



Parent Curriculum Overview

SPRING TERM 2 2026 ELM CLASS

ENGLISH

We will be embedding the skills we have learnt so far in Year 4 for this half-term unit. We will look at using extending our vocabulary using the book 'Interview with the Tiger' to inspire us. Our unit of writing will challenge us to think about the personality of the characters we choose and the impact we have on the reader.

Reading is extremely valuable and can improve our spellings, fluency, comprehension and vocabulary in our writing. Please support your child by reading with them regularly.

PSHE

This term our PSHE theme is, 'Celebrating Differences'. We will think about our own values and the values of others. We will be embracing our differences and encouraging each other to be accepting, positive and respectful.

COMPUTING

We will be working collaboratively in Computing this half term, creating a joint document, editing it and sharing it with others.

MUSIC

We will start to practise our Easter songs, ready for your Easter Service in the church. We can't wait for you to see our performances and celebrate with us!

PE

PE is on Wednesdays and Thursdays. **Please check that your child has the correct PE kit and their shoes are the right size.** The children will be developing their football skills, trying to make use of our outdoor area as much as possible. We will create a whole-class dance performance in our Dance lessons. All PE will be taught by Miss. P.C. this half term.

INFORMATION

- Please read regularly with your child.
- Please support your child to access Times Tables Rockstars regularly. Usernames and passwords are in their spelling books. **The test is coming up!**
- Homework will be issued on a Friday via Dojo.
- Each day, your child needs their water bottle, coat and a reading book. Spelling books must come into school on a Friday.
- PE kits need to be in school every day. PE kits should be named. Please check that your child's PE shoes fit and they have a complete kit.
- Year 4 multiplication test in Summer Term.

MATHEMATICS

This term we will be focusing on fractions and decimals. Multiplication continues to be a huge focus in Year 4 and, nationally, the children will be required to take part in a multiplication test at the end of the year. Children are expected to know all their times tables up to 12x12. I would expect the children to be on all times tables on TTRS at this point in the year, so please continue to support this process by encouraging your child to access Times Tables Rockstars regularly. We are nearly there! Keep going!

Geography and History

Our Geography topic will be based on 'Tourism'. We will be learning about how tourism is important for many places and what it economically brings. In History, we will continue to learn about the Romans and how Christianity shaped their culture.

DT

In DT, we will be creating a topical poster. The poster will need to include an electrical circuit for an LED light. We will use our knowledge from our Science unit on Electricity to help us with this.

SCIENCE

We will be exploring different living things and how we classify these. We will learn the difference between invertebrates and vertebrates and we will even go on a bug hunt!

RE

This half term we will be focusing on The Easter Story. We will recap the story and will explore the meaning and significance of it to Christians.