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St Anne's C E Primary School

Year 4 Curriculum Overview Summer 1

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Maths

Decimals—We will start by looking at tenths and hundredths as fractions and decimals. Moving onto dividing a 1 or 2 digit number by 10 and 100. We will also look at partitioning and comparing decimals.

Money—Firstly, children will learn how to write money using decimals moving onto converting between pounds and pence. Finally, we will compare and estimate with money. Finishing with problem solving work with money.

Ongoing: Arithmetic, Reasoning and Times Tables

Science

Material: States of Matter

In this unit, children will be investigating the properties of solids, liquids, and gases. Children learn about states of matter, explore changes of state through relatable examples, explain water cycle changes and study how temperature affects the rate of evaporation.

Material: Sound and Vibration

In this unit, children will be observing how sounds are made and how they are heard through different mediums. We will look at the relationship between vibration strength and volume alongside describing pitch and how to change it.

Characteristics of Learning

Perseverance

Listening

Team work

Kindness



Wow Moment! -

Fieldwork of a local woodland



Geography

Why are rainforests important to us?

In this unit children will be developing an understanding of biomes, ecosystems and tropics. We will look at where tropical rainforests are located in the world. Children will look in detail at the Amazon Rainforest, starting with describing the characteristics of each layer of the rainforest, and learning about who lives there. We will also be carrying out some fieldwork looking at how our local woodland is used.

English

High Quality Text: The Legend of Podkin One Ear

Fiction: We will be writing a diary entry as a character from part of the book. Firstly, we will work on writing detailed descriptions of characters from the book. Then we will look at the features of a diary before planning and writing our own diary.

Poetry—Using the class text we will be creating some poetry using the setting in the text for inspiration. We will explore different genres of poetry and the skills used within different types of poetry.



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Religious Education

The Church—Are all churches the same?

In this unit, children will deepen their understanding of how the church lives out the GOSPEL and contributes to the building of the KINGDOM OF GOD.



Homework and Reading

Please make sure children continue to complete their homework weekly and reading books are returned daily.

Computing

Data Handling—Investigating Weather

In computing, we will be looking at ways to search the web efficiently to find temperatures in different cities and record this accurately. We will be designing a weather station that gathers and records sensor data, explaining how it works and the units of measurement it would use.

Art

Sculpture and 3D—Mega Materials

In this unit children will be exploring how different materials can be shaped and joined and learning about different techniques used by a diverse range of artists.

Worship Rota

Monday	Class Worship
Tuesday	Collective Worship
Wednesday	Rev. Andrew
Thursday	Celebration
Friday	Class Worship

Spanish

Pets in Spanish

In this unit, children learn the names of different animals. They will develop their knowledge of adjectives, by describing the characteristics of different animals finishing by writing a fun story about a visit to a pet shop.

Physical Education

PE will be delivered through Wigan Athletic Community Trust throughout this term.

