



St John's Catholic Primary School Curriculum Overview 2021-2022

Year 4

| | <u>Autumn Term</u> | <u>Spring Term</u> | <u>Summer Term</u> |
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| RE | The Bible Trust in God | Jesus the Teacher Jesus the Saviour | The Early Christians The Church |
| English | Gorilla Anthony Browne Leon & The Place Between Graham Baker-Smith | Escape from Pompeii Christina Balit When the Giant Stirred Celia Godkin | Where the Forest Meets the Sea Jeannie Baker Rainforests in 30 Seconds Jen Green Blue John Berlie Doherty |
| Maths | Number – Number & Place Value Number - Addition and Subtraction Geometry – Properties of Shape Number – Multiplication and Division, including Number and place value Number – Fractions Geometry – Position and Direction Number – Addition & Subtraction Number - Decimals Measurement - (Mass) Number – Multiplication and Division including Number and Place Value Number – Multiplication and Division Measurement – Time | Number – Number & Place Value Number - Addition and Subtraction Geometry – Properties of shape Number – Multiplication and Division, including Number and place value Number – Fractions Measurement - Length Number – Addition & Subtraction Statistics Number – Multiplication and Division Number – Decimals Measurement – Perimeter & Area | Number – Number & Place Value Number - Addition and Subtraction including measurement (money) Geometry – Properties of shape Number – Multiplication and Division Number – Fractions Measurement – Volume and capacity Number – Addition & Subtraction including measurement (money) Number - Decimals Geometry – Position and Direction Number – Multiplication & Division Statistics |
| | <i>Focus on multiplication tables facts will involve daily activities and weekly assessment.</i> | | |
| Computing | The Internet Animation E-safety | Inside a computer Repetition in games Music | Data handling Scratch (coding) |
| Geography | Environmental regions around the world – Rainforests. | Volcanoes and Earthquakes | South America – The Amazon Basin – (including comparison with UK) |

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| History | Black History Month Ancient Egypt | Stone Age to Iron Age | The Romans, and their impact on Britain |
| Art/DT | Make a fairground game/mechanical toy – use gears, pulleys, levers, linkages Greatest Showman Circus or zoo posters Drawing and painting – inspired by Matisse | Build a volcano Generate ideas, develop communicate, create sketches and exploded diagrams Create and test an escape raft – select and evaluate materials | Make a fruit salad. Discuss UK seasonal fruits and fruits that are transported from rainforest areas Make a head torch to see in a cave (use electrical systems – link with Science Henri Rousseau – collage – tropical forests with apes and snakes Tiger in a tropical storm |
| Music | Experimenting with rhythm through rounds Composing using percussion instruments Learning an instrument- Ukulele Carol concert | Listening to and identifying instruments in the orchestra Learning an instrument – improvising and composing | Composing music to portray mood and colour Whole class performances |
| PE | Nimble Nets Cool Core (Pilates) Invaders Boot Camp | Gym Sequences Step to the Beat Dynamic Dance Mighty Movers (Boxersize) | Striking and Fielding Gymfit Circuits Young Olympians Fitness Frenzy |
| French | Getting to know you Food, Glorious Food! | Friends and family Easter | Hobbies and holidays Where in the world? |
| PSHE | <u>Health Education and Wellbeing</u> Mental wellbeing – Think Positive Eat Better (Linked to Science & PE) Keeping safe - Safety First | <u>Living in the wider world</u> Respecting rights One World Move more (Linked to PE and fitness) | <u>Relationship Education</u> World Religions – Islam and Buddhism RSE – A Journey in Love -Celebrating differences -Acceptance and respect -Celebrate beauty of each of us |
| Science | Animals Including Humans (body parts, digestive system, including teeth) Sound | States of Matter (link to volcanoes) Living things and their habitats – environments change and this can sometimes pose dangers to living things (Volcanoes and Tsunamis) | Electricity |