

<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>English</u></b></p> <p><b>Spring 1</b> During this half term we will be looking at the text, 'Escape from Pompeii,' which links with our history topic. Children will plan and write their own narrative from the point of view of one of the characters.</p> <p><b>Spring 2</b> During this term our English lessons will be centred on the text, 'When the Giant Stirred,' a story about the legend of a volcanic island. We will continue to develop the children's use of expanded noun phrases and fronted adverbials in their writing and cohesion when writing longer texts. Handwriting – we are working towards all children using the diagonal and horizontal strokes needed to join letters most of the time and understand which letters are best left un-joined. Children are encouraged to increase the legibility, consistency and quality of their handwriting. <i>Spellings are practiced daily in school.</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>Science</u></b></p> <p>This half term our science topic is Sound. We will look at different sources of sound and how sounds are made. We will also look at the ear and how we hear. During spring 2 we will begin to look at food chains which will hopefully enable us to get outside and investigate our natural environment.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>Maths</u></b></p> <p>We will begin the year focussing on times tables and understanding multiplicative relationships. As we progress through the term we will cover coordinates, which links with our Geography work, we will then look at equivalent fractions and learn how to calculate with fractions. <i>Times table practice is ongoing throughout Year 4 working towards being able to recall both multiplication and division facts rapidly by the end of Year 4. We will let the children know each week which times table we are focussing on.</i></p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>Geography</u></b></p> <p>This term we will be focussing on Europe. We will look at where the UK is in relation to the rest of the world and practice our map skills; we will then focus on some specific European countries in more detail. As we progress in to the summer term we will begin to look at mountains and volcanoes.</p>	<p><b>Class 4 Spring Term 2023 Overview</b></p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>I.C.T.</u></b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Spring 1 - <a href="#">Unit 4.3 Spreadsheets</a></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Spring 2 – Coding <a href="#">Unit 4.5 Logo</a></p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>P.E.</u></b></p> <p><b>Spring 1</b> Mr O'Reilly will be teaching PE this half term on a Friday. This term he will be focussing on invasion games. Children will be swimming this half term.</p> <p><b>Spring 2</b> PE will be a mix of invasion games and dance.</p>		<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>Art/DT</u></b></p> <p>We will begin the term focussing on some art work inspired by our history topic on the Romans. In DT we will be completing an electronics project using switches.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>Music</u></b></p> <p><b>Spring 2</b> We will have music with Mr Bennett during Spring 2. We will be working on music for the Easter service.</p>		<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>History</u></b></p> <p>This term our history lessons will be looking at 'The Romans', we will look at why they invaded and what Roman life was like? Hopefully we will be able to visit the library to find out more about Roman Britain.</p>
	<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>R.E.</u></b></p> <p>Spring 1 – Hinduism - We will be exploring the question, What does it mean to be a Hindu in Britain today? Spring 2 – Christianity - Why do Christians call the day Jesus died 'Good Friday'? Exploring the story of Easter.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>M.F.L.</u></b></p> <p><b>Spring 2</b> During Spring 2 we will be continuing with our Spanish lessons.</p>

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