

2025–2026 Overview – Year 4

We are really excited to be launching our brand new approach to enthusing and motivating the children to be a writer – more information to follow.

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Writing	Connection Week Myths and Legends- Thesaurus and the Minotaur Newspaper Report - Litter in Burnage	Legend How to Train a Dragon 1 week poetry	Persuasion Manchester (Model)persuasion Scottish Islands Manchester(chrn write Issues and dilemmas The one and only Ivan – Katherine	tbc	Auto- biography - Olaudah Equiano Poetry - Free verse Ocean - Great Barrier Reef inspired .(2 wk)	tbc
Reading (Dependent on book availability)	Non Fiction - Great adventurers	How to Train a Dragon	Non- Fiction Funny bums, Freaky beaks	tbc	Varjak Paw	tbc
Mathematics	Place Value (4) Addition and Subtraction (3)	Multiplication and division (3) Measurement(Area 1) Length Perimeter (2) Consolidation (1)	Multiplication and Division (3) Fractions (2) Consolidation(1)	Fractions(2) Decimals (3) Consolidation(1)	Decimals (2) Money (2) Statistics (1)	Shape (2) Position and direction(2) Time (2) Consolidation)
History		Tudors		British Empire(look at case study last lessons)		
Geog	Islands		Great Barrier Reef			
Art	Kazuhito (embroidery)		Cezanne drawing		Layer printing (3 hours)	Ramesh Mario (sculpture)

DT		Food tech – Baking		Construction (Pulleys)	Textiles	
Music	Rhythm - Composition	Glockenspiel improvisation	Glockenspiel: improvisation and musicianship, pentatonic scale	Glockenspiel: notation and composition	Composition in response to a painting	Performing - practise songs for end of year performance
RE	Judaism		Hinduism		Buddhism	
PSHE	Mental Well Being(3) RSE (2) Black History (1)	Anti bullying (2) Drugs (2)	Race(4) Mental health (1) Safer internet day	Gender(4)	Drugs (2) E-safety(2)	Mental health (3) RSE(3) Transitions
Dance	Interpretive dance unit based on Emotions			Interpretive dance unit based on Great Barrier Reef Geography topic	Interpretive dance based on English unit: I am Ivan	
Gymnastics		Basic actions Focus on linking a pair of actions with improved control and fluency in performance	Linking a pair of actions showing contrasting speeds and repeat the same performance with accuracy			Perform a range of stable balances (e.g. roll into a balance and hold for 3 seconds)
Games	Netball	Tag Rugby	Hockey	Volleyball	Rounders	Orienteering Athletics
Science	Circuits	States of matter - Properties	Sound	States of matter - Water cycle	Habitats	Animals including humans
MFL - Spanish	Months of the year, how to say the date.	Numbers up to 50, expanded knowledge on specific dates and events.	Sports and opinions on sport.	My family. Questions and answers about our family.	Fruit and vegetables. Questions and opinions about fruit and vegetables.	My uniform. Recognising words to describe and writing about our uniform.
Computing	Computing systems and Networks-The internet(T.C)	Word Processing - Merging cells - emails and chat rooms	Presenting Information - Art online	Coding - functions and procedures	Animation - creating movies with multiple clips	Coding - functions and procedures.
Trips		Ordsall Hall - Tudors		Live Orchestra – Children’s Charter	Kingswood	
RE Trip	Visiting the synagogue					
PPA Subjects	Music/Swimming					