

Primary 4A

English

- Reading - completed in class at least 3 times a week and practised at home using a variety of reading materials.
- Vocabulary/Spelling - this will be taught in class and, from week 4, pupils will have homework assignments on Teams to help reinforce this learning
- Handwriting - Revision of letter formation and focus on using the correct joins
- Grammar/Punctuation - we will revise prior learning and extend knowledge to include sentences, simple tenses, parts of speech, syllables and commas in lists.
- Listening and Talking - we will focus on turn taking and showing respect to others
- Writing - We will be focussing on tools for writing, finding patterns in rhyme.
- Encouraging detail in story writing.

Other Curricular Areas

Our topic this term is "Forces and Energy" Throughout the term we will -

- Discover how sound is created through vibrations
- Investigate how to change the pitch of the sound
- By investigating forces on toys and other objects, predict the effect on the shape or motion of an object.
- By exploring the forces exerted by magnets on other magnets and magnetic materials,
- Describe an electrical circuit as a continuous loop of conducting materials.
- Explore technologies and their uses in the wider world

In RME we will learn about Christianity through stories and celebrations.

Creation of a class charter in line with Rights Respecting Schools.

Our class novel is "Charlotte's Web"

- Friendship and relationships
- Seasons for growth
- Life cycles

Mathematics

- Revise basic strategies including doubles, times tables and number facts to 20.
- Mental Maths exercises using a range of strategies.
- Understand, compare and order numbers
- Place value linking to addition.

Physical Education

- PE outside with specialist once a week focussing on games skills and games making.
- Complete daily mile with the class

French

- Revise and practise basic classroom language through games and daily routine.
- Listening to the sound of the target language.
- Learn and use the French alphabet

Art

In Art, with Mrs Burr, we are learning to work with clay, complete portraits and create a design.

Music

In Music with Mrs Jamieson, we will be developing our musical skills through different musical activities and singing games and will listen to different pieces of music to develop our listening skills.

Homework

- Reading will be noted in the Class Notebook for each pupil.
- Maths Homework will be linked to what has been covered in class.
- Spelling Homework will be weekly.
- Homework will all be set as assignments on Teams.