

Year 4

Summer 2

Our Curriculum

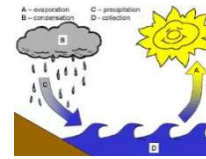


This term our learning is themed around Rivers.


Key Skills :
 Handwriting – Legible , fluent and consistent
 Punctuation – Inverted commas and other punctuation to indicate direct speech.
 Grammar – suffixes – ly, - ation, Verbs and noun phrases.



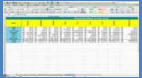
English
 Novel Study: The Explorer by Katherine Rundell
 Diary/letter writing in role
 Story writing




Music
 In 2 Music



Computing
 Spread sheets.
 Understanding what a spread sheet is and what they are used for.
 Understanding formulae .



Spoken Language
 When giving answers to a question, do you include enough detail?



Geography
 Rivers – How is flooding caused? What are the names of local rivers?
 Where is the Amazon river?
 Where are the world's longest rivers?



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Art - Collage.
 Using Van Gogh's *Starry Night* and *Rousseau's Surprise in the jungle*, how can you recreate a jungle scene using string and fabric?




Science
 Animals, including humans.
 Learning about the digestive system and teeth. How do we care for our teeth?
 What are carnivores, omnivores and herbivores?
 What is a producer and what is a consumer?

PE and games
 Athletics
 The children will be continuing their swimming lessons this term.
 Learning to run and jump with a good posture. Learning to sprint quickly over short distances.



Mathematics
 Area and Perimeter
 Problems involving time
 Position and direction
 Scaling problems
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 Data handling

 **MFL- French**
 What is the date?
 Happy Birthday, word classes, dictionary skills

DT
 pop up books.
 Investigating and discovering how pop up books work. Designing and creating our own.



RE
 Symbols
 Trees. Learning to listen and reflect..

PSHE
 Understanding behaviour -
 Thinking about the link between feelings and behaviour.
 Understanding peer pressure.

How can you help your child at home?



Below are some suggested activities you may like to try with your child.



How to be a Scientist.

How to be a Geographer

What is the water cycle?

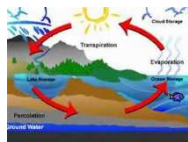
Can you name any rivers in Hampshire or the United Kingdom?

How does it work?

What do the words evaporation and condensation mean?

How long is the Amazon River?

What is the purpose of a river?



Ways to support your child:

Make sure your child attends school daily and punctually.

Read together daily.

Practise times tables and spellings.

Support your child to complete their weekly homework.

Talk to your child about what they have been learning about in school.