### **Year 4 Curriculum Overview**



## Spring 1







#### **ENGLISH**

We will read a wide range of fiction and non-fiction texts and use these to guide our writing.

Book for Hook: The Tin Forest

This term, we will begin the unit by discussions within an unfamiliar setting to create a non-chronological report.

#### ΡF

This half term, the children will be having a PE lesson on a Wednesday and Friday. Please ensure children come to school in the correct PE for both days - we will be focusing on Athletics and Gymnastics! During these lessons, children will focus on a variety of skill and techniques.

#### SCIENCE

This half term, our topic will be 'Electricity'.

During this topic, will we look at making circuits and learning all about conductors and insulators as well as everyday uses of electricity from batteries to lamps to generators.

#### **HISTORY**

During this term we will be learning all about Roman Empire and its impact on Britain.

#### **MATHS**

This half term, we will be beginning our work on a range of new topics, this includes:

Length, perimeter & fractions

- Meters and Kilometres (m & km)
- Permiters on a variety of shapes
- Fractions: Whole numbers and mixed.

We will continue to learn and become more confident with our times tables, ahead of our Y4 multiplication test this coming year.

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#### **FRENCH**

In French, we will be learning how we 'go shopping' from places to shop and different items to buy.

#### COMPUTING

Programming: Using repetition in programs.

#### R.E.

How do festivals and worship show what matters to MUSLIMS?

#### **MUSIC**

This year, we will be learning to play the ukulele with Tameside Music Service

#### **PSHE**

Unit: DREAMS & GOALS

What dream and goals do we set ourselves for the future and how do we achieve these?

#### ART

Painting & Mixed media: Light and dark. During this term, we will be sharing ideas about a painting and describe the difference between a tint and a shade.