Year 4 Autumn curriculum overview

Maths:

Number and the number system.

Counting and comparing.

Visualising and constructing.

Addition and subtraction

Multiplication and division.

English:

Playscripts - Ancient Greeks (History link).

Biography - Alexander Graham-Bell (Science link).

Fantasy/adventure story - based on the class reader 'Land of Roar'.

Science:

Sound - Know how sounds are made, know the parts of an ear, understand pitch and volume and to know how sounds become fainter

Electricity - identifying parts of a circuit, knowing common appliances, constructing circuits, troubleshooting and knowing conductors and insulators.

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History/Geography:

Who were the Ancient Greeks? What made the Ancient Greeks so powerful? What was everyday life like in Ancient Greece? What were the key beliefs and achievements of the Ancient Greeks? What happened to the Ancient Greeks? What legacy did they leave behind?

Children will;

Locate Ancient Greece and modern-day Greece. Create a timeline of significant events. Compare Greek architecture. Make comparisons between other civilisations. Understand the legacy the Ancient Greeks left behind. Use maps, atlases, primary and secondary sources to aid them.

Computing:

Online Safety - Knowing how to be a good digital citizen, how information can be altered, how to keep personal information private and technology usage.

Computer Networks - Knowing how the internet works, what the World Wide Web is, how to access information and how you can add to the World Wide Web.

R.E:

Christianity - what is Trinity?

Judaism - what is exodus?

Design and Technology:

Researching labyrinths, Adrian Fisher and designing and creating a maze game.

Art and Design:

Creating a sculpture inspired by Barbara Hepworth.

French:

Introduction to tricky sounds, describing themselves, counting, knowing the colours and knowing Christmas traditions in France.

PSHE:

What helps us to learn?

What makes a community and how can we make a difference?

How can we treat each other with respect?

How can we stay safe online?

P.E:

Basketball, Dance, Football, **Gymnastics**

Music:

Soul/gospel music.

Charanga 'Lean on me'.

