**Religion**

 The children will develop their knowledge and understanding of The Bible. They will explore different stories told in the bible and learn the importance of trusting in God.

**History**

We’ll be looking at the Ancient Greeks throughout the term, exploring different aspects of Ancient Greek life, including their impact on our lives now.

**PSHE**

Our focus for this term is Health and Wellbeing. Within this area, our topics will be: Healthy Lifestyles and Keeping Safe.

**English**

The children will be learning to write a wishing tale in our Talk for Writing module- The King of the Fishes. Children will focus on understanding and using nouns, adjectives, verbs and adverbs effectively.

Spellings will be given weekly, with a spelling test on Tuesday morning. You will be notified of the date of the first test. Children will be given daily opportunities to practice their handwriting, focusing on the diagonal and horizontal strokes that are needed to join letters and understand which letters are best left un-joined. Our Class text is The BFG by Roald Dahl.





**Maths**

 In year 4 the children will be learning about number and the place value of 4-digit numbers, addition and subtraction and measure.

We will be doing this through concrete and pictorial resources in order to deepen their understanding and problem-solving ability.

By the end of year 4 children will need to know all their times tables to 12 x 12. We will practice these in school and if parents can reinforce this learning at home too it would be very beneficial.

**PE**

The children will continue to have 2 hours of P.E each week. They will be studying football and fundamental skills, helping to develop physical, social, emotional and thinking whole child objectives. Lessons will be on Wednesday and Thursday.

**French**

 The children will continue to learn to converse in French. They will learn greetings, pleasantries and commands.

**Science**

 Our first science topic this year will be Living things and their habitats. We will learn about the variety of ways living things can be grouped, explore classification keys and recognize that environments can change and that can sometimes pose dangers to living things.

**Art**

Year 4 will be exploring cityscapes from a single point perspective. We will be looking at the work of Fabio Giampietro and we will be using his work to help us create our own artwork.

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**Music**

Music will be taught from the Charanga music program. The children will be learning Mamma Mia, ABBA.

**HOW YOU CAN HELP YOUR CHILD AT HOME.**

Homework & Spellings given out on Wednesdays and handed in on Mondays.

Spellings test on Tuesday.

Listen to your child read every night and sign Reading Record.

**Computing**

We will be working on our coding skills using Purple Mash. Children will create a program with a character that repeats actions, turning a design idea into a functioning program.