



Year 4

Curriculum Map 2023 - 2024

Term	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2/ Summer 1	Summer 2
Topic Title	<i>Imaginary Worlds</i>	<i>Madagascar and Rainforests</i>	<i>Villains</i>	<i>Smashing Saxons</i>	<i>Life in the Black country</i>
Text	The BFG- Roald Dahl Where the Wild things are- Maurice Sendak	The Great Kapok Tree – Lynne Cherry The Jungle Book- Rudyard Kipling	The Bad Guys - Aaron Blabey – class read Frankenstein Dracula (young Usborne readers)	How to Train your Dragon-Cressida Cowell Historical-non-fiction texts	Street Child- Berlie Doherty Black country museum text resources (time trail)
Writing Focus	Recipe – BFG Making dream jars	Speech – The Great Kapok Tree	Setting description – Frankenstein/Dracula Visual Literacy – Spy Fox	An adventure story based on How To Train Your Dragon (Spring 2/Summer 1)	Visual Literacy – Three Little Pigs
Maths	Place value Addition and subtraction Area Multiplication and division		Multiplication and division Length and perimeter Fractions Decimals		Decimals Money Time Shape Statistics Position and direction

Science	Sound – How we are able to hear? What makes a sound?	Animals including humans – eating and digestion.	Living things in their habitat – Classification, Habitats and characteristics	Materials - States of matter – Identify different states (solid, liquid and gas). How materials can change from one state to another, through a large range of simple practical enquiries.	Electricity - Circuits and conductors – Construct working circuits and test materials' ability to conduct electricity.
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Geography		Investigating India	Countries of the world			Bostin' Black Country
History				Anglo Saxons	Vikings	
Computing	The Internet	Audio editing	Repetition in shapes	Data logging	Photo editing	Repetition in games
PE	Invasion games	Gymnastics	Dance	Multi-sports	Athletics and orienteering	Net and wall
RE	What is it like to be Jewish?	Why do some people think Jesus is inspirational?	An enquiry into visiting places of worship.		Why does the Prophet matter to Muslims?	
D and T	Textiles 2D shape to 3D planner Design and Create an emoji cushion		Electrical systems Simple Circuits and Switches		Health food and a varied diet Cooking & Nutrition Make a traditional Black Country Meal	

Art & Featured artists	Drawing Pencils and pastels <i>Still life with artist Paul Cezanne</i>	Sculpture Clay and soap with ribbon tools <i>Rainforest animals with artist Julie Wilson</i>	Painting Materials tbc <i>Focus with artist tbc</i> (Curriculum update)	Textiles Materials tbc <i>Focus with artist tbc</i> (Curriculum update)	Printing Materials tbc <i>Focus with artist tbc</i> (Curriculum update)	Collage Materials tbc <i>Focus with artist tbc</i> (Curriculum update)
Music (Charanga)	Mamma Mia	Recorders	Stop!	Lean on me	Blackbird	Stop, rewind and replay.
MFL	Goldilocks and the three bears.	Do You Have a Pet?	Presenting Myself	Family	The Classroom	Rooms of the House
PSHE	Family and Relationships British Values: Democracy	Health and Wellbeing British Values: Rule of Law	Health and Wellbeing Safety and the Changing Body British Values: Individual Liberty	Safety and the Changing Body	Citizenship British Values: Tolerance of those with Different Faiths	Economic Wellbeing British Values: Mutual Respect