters and cheat.

You are expected to share a book with your child every day and sign their reading record at least once a week. We encourage you to take your child to the library and share books regularly with them.

Topic

In History, we will be learning about the Shang Dynasty, the earliest recorded Chinese civilisation.

Science

In science, we will be covering the topic 'States of Matter' which includes facts about solids, liquids and gases and how these change when they are heated or cooled.

PE

Pupils will be developing skills in dance and net and wall games.

P.E days are Tuesday and Wednesday. Please ensure that your child has their PE kit in school every day.

Art

In Art we will be developing our drawing and sketching skills.

Year 4 Autumn Topic Term Curriculum Map

School Trips

Synagogue visit

Special Days

Science Day - 12th October

Class Assemblies

4W - Friday 25th September

4KP - Friday 16th October

Homework

Handed out on Thursdays and due in Mondays.

Spellings: Handed out on Thursdays and due in Mondays.

Test - Thursday

Music

Year 4 will be learning to play the flutes and to begin to read music.

PSHE

Maths

This term we will be continuing to develop confidence and fluency in mental calculations involving whole numbers, counting and place value. By the end of the year pupils are expected to know all of their tables in and out of order. They will also need to practise counting on in steps of 6,7,9, 25, 1000 e.g. 6,12,18, etc. Please help your child to learn and practise these with daily chants.

We will also be continuing to practise and develop the calculation methods taught. As well as the use and application of mathematical facts and skills.