

Donisthorpe Primary School Curriculum Map- Year 4

| | Autumn 1 | Autumn 2 | Spring 1 | Spring 2 | Summer 1 | Summer 2 |
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| English Writing | <p>Narrative - Adventure Bike Boy by Jane Considine</p> <p>Writing to Inform - Script for a factual tour Once upon a Raindrop by James Carter</p> | <p>Writing to Persuade France Holiday Brochure</p> <p>Narrative – Traditional Tale Aladdin and the Enchanted Lamp by Philip Pullman</p> | <p>Narrative – Science Fiction The Iron Man by Ted Hughes</p> | <p>Narrative – Adventure The BFG by Roald Dahl</p> | <p>Writing to Inform - Newspaper reports The Wizards of Once by Cressida Cowell</p> | <p>Poetry The River by Valerie Bloom</p> |
| English Reading | <p>Main fiction texts to be covered over the course of the year: George’s Marvellous Medicine by Roald Dahl The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe by C.S. Lewis The Firework Maker’s Daughter by Philip Pullman Varjack Paw by S.F. Said The Girl Who Stole an Elephant by Nizrana Farook</p> | | | <p>Other text types to be covered over the course of the year: Biography Information Text Poetry Explanation Text Newspaper Report</p> | | |
| Maths | <p>Number and Place Value</p> <p>Addition and Subtraction</p> | <p>Measurement: Length and Perimeter</p> <p>Multiplication and Division</p> | <p>Multiplication and Division</p> <p>Measurement: Area</p> <p>Number: Fractions</p> | <p>Number: Fractions</p> <p>Number: Decimals</p> | <p>Number: Decimals</p> <p>Measurement: Money</p> <p>Measurement: Time</p> | <p>Statistics</p> <p>Geometry – Property of Shapes</p> <p>Geometry – Position and Direction</p> |
| Science | States of matter | Animals including humans | Electricity | Living things and their habitats | Sound | Alexander Graham Bell |
| History | Who were the Anglo-Saxons? | | How did England change under the Tudors? | | What was life like in Ancient Egypt? | |
| Geography | | <p>Locational, Physical and Human Geography Fantastic France</p> | | <p>Locational and Physical Geography In the zone: Climates and weather around the world</p> | | <p>Locational, Physical and Human Geography Water – Friend or Foe (focus on rivers)</p> |
| Computing | 1.1 Coding | 4.3 Spreadsheets | 4.4 Writing for Different Audiences | 4.5 Logo | 3.6 Branching Databases | 4.7 Effective Searching |

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| Art | Clay – pots/huts | Pencil Drawings – French Monuments | Matisse - Collage | Painting – Mix and Blend colours – Dream Jars | Papier Mache – Egyptian Masks | Thomas Gainsborough – River landscape paintings |
| DT | | | Light up Pictures – Iron Man | Cooking – link to science | | Night lights |
| Music | Play and Perform Ukuleles Appreciation and understanding of variety of music Compose | | | | | |
| PSHCE | Mental Health: Dealing with Feelings Mutual respect, tolerance and Diversity | | Behaviour and Safety: Online/ offline Safety (Computing links) Physical Health: Making Healthy Choices Individual Liberty | | Relationship and Sex education: (The biological differences between male and female children. Learn about the impact of puberty in physical hygiene and strategies for managing this. How puberty affects emotions and behavior and strategies for dealing with the changes associated with puberty.) Drugs, Alcohol and Tabaco education: Drugs common to everyday life Rule of the Law | |
| PE | Gymnastics | Ball Skills Football | Net/wall Games (Tennis) | Dance Multi-skills | Athletics | Striking and fielding Invasion Games |
| RE | L2.3 Why is Jesus inspiring to some people | L2.4 Why do people pray? | L2.6 Why do some people think life is a journey? <u>What significant experiences mark this?</u> <u>What does it mean to be a Christian today?</u> | L2.5 Why are festivals important to religious communities? Christian teachings Holy week and Easter | L2.8 What does it mean to be Hindu in Britain today? | L2.9 What can we learn from religions about deciding what's right and wrong? |
| Character Muscle Focus | Motivation | Tolerance | Perseverance | Risk-Taking | Reasoning | |