

Year 4 Long Term Planning Overview 2025-2026

	Subject	(First 3 Days) Week 1	Week 2 Centenary Week	Week 3 Centenary Week	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6	Week 7
Term 1A	English Writing	Grammar linked to gap analysis Werewolf Club Rules	Werewolf Club Rules (Adapt for centenary)		Werewolf Club Rules	The Whale		
	English Reading	-Read Aloud linked to poetry – first weeks -Read Aloud – Llama out loud by Annabelle Sami -Reading Comprehension: Roman Britain, The Time Travelling Cat and the Roman Eagle, Volcanoes in Action, Tsunamis on the Move -Book Study - Krindlekrax By Philip Ridley						
	Maths	Pre diagnostic quiz TTRS base line ARK (Wk 1) Reasoning with large numbers	Centenary Weeks Shorter lessons to embed key skills needed for ARK lessons to follow		ARK (Wk 2) Reasoning with large numbers	ARK (Wk 3) Addition and subtraction	ARK (Wk 4) Addition and subtraction	ARK (Wk 5) Addition and subtraction
	Unit block subjects	History How have children’s lives changed?	Centenary History		DT – Marble Run X2		Science – Grouping X2	
	Computing	Online safety planned for first few days Internet (fit into remaining weeks)						
	RE	How and why do Hindus worship in the home and in the Mandir? (fit into remaining weeks)						
	Music	Interesting Time Signatures (fit into remaining weeks)						
	PSHE	Think Positive (Health and Well-Being) (fit into remaining weeks)						
	PE	Swimming (fit into remaining weeks) Outdoor: Tennis (fit into remaining weeks)						
	French	Family and Friends (fit into remaining weeks)						
Cultural Capital and Magic Moments	Centenary Celebrations (Charity) Walk to School Week	Swimming Lessons	Learning French Library Visit	School council election Children to join clubs	Meet an author?	Votes for Schools	Harvest Festival	

Term 1B	English Writing	The Whale			Journey to Jo'burg			
	English Reading	- Read Aloud – Llama out loud by Annabelle Sami - Complete comprehension – assessment practise, Russian Doll, The Little Daughter of the Snow - Book Study - Krindlekrax By Philip Ridley						
	Maths	ARK (Wk 6) Multiplication and division	ARK (Wk 7) Multiplication and division	ARK (Wk 8) Multiplication and division	Assessment week	ARK (Wk 9) Multiplication and division	ARK (Wk 10) Discrete and continuous data	ARK (Wk 11) Discrete and continuous data
	Unit block subject	British History 3: How hard was it to invade and settle in Britain? Anglo Saxons		Christmas crafts	Science - Human Nutrition		Geography – Human Geography	
	Computing	Audio Production						
	RE	Why is the Bible special for Christians?						
	Music	Combining Elements to Make Music						
	PSHE	VIP's (Relationships)						
	PE	Swimming Outdoor: Netball						
	French	Family and Friends						
Cultural Capital and Magic Moments	Swimming Lessons Orchestral Performance Children to join clubs	Learning French Votes for Schools	Pantomime Anti-Bullying Week	Visit to a Library Film Evening	Christmas Concert and making decorations Achieve Behaviour Badges	Achieve Golden Tickets	Class Parties	

Term 2A	English Writing	Varjak Paw						
	English Reading	-Read Aloud from week 5- Varjak Paw by SF Said -Reading Comprehension - The Moomins and the Great Flood, For Forest, The Borrowers, -Book Study - Sam Wu is not afraid of ghosts by Kevin and Katie Tsang						
	Maths	ARK (Wk 1) Calculating with multiplication and division	ARK (Wk 2) Fractions	ARK (Wk 3) Fractions	ARK (Wk 4) Fractions	ARK (Wk 5) Fractions	ARK (Wk 6) Time	
	Unit block subject	Art- Printing			Science-Electricity + DT electrical poster			
	Computing	Repetition in Shapes						
	RE	What religions are represented in our neighbourhood?						
	Music	Developing Pulse & Groove Through Improvisation						
	PSHE	Safety First (Health and Well-Being)						
	PE	Swimming Indoor: Dance						
	French	Our School						
	Cultural Capital and Magic Moments	Swimming Lessons Road safety roadshow	Learning French Children to join clubs	No pens day Votes for School	Local neighbourhood walk to religious buildings Poetry Performances	Library Visit		

Term 2B	English Writing	Holiday Brochure - Sicily					
	English Reading	-Read Aloud – Varjak Paw -Reading Comprehension - Max and the Millions, My Secret War Diary , Amazing Story of Adolph Tips -Book Study - Assessment practise and Sam Wu is not afraid of ghosts by Kevin and Katie Tsang					
	Maths	ARK (Wk 7) Decimals	ARK (Wk 8) Decimals	Assessment week	ARK (Wk 9) Decimals	ARK (Wk 10) Area and perimeter	
	Unit block subject	Creating a book sleeve DT – WBD		History - Egyptians		Art – 3D Clay Modelling, Masks	
	Computing	Data Logging					
	RE	Why is Easter important to Christians?					
	Music	Glockenspiel Stage 2					
	PSHE	Respecting Rights (Living in the Wider Word)					
	PE	Swimming Indoor: Gymnastics					
	French	Our School					
	Cultural Capital and Magic Moments	Swimming Lessons Autism Acceptance Day Votes for Schools Film Evening British Museum	Learning French Visit place of worship Library Trip Achieve Behaviour Badges	World Book Day Children to join clubs Easter Bonnet/Egg Hunt Achieve Golden Tickets	Comic relief (Charity)		

Term 3A	English Writing	The Mousehole Cat			Explanation Text on The Water Cycle			
	English Reading	-Read Aloud – Agent Asha -Reading Comprehension - , The Secret World of Polly Flint, The Great Elephant Chase -Book Study – Children who changed the world						
	Maths	ARK (Wk 11) Area and perimeter	ARK (Wk 1) Sorting measures and money problems	ARK (Wk 2) Sorting measures and money problems	ARK (Wk 3) Sorting measures and money problems	ARK (Wk 4) Shape and Symmetry	ARK (Wk 5) Shape and Symmetry	
	Unit block subject	Science – States of matter/Water Cycle		DT Salad Unit		Science – Sound		
	Computing	Photo Editing						
	RE	What makes me the person I am?						
	Music	Creating Simple Melodies Together						
	PSHE	One World (Living in the Wider World)						
	PE	Swimming Outdoor: Rounders						
	French	Time						
Cultural Capital and Magic Moments	Swimming Lessons	Learning French	Writing Day	Votes for Schools	Library Visit	Children to join clubs	Trip to	
T	English Writing	The Boy at the Back of the class						

English Reading	-Read Aloud – The Boy at the Back of the class -Reading Comprehension –,A Series of Unfortunate Events, Everything Castle, Charlotte’s Web -Book Study – Assessment practise and Children who changed the world						
Maths	ARK (Wk 6/7) Position and direction	ARK (Wk 8) Reasoning with pattern and sequence	Revision week	Assessment	ARK (Wk 9) Reasoning with pattern and sequence	ARK (Wk 10) 3-D shape	Moveable week for consolidation
Unit block subject	Geography – Point of a Compass and Grid References			Science - Human impact – Dangers to living things			
Computing	Repetition in Games						
RE	What happens when someone gets married?						
Music	Purpose, Identity and Expression in Music						
PSHE	Growing Up (Health and Well-Being)						
PE	Swimming Outdoor: Athletics						
French	Time						
Cultural Capital and Magic Moments	Swimming Lessons Votes for Schools	Learning French Achieve Behaviour Badges	Sports day Achieve Golden Tickets	Strawberry Picking Trip Children to join clubs	Cultural Day/ Open School and Fete		Film Evening
Other Magic Moments and Cultural Capital included in the year: Opportunities to enter competitions – BGS, Handwriting Experience of a Careers Day – date TBC							