

MPPS Year 4 Curriculum Long Term Plan 2026-27

Titles in Red indicate Curriculum Vision Books to be used.

	Autumn 1.1	Autumn 1.2	Spring 2.1	Spring 2.2	Summer 3.1	Summer 3.2
Assemblies SMSC Links British Values	School Value- Aspirational Safeguarding – worries Yom Kippur Protected Characteristics Black History Month School Council Diwali	School Value- Connected Remembrance Anti Bullying Week British Value- Democracy Advent British Value- Rule of Law; Nativity	School Values- Happy & Immersed Martin Luther King Day Safeguarding scenarios British Value- Individual Liberty Children’s Mental Health Week Safet Internet Day	School Values Energised British Science Week Eid-ul-Fitr World Poetry Day Easter	School Value- Valued Vaisakhi British Value- Mutal Respect and Tolerance Eid Ul Adha Sun Safety	School Value- Empowered Hajj and Eid-ul-Adha World Refugee Week Windrush Day Water Safety Stranger Danger Y6 Musical
English Texts	Gorilla by Anthony Browne	Leon and the Place Between- Graham Baker-Smith. Poetry- Haiku	Our Tower by Joseph Coelho	Amazing Islands by Sabrina Weiss & Kerry Hyndman/ Koji’s Island by The Literacy Company Poetry- Look	Alba: The 100 Year Old Fish by Lara Hawthorne.	Blue John by Berlie Doherty Poetry- The Lost Lost- Property Office
English Writing Outcomes	Fiction: write a fantasy story based on Gorilla	Recount: diary from Leon’s point of view. Poetry outcome: write a Haiku based on the natural world.	Fiction: write the adventure as a journal from the point of view of one of the children.	Fiction: write an adventure story from point of view of the boy. Poetry outcome: use similes to write a list poem modelled on a traditional rhyme.	Information text: write an information board for an aquarium exhibit.	Explanation: write a letter in role as a caving expert, including an explanation. Poetry outcome: write and perform a group list poem based on The Lost Lost-Property Office.
Maths	Reasoning with large numbers Addition and subtractions	Multiplication and division Discrete and continuous data	Calculating with multiplication and division Fractions	Time Decimals Area and perimeter	Solving measures and money problems Shape and symmetry Position and direction	Reasoning with pattern and sequences 3D shapes

Science	Electricity Simple Electricity The Electricity Book	States of Matter Solids and Liquids Gases Around Us	Living things and their Habitats Living Things in their Environment Habitats EXPERIENCE: The Marine Conservation Society	Animals, including Humans Why Do We Have Teeth? The Body Book EXPERIENCE: Digestive System Investigation and Tooth Brushing/plaque disclosures. University Students delivering workshops	Sound Changing Sounds Hearing Experience Mayfly workshop	Living things and their Habitats (Revisit) Living Things in their Environment
History	Settlement by Anglo-Saxons and the Vikings and Anglo-Saxon struggle for the Kingdom of England to the time of Edward the Confessor (1066) Anglo Saxons -Raiders and Settlers EXPERIENCE: Portals to the Past				Ancient Egypt EXPERIENCE: Bagshaw Museum	
Geography			Locational knowledge Longitude and Latitude Longitude and Latitude Why do we have time zones?	Human and Physical Geography Water Cycle The Water Cycle Rain		Human and Physical Geography Rivers The River Book River bends, meanders and oxbows EXPERIENCE: Cromwell Bottom Nature Reserve
Art & Design		Block A - Drawing Create contour drawings using still life		Block B - Painting Learn about abstract art and develop colour	.	Block D- 3D and Collage Create wire structures, focusing on line and form.

		and natural forms as stimulus.		mixing skills to include tertiary colours.		Combine 3D materials Combine a range of techniques such as overlapping and layering.
Design & Technology	Block B- Mechanisms How many ways are there to open a door? Block C- Textiles How do you keep a tea towel from slipping off the hook?		Block D Structures Which shape will give a structure stability?		Block F Food and Nutrition Is cheap food always worse for you?	
Computing	Programming A – Repetition in shapes Using a text-based programming language to explore count-controlled loops when drawing shapes Natterhub Term 1 Lesson 1 and 2	Data and Information – Data Logging Recognising how and why data is collected over time, before using data loggers to carry out an investigation Natterhub Term 1 Remaining Term 1 lessons	Creating Media- Photo Editing Manipulating digital images and reflecting on the impact of changes and whether the required purpose is fulfilled Natterhub Term 2 Lesson 1 and 2	Programming B Repetition in Games Using a block-based programming language to explore count-controlled and infinite loops when creating a game. Natterhub Term 2 Remaining Term 2 lessons	Creating Media – Audio Editing Capturing and editing audio to produce a podcast, ensuring that copyright is considered. Natterhub Term 3 All Lessons	
Music	Mamma Mia ABBA	Lean On Me Gospel	Plastic (in 'Song and Video Projects')	Blackbird	WCET - Violins	WCET - Violins

PSHE	Me and My Relationships An email from Harold; Okay or not okay (1-2) Human machines; different feelings; Under pressure; What is peer influence?	Valuing Differences Can you sort it? Islands Friend or acquaintance? What would I do?; The people we share our world with; That is such a stereo type!	Keeping Myself Safe Danger, risk or hazard? Picture wise; How dare you!; Medicines; check the label; Keeping ourselves safe; Raisin challenge; How does school build my character?	Rights & Respect Who helps us stay safe and healthy? It's your right! How do we make a difference? In the news!; Safety in numbers; Why pay taxes?	Being My Best What makes me ME! Making choices? SCARF Hotel; Harold's 7 Rs; My school community; Basic first aid; How do my choices help me to be healthy?	Growing & Changing Moving house; My feelings are all over the place! All change! Preparing for changes at puberty; Secret or surprise? Together What can I be?; First aid;; Bites and stings Allergies
PE	Look, run avoid	Fair, share, dare	Jump, shape, create	Symmetry, balance, travel	Strike, react, rally	Run, jump, throw
	React roll retrieve	Hands, feet, equipment	Duel, win, lose	Pass, position, patience	Accuracy, power, distance	Target, control, combine
RE	What faiths and beliefs can be found in our country and community?	How do ancient stories influence modern celebrations? Diwali (October)	How do the 5 pillars help Muslims to lead a good life? EXPERIENCE: Visit a mosque or visitor		How are the stories of Holy Week important to Christians?	Spirited Arts Competition
MFL (Arabic)	Introduction to the Arab world, the Arabic language and culture Arabic Alphabet in written form Extended Personal Information Class instruction	Numbers 1-20 Days of the week (simple and short sentences) Months song	Colours Song Extended Classroom Equipment Rooms in the house.	Extended Family Weather Seasons	Fruit & veg like/dislike/but Body parts song Describing people	Sports likes / dislikes / Favourites Hobbies
Reading Comprehension Texts	Fantastically Great Women Who Saved the Planet Kate Pankhurst	The Train to Impossible Places P.G. Bell		Ariki and the Island of Wonders by Nicola Davies	A Stage Full of Shakespeare Stories by Angela McAllister Genre – Fiction	Rise up by Amanda Li Genre – Recount: biography, information
Other Quality Texts	The Secret of Black Rock- Joe Todd- Stanton The Fire Children- Eric Maddern	The Butterfly Lion- Michael Morpurgo	Hidden Adventures- Lara Hawthorne	Chandra's Magic Light: A Story in Nepal- Theresa Heine	The Korean Cinderella – Shirley Climo	Polar Express, The (30 th ann. Ed)- Chris Van Allsburg,

	Cyborg Cab and the Night Spider- Ade Adepitan	Attack of the Heebie Jeebies: Dream Team- Tom Percival Unexpected Super Spy: Planet Omar- Zanib Mian	Ellie and The Cat- Malorie Blackman The Chicken Gave it to Me- Anne Fine & P Dupasquier	Collected Poems for Children- Ted Hughes Winter's Child- Angela McAllister Ariki and the Giant Shark- Nicola Davies		Wind in the Willows Anniversary- Timothy Knapranan Sona Sharma, Very Best Big Sister- Chitra Soundar
	Same Author	Diversity	Poetry			