

CURRICULUM Summer Term – Year 4

English

Writing - Fiction Writing – To write a letter based on our class reader as a character from the book considering varied perspectives.

Reading - Whole Class Reader - 'The Miraculous Journey of Edward Tulane' by Kate DiCamillo. Use VIPERS to answer comprehension questions with increasing accuracy.

SPAG - Possessive pronouns. Homophones. Conjunctions indicating time and cause. Writing and punctuating speech. Verb inflections and Word classes.

Maths

Number - Understand there are numbers 'below' zero called negative numbers. Count backwards through zero to include negative numbers, column add/subt with 3- & 4-digit numbers. Add & subtract 0.1s & 0.01s;
Calculations - Formal division of 2-digits by 1-digit including remainders. Factors, multiples, mental multiplication

Fractions – Equivalent fractions; fraction problems.

Measure - Measure in m, cm, mm; convert units, measures problems.

Shape/Geometry - Line of symmetry: identify and construct. Know and be able to read the eight main points on a compass. Find the area/perimeter of rectilinear shapes.

Science

Electricity: Exploring appliances, simple circuits electrical safety and an investigation into conductors and insulators.

Computing

Digital age: iMovies – script and create their own short film

Online Safety: Sharing information and safety

PSHE

Relationships: Positive friendships, growth mindset and dementia

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Humanities

UK and Map Work: Mountains & Rivers - Grid references and keys.

Through the ages: Castles – Features, famous castles, comparative study.

RE

Judaism: Beliefs and practices - Relationships with God.

Christianity: Prayer & Worship - Baptism, Eucharist/Holy Communion.

Art

D.T. : Mechanisms - Measure, mark out, cut and shape a range of materials to build a working castle with drawbridge and slingshot.

Artist study: Van Gogh - To explore artists working in different times and cultures.