

English

As writers, children will be writing their own versions of the following traditional tales:

- Little Red Riding Hood.
- Hansel and Gretel.

We will also writing our own ending to a traditional tale from another culture.

The pupils will learn to:

- Write expanded noun phrases with 1 adjective and 2 adjectives (with a comma between these)
- Modify noun phrases with 'with'. e.g. the strict teacher with curly hair.
- Modify noun phrases with prepositional phrases.
- Use fronted adverbials of place with a comma.
- Revise the rules for using direct speech.

Maths

As mathematicians the children will:

- Round any number to the nearest 10, 100 and 1000
- Find 10, 100 and 1000 more or less than a number.
- Count backwards through 0
- Know the place value headings of ones, tens, hundreds and thousands.
- Know the Roman Numerals I, V, X, L, C
- Use columnar addition and subtraction with numbers up to four digits.

Science

As scientists, the children will:

- Describe the simple functions of the basic parts of the digestive system in humans.
- Identify the different types of teeth in humans and their simple functions.
- Instruct and interpret a variety of food chains, identifying producers, predators and prey
- Ask relevant questions and using different types of scientific enquiries to answer them.
- Set up simple practical enquiries, comparative and fair tests.
- Using results, draw simple conclusions, make predictions for new values, suggest improvements and raise further questions.

Computing

In computing, the children will learn to:

- Develop their understanding of the internet
- Learn how to keep their information secure
- Learn to use search engines effectively.
- Understand copy write
- Create their own content
- How to stay safe whilst online.

Music

Pupils will learn how music is used in films.

Pupils will focus on how:

Tempo, pitch, dynamics, texture and structure is used and composed for pieces of music used for the purpose of films. Looking at Music by John Williams.

Curriculum Overview

Year 4

Autumn Term 1



Spanish

As linguists, pupils will learn:

- the name of some countries.
- to say where they are from and where their families are from.
- to describe flags.

History

As historians, the children will be learning about Ancient Egypt. As part of our learning, we will investigate the following:

- How Egypt's geography has influenced its ancient civilization.
- Research how the river Nile was used by Ancient Egyptians.
- Investigate why the river Nile was important to the Ancient Egyptians.
- Make comparisons between Ancient Egypt and Modern Egypt

The work will be practical, engaging and research based.

Art

In this unit the children will look at sketching and link it back to Ancient Egyptian Art.

They will learn the key features of sketching and use inspiration from Pharaoh portraits to create their own.

They will also be using clay and oil pastels as a medium to create two final pieces of work.

PE

In Physical Education the children will learn to:

- Cooperate well with others and give helpful feedback.
- Help organise roles and responsibilities and I can guide a small group through a task.
- Show and tell others about my ideas.
- Show patience and support others listening carefully to them about our work.
- Help, praise and encourage others in their learning.

PHSCE

Celebrating difference, children will learn to:

- Observe differences and similarities between different communities.
- Understand how to identify and resolve conflict and deal with mixed feelings and emotions.