



St. Mary's RC Primary School

Year 4 Curriculum Overview

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Religion	Creation and Covenant Solidarity and the common good (CIA)	Prophecy and Promise Dignity of the human person (CIA)	Galilee to Jerusalem Rights and responsibilities (CIA)	Desert to Garden The dignity of Work (CIA) Option for the poor and vulnerable (CIA)	To the ends of the Earth Family and Community (CIA) God's people (Universal church units)	Dialogue and Encounter Stewardship (CIA) Sikhism (Other Faiths)
Reading	<p><u>Fiction</u> The tortoise and the Ducks (Pier Torday) Treasure Hunting with dad (Rob Lloyd Jones) The Snow (Jennifer Killick)</p> <p><u>Non-Fiction</u> -Amazon River - Eating and digestion</p> <p><u>Poetry</u> The Lion and Albert (Marriott Edgar)</p>	<p><u>Fiction</u> The Quest of the senses – The sweetest sound (Alice Hemming) Food for thought (Andy Lonergan) Droid (Kirsty Applebaum)</p> <p><u>Non-Fiction</u> -Famous artists -Escher -Bees</p> <p><u>Poetry</u> Firework Night (Enid Blyton)</p>	<p><u>Fiction</u> Orpheus in the Underworld (Adam Bushnell) Lord Mayhem and the Magic Business (Rachel Delahaye) Spring (Annabelle Sami_</p> <p><u>Non-Fiction</u> -Electricity -The River Nile</p> <p><u>Poetry</u> The Eagle and the crocodile (Lewis Carroll)</p>	<p><u>Fiction</u> The fox and the monkey (Pier Torday) The Unclimbable tree (Rob Lloyd Jones) The Rain (Jennifer Killick)</p> <p><u>Non-Fiction</u> -States of matter -Anglo Saxons</p> <p><u>Poetry</u> My shadow (RL Stevenson)</p>	<p><u>Fiction</u> The Golden Boy (Adam Bushnell) The Quest of the senses -Beautiful Items (Alice Hemming) Down and through (Jonny Pearce)</p> <p><u>Non-Fiction</u> -Sound -Rivers</p> <p><u>Poetry</u> Colonel Fazakerley – Butterworth toast</p>	<p><u>Fiction</u> Game changer (Rachel Delahaye) A sharpened shadow (Andy Lonergan) Summer (Annabelle Sami_)</p> <p><u>Non-Fiction</u> -The Maya - Electricity</p> <p><u>Poetry</u> The Listeners – Walter De La Mare</p>
Writing	The Rhythm of the Rain by Grahame Baker, , Ken Wilson-Max	Smith African Tales by Gcina Mhlope, Rachel Griffin	Danny Cung Does Not Do Maths by Maisie Chan	Anh Cao Stars with Flaming Tails by Valerie Bloom	What's it like to be a bird by Tim Birkhead and Catherine Rayner	The Wild Robot by Peter Brown
Maths	Place value – 4-digit numbers Addition and Subtraction	Area Multiplication and Division	Multiplication and Division Length and Perimeter	Fractions Decimals	Decimals Money Time	Shape Statistics Position and Direction
Science	Animals including humans	Living things and their habitats	Living things and their habitats – Conservation	States of matter	Sound	Electricity

Humanities	Why are rainforests important to us?	How have children's lives changed?	Where does our food come from?	How hard was it to invade and settle in Britain?	What are rivers and how are they used?	How did the achievements of the Maya civilisation influence their society and beyond?
Computing	Technola Unit 1	Technola Unit 2	Technola Unit 3	Technola Unit 4	Technola Unit 5	Technola Unit 6
Art and Design Technology	Drawing: Power prints	Structure: Pavilions	Painting and mixed media: Light and dark	Mechanical systems: Making a slingshot car	Craft and design: Fabric of nature	Electrical systems: Torches
Music	Technola Unit 1	Technola Unit 2	Technola Unit 3	Technola Unit 4	Technola Unit 5	Technola Unit 6
Physical Education	Dance Invasion Games – Tag rugby	Health and related fitness Invasion Games - Basketball	Gymnastics OAA	Dodgeball Athletics	Swimming Cricket	Swimming Tennis
MFL	Portraits	Clothes	Numbers, calendars and birthdays	Weather	Food	Eurovision song contest
PSHE	Meet your brain – MyHappyMind Family and Friendships Friendships and Bullying	Belonging and Community: addressing discrimination and extremis Belonging and Community: Compassion Celebrate MyHappyMind	Appreciate – MyHappyMind Money and Wellbeing	Dental Health Keeping Safe Relate MyHappyMind	Engage MyHappyMind Health and Wellbeing	Growing and Changing