

Year 4 Long Term Overview 2025 - 2026

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
History/ Geography	Navigating Europe, how many capitals and countries can we find?	What did the Ancient Greeks bring to the world?	Politics and the environment: what has Europe got to offer?	How did Britain change between the end of the Iron Age and the end of Roman occupation?	What's beneath our feet?	How did Manchester grow to be one of the leading cities?
English	<u>Autumn 1a</u> <i>The Whale Ethan & Vita Murrow</i> Writing Outcome 1: Setting Narrative	<u>Autumn 2a</u> <i>Leaf by Sandra Dieckmann</i> Writing Outcome 1: Outsider Narrative	<u>Spring 1a</u> <i>Arthur and the Golden Rope by Joe Todd-Stanton</i> Writing Outcome 1: Myth Narrative	<u>Spring 2b</u> <i>The Lost Happy Endings by Carol Ann Duffy</i> Writing Outcome 1: Twisted Narrative	<u>Summer 1a</u> <i>The Journey by Francesca Sanna</i> Writing Outcome 1: Refugee Narrative	<u>Summer 2a</u> <i>Manfish by Jennifer Berne</i> Writing Outcome 1: Invention Narrative
	<u>Autumn 1b</u> Writing Outcome 2: Newspaper Report	<u>Autumn 2b</u> Writing Outcome 2: Information Report	<u>Spring 1b</u> Writing Outcome 2: Information Guide	<u>Spring 2b</u> Writing Outcome 2: Persuasive Letter	<u>Summer 1b</u> Writing Outcome 2: Diary	<u>Summer 2b</u> Writing Outcome 2: Biography
Science	Which wild animals and plants thrive in our locality? <i>(identifying, classifying & grouping)</i>	How could we cope without electricity for one day? <i>(Comparative & fair testing)</i>	What happens to the food we eat? <i>(Research using secondary sources)</i>	Will we ever see the water we drink again? <i>(Observing over time)</i>	Why is the sound made by Ed Sheeran enjoyed by so many? <i>(Pattern Seeking)</i>	International Week: Greece (Geography)
Maths	Place value Addition & subtraction	Area Multiplication & division	Multiplication & division Length & perimeter	Fractions Decimals	Decimals Money Time	Shape Statistics Position & direction

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Computing	Computing systems and networks Collaborative learning	Programming 1 Further Coding with Scratch	Creating Media Website Design	Skills Showcase HTML	Programming 2 Computational thinking	Data Handling Investigating weather
Art and Design Technology	Drawing: Powerprints	Structure: Pavilions	Painting and mixed media: Light and dark	Cooking and nutrition: Adapting a recipe	Craft and design: Fabric of nature	Mechanical systems: Making a slingshot car
RE	How special is the relationship Jews have with God?	What is the most significant part of the nativity story for Christians today?	How do Jewish beliefs, teachings and stories impact on daily life? Judaism	Is forgiveness always possible for Christians?	How does celebrating Shavuot help Jewish children feel closer to God? Judaism	Why are there four Gospels and how are they relevant for Christians? Christianity
P.H.S.E/ Citizenship	Being Me in My World	Celebrating Difference	Dreams and Goals	Healthy Me	Relationships	Changing Me
Spanish	Me presento	Me presento	Mi familia	Mi familia	En la cafeteria	En la cafeteria
PE	Netball Gymnastics Arching and bridges	Dance Romans Gymnastics - Partner work - Pushing	Gymnastics - Rolling & travelling low Tag Rugby	Swimming Hockey	Swimming Athletics	Swimming OAA
Music	Body and Tuned Percussion: Rainforests	Rock & Roll	Whole Class Instrumental - Recorder	Whole Class Instrumental – Recorder	Adapting and transposing motifs: The Romans	Samba and Carnival Sounds and Instruments