



Year 4 Curriculum Overview



	Autumn Term		Spring Term		Summer Term	
Title	Our Continent – Europe		Ancient Greece		Volcanoes & Earthquakes	The Romans
Key Vocabulary	Characteristics, longitude and latitude, Natural Resources, Vegetation belts/Biomes, British Isles, Region, Climates, Northern / southern Hemisphere, equator, capitals, Europe, Russia		Myth, Olympics, Polytheism, Acropolis, Sparta, Amphitheatre, Tyrant, Society, legacy		Active, dormant, extinct, tectonic plates, magma, mantle, crust, magnitude, epicentre, disaster	conquer, pandemic, architecture, republic, invasion, infrastructure, aqueduct, legacy, barbarian, hypocaust, legacy
Enriching Experiences	Vocal Music Lower Peover locality walk		Strings - Violin Chester Zoo Trip / workshop		Vocal Music Pettypool Residential	
English Texts	The Whale	Leaf	Arthur and the Golden Rope	Theseus and the Minotaur	Wisp	Escape from Pompeii
Shared Reading	A world full of animal stories		Train to Impossible places	Fantastically Great Women	Ariki	Volanoes
Religious Education	Jesus (4.3)	Christmas (4.2)	Easter (4.4)		The church (4.5)	
Science	Electricity	Sound	States of Matter	Animals, including humans	Living things and their Habitats	
PSHE	Being Me in My World	Celebrating Differences	Dreams and Goals	Healthy Me	Relationships	Changing Me
Art	Printing Patterns – William Morris		Observation Drawings – The Parthenon Art study – Greek architecture		Painting - volcanoes Artist study – Nick Rowland	
Design Technology	Design and Construction - SlingShot Cars		Structures: Build the Parthenon		Textiles – sewing a pencil case	
Computing	Online Safety	Coding	Spreadsheet	Writing for a different audience – leaflet on Ancient Greece	Hardware Investigators	Logo and Roman Stop Motion Animation
Music	Rock Music		African Music		Motown	
	Year 4 will be playing the Ukulele in their music lessons.					
PE	Fitness and Stamina / Football	Tag Rugby	Gymnastics	Tennis	Cricket and Rounders	Athletics
MFL	Welcome to school	My local area, your local area	Family tree and faces	Parts of the body	How are you feeling?	The weather and ice cream