



## Curriculum Overview Year 4 Summer 1

<u>Literacy</u>	<u>Maths</u>
<p>Our Literacy unit this half term will be <b>'Playscripts'</b> and <b>'Poetry'</b></p> <p>In our play script unit we will be exploring <i>The Tempest</i> by William Shakespeare. We will explore how to use dialogue, stage directions and emotive language. In this unit we will also look at how to improve our drama techniques and will have the opportunity to perform to our peers.</p> <p>In our poetry unit we will be looking at <b>'Creating Imagery'</b> We will explore word association, metaphors, imagery, looking at different language devices and create a theme using word association.</p> <p>You will also be expected to <b>practise your weekly spellings, read your reading book to an adult daily, complete challenges in your reading diary and contribute to our class blog.</b></p>	<p>In Maths this half term we will be focusing on: <b>Decimals (number),</b></p> <p>When learning about decimals, we will be writing, comparing and ordering decimals, moving then to rounding. We will learn how to divide one and two digit numbers by 100 hundred, and write tenths as decimals. We will then make a whole out of tenths and one hundredths.</p> <p>You will also be expected to <b>practise your multiplication facts and number bonds</b> at home as well as complete several calculations to help you retain the skills you are learning. Moreover, you <b>MUST</b> contribute to <b>class blogs</b> and <b>maths challenges</b>. Please ensure you continue to use TT Rock Stars daily.</p>
<u>Science</u>	<u>Topic</u>
<p>Our Science unit this half term is <b>'Who am I?'</b></p> <p>The children will recognise that living things can be grouped in a variety of ways. Children will explore and use classification keys to help group, identify and name a variety of living things in their local and wider environment. We will learn that environments can change and that this can sometimes pose dangers to living things. We will consider our impact on the local environment. <b>Keep looking out for Science links and challenges on our class blog.</b></p>	<p>This term we will be learning about <b>'The Tudors'</b>.</p> <p>The children will be learning about significant events and figures of the Tudor era, including an exciting trip to Bosworth battlefield! We will also learn about the notorious Tudor king Henry VIII and the religious and political changes that took place in Tudor Britain. The children will compare the Tudor lifestyle to their own and learn how the Tudors constructed their houses. <b>Keep looking out for history blogs and challenges.</b></p>
<u>PSHE:</u> Our SEAL unit this half term is <b>'Communities'</b>	
<u>Computing:</u> Our Computing unit this half term is <b>'I am a HTML editor.'</b>	
<u>Design and Technology:</u> Our DT unit for this half term is <b>'Tudor Portraits'</b>	
<u>SMSC:</u> Our SMSC unit this half term will be learning about <b>'What can we learn from religions about what is right and wrong'</b>	
<u>Music:</u> In Music we will be learning about the 4 Orchestral instrument families: Strings, Woodwind, Brass and Percussion.	
<u>PE:</u> Our PE units this half term will be <b>'Athletics'</b>	
<u>MFL:</u> Our MFL we will be learning how to say <b>'Days and Months'</b> .	