

Our Year 4 Autumn Term 2 Learning Journey – 7 weeks

The Big Picture - An overview of this term's knowledge and skills; outlining curriculum principles, opportunities for cross curricular links and celebrating our learning

Collective Worship We will be focusing on compassion and how we show acts of kindness. We will be thinking about how practising compassion makes us feel.	British Values and PSHE Celebrating differences – being a Class 'Team', being a school citizen, rights, responsibilities & democracy, rewards & consequences	Forces for Positive Change Learning has a clear purpose and relevance to our lives and environment; children are inspired to have an impact on the world and become forces for positive change.	Values and Ethos Emotional Intelligence; Love for learning and collaboration; Care for the environment and community; Developing resilience when faced with new challenges using 'I can't do it as yet'
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Big Bang:

Alice in Wonderland – Lewis Carroll

Trip:

Mosque – TBC
 Cinema – 20th November

Celebration: Nativity

Raphael - 10th December 6pm
 Gabriel – 11th December 6pm

Romans

Humanities: History

The Roman Republic

Romulus, the 1st king of Rome
 The Roman Republic
 Rome vs Carthage
 Hannibal's attack
 Culture in the Roman Republic

The Roman Empire

The Roman Army
 Julius Caesar
 Augustus the 1st Emperor
 Emperors Claudias & Nero
 Pompeii
 The Jewish Roman War

RE: Christianity: Is the Christmas message of peace still relevant to today's world?

What do I understand Christmas to mean for many Christians?
 What do you think the word 'peace' means?
 Jesus is described as the prince of Peace - what does this mean?
 What does the Bible say about Jesus' message of peace?

Difference Primary: How can we define beauty?

Celebrating me & Crossing divides
 Navigating disagreements
 Pursuing justice & Practising forgiveness
 Belonging together

Science:

Animals including humans

Can we group animals by what they eat? Who eats what?
 Why are we born without teeth?
 Why doesn't the stomach eat itself?
 How big is the small intestine?
 Are all bacteria bad for us?

D&T: Alice in Wonderland

Set design
 Create a 3D model of a selected scene.

Maths:

Measure: Perimeter

Perimeter of rectangles
 Perimeter of rectilinear shapes

Multiplication & Division:

Multiplying & dividing by 6, 7 and 9
 Multiplying by multiples of 10 and 100
 Dividing by multiples of 10 and 100
 Written methods to multiply
 Division with remainders
 Problem solving

Computing: Word processing

Format images for a purpose.
 Use formatting tools to create an effective layout.
 Insert and format a table in a word processing document.
 Create hyperlinks within a word document.

Music:

Singing - Christmas
 Instrument families
 Improvising
 Graphic scores
 Glockenspiel

English: Alice in Wonderland, Romans & Science

Writing:

Developing characters & setting
 Explanation
 Historical narrative

Spelling:

Words with the suffix '-ation' and '-ly'
 Words ending in '-ly', '-sion' and '-ous'
 words where 'ch' makes a /sh/ sound
 Challenge words

Grammar:

Expanded noun phrases
 Adverbial phrases
 Formal & informal writing
 Conjunctions
 Technical language

PE:

Dance – Alice in Wonderland
 ROH
 Invasion Games - Football

Spanish:

Let's Go - Develop their conversational skills via topics: transport, direction and movement