



"With Christ at the centre of our lives, we live out our call to serve the young; **"It is not enough to love children, they must know they are loved."**
St John Bosco

ENGLISH

Stories with a historical setting and narrative

- Read Escape From Pompeii by Jim Eldridge
- Read and analyse the text. Respond verbally and in written form.
- Continue the story/write the next chapter.
- Diary and letter writing.
- Flood – write a narrative based on a wordless picture book

Non-fiction

- Non-chronological report
- Newspaper report

Reading

- myON & Accelerated Reader.
- Whole class reading
- Escape From Pompeii

Spelling

- Spelling Shed
- Year 3/4 statutory words

Music – Ukulele

ART

- Painting and mixed media
- Complimentary colours
- Light and dark using tints

DT

- Mechanical systems – Sling shot car

MFL: SPANISH

Saying goodbye. Asking how people are. Family members.
Numbers to 31. Months of the year and days of the week.

Computing

- The children continue to develop computing skills, will learn more about e-safety and understand people they may play with online are not necessarily their friends.

Year 4 curriculum web – Spring term 2024

What a disaster!

RE – Come and See

Community - The experience of community is an essential and enjoyable part of life for people of every age and faith.

Giving and Receiving - Being thoughtful for life, for people and gifts, is a vital part of our relationships with one another. When praise and appreciation are experienced, we are enabled to relate on a deeper level.

Self-Discipline - Life, especially family life, or life in school, is full of opportunities for self-giving.

YEAR 4 KEY DATES

Monday 8th January – Back to School
Monday 29th January – National Storytelling Week
Week beginning Monday 5th February – Parents' Evening
Wednesday 7th February – Safer Internet Day
Friday 9th February – INSET Day
12th – 16th February – Half Term
Monday 14th February – Ash Wednesday
Tuesday 6th March – Wednesday 7th March – Year 4 Bikeability Level 1
Thursday 7th March – World Book Day and Dress up day
Friday 15th March – INSET Day
Friday 27th March – DT Day
Tuesday 26th March – Year 4 Easter Celebration Assembly 1.45pm at St Anne's Church (To be confirmed)

HUMANITIES – GEOGRAPHY

Rivers and the water cycle

- Big Question: What is the relationship between air, land and water?
- The River Thames
- Water/river erosion

HUMANITIES – History

The Vikings

- Who were the Vikings?
- What did the Vikings believe?
- What was life like in Viking Britain?
- What happened to the Vikings?

MATHS

- Multiplication and division
- Length and perimeter
- Fractions
- Decimals
- Problem solving and reasoning
- Times tables tested and practised weekly

SCIENCE

Plan and carry out investigations, make predictions and record findings in a variety of ways.

Sound

- Investigate vibrations and how sound travels.
- Pitch and volume

Electricity

- Common appliances that use electricity
- Build and draw series circuits
- Conductors and insulators

PE – with Mr Upton

PSHE and Connect/RSE

- RSE: To describe how we should treat others, making links with the diverse modern society we live in.
- PSHE and Connect: To understand the value that being giving and kind towards others can have on us, and others.
- Recognise/talk about random acts of kindness.
- To understand the benefits for others of recycling and donating our toys and clothes when we no longer use them.