

Welcome to Life in Year 4 - Spring 2nd Half 2026

In the curriculum, children are encouraged to:

- Be honest
- Be kind
- Be creative
- Be curious
- Be resilient
- Be ambitious

English

We study a Novel as a Theme. We look at the story 'Fig's Giant'. We look closely at language and the structure of the text. We follow this with a non-fiction unit - Non-chronological Reports. The children create an information poster with flip-flap facts. In addition to our texts, the children will be looking at spelling patterns and a variety of grammar and punctuation skills.



Maths

During this half term we look at:

ONGOING - Recall multiplication and division facts for multiplication tables up to 12×12 .

Addition and subtraction
Position and Direction
Measures and money

2D shapes
Area



Science

Children will explore/investigate:

Living Things and Their Habitats

Construct and interpret a variety of food chains, identifying producers, predators and prey.

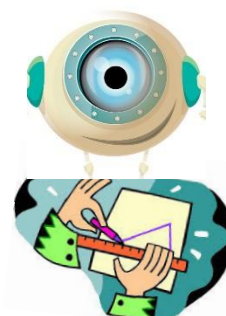
Explore and use classification keys to help group, identify and name living things.

Recognise that environments can change and this can pose dangers to living things



Computing - iCompute - Unit:iAnimate

This unit provides an introduction to animation and allows the children to explore different ways animations can be made.



DT - Textiles

The children will explore weaving. They will design and make a 'mat' using weaving techniques.

They will then evaluate the success of their project.

Geography

This half term, the children will be focusing on Europe.



Music

This half term the children will continue their Ukulele lessons.



PE

Range of skills

This term the children will be participating in a mixture of skills linked to the Circus. Children will also develop other skills such as collaboration and teamwork.



PSHE - Healthy Me (Jigsaw)

We look closely at how the children can keep themselves healthy. We use the following themes as a guide:

Me and my friends

Group Dynamics

Smoking

Alcohol

Healthy friendships

Celebrating inner strength and assertiveness.



RE - CHRISTIANITY (JESUS)

The children will explore Christianity using the following question as a focus: Is sacrifice an important part of religious belief?



MFL - French - Led by Mr Hope

Lessons during this half term will cover the following themes:

The weather

Sport

Clothing and opinions



If you have any questions about our curriculum please do not hesitate to ask!