

English

Key Text – The Boy at the Back of the Class by Onjali Q Rauf

Fiction

- To entertain – Character and Setting Description
- To entertain – Writing dialogue

Non-Fiction

- To inform - Biography
- To inform - Recount

Spelling, Punctuation and Grammar (SPaG)

- Sentence structure
- Adverb clauses
- Subordinating conjunctions
- Fronted Adverbials
- Direct and indirect speech

Reading

- Retrieve, record and present information
- Vary voice for direct or indirect speech

Mathematics

Number

- Read and write numbers to 10,000
- Sequencing and place value
- Estimating/placing on number line
- Ordering /sequencing numbers to 10,000
- Addition and subtraction of 4 digits (across 10s, 100s, 1000s) estimation and checking strategies
- Multiplication and division (6,9,11,12 x tables)

Measurement

- Area
- Solving real life problems

Termly Overview

Year 4

Terms 1 & 2 2024

Science

Physics - Light

- Light and dark, reflective surfaces
- Making and changing shadows

Physics - Sound

- How sounds are made
- Vibrations, pitch and absorbing sound.

Computing

Using Technology & E-Safety: Online Safety

Creating and Publishing: Animation/3D Modelling

Music, Art & DT, MFL

Music

- Exploring feelings through music
- Compose with your friends

Art and Design - Architecture

- Stimulus – Hunderwasser House
- Media - graded pencils, painting blocks, rollers
- Skills- observational drawing/ mono printing

Design and Technology

Mechanical systems – Pop up books

MFL - Mandarin

- Revision- Greetings/ Name
- Numbers 0-100
- Age and Time
- 你/他/她几岁? Ni/ta ji sui? Or 你/他/她多大? Ni/ta duo da?

Topic

Stone Age to Iron Age (History)

- Where the Stone Age fits into GB history
- Food/Housing/technology/travel/religion

Local Geography

- Where is Berkshire? Main towns
- Physical/human geographical features

RE & RSHE via The Big Think

Religious Education

- Worship and Peace

Relationship & Health Education via The Big Think

- Peace and Related Values
- Truth and Related Values
- How can we be a good friend?
- What keeps us safe?

Physical Education

Gymnastics

- Shape and Balance/Circuit training

Games

- Net and Wall Games/ Invasion Games

How you can support your child at home

- Listen to your child read for at least 20 minutes every day – no distractions! Discuss and check for understanding
- Learn and practise spellings, number bonds and times tables everyday
- Promote Growth Mindset and use positive language
- Develop good routines. Encourage your child to form good habits in line with our 'Habit of the Month'.
- Talk to the Class Teacher about anything that is unclear to you.