

Year 4 Summer Term 2026	
R.E.	Overarching theme: <i>People whose lives have been transformed by faith and hope in God</i> Branch 5 — To the Ends of the Earth Peter: faith, three denials, saw Jesus by the lake; the Pope, Apostles' Creed, Communion of Saints, Mary -Queen of Heaven Branch 6 — Dialogue & Encounter Christianity - St Paul, Theological virtues, Liturgical rite, Liturgical traditions, Islam - 5 pillars
ENGLISH: reading	Narrative (Fiction) — 'Macbeth' Text-based English topic — Pupils will read and analyse 'Macbeth' by William Shakespeare. Pupils will analyse a range of versions of the story to gain knowledge of their purpose, organisation, composition and effect. Narrative (Fiction) – Greek Myths & Legends Pupils will read and analyse a variety of Ancient Greek myths and legends. They will analyse the stories to gain knowledge of the purpose, organisation, composition and effect.
ENGLISH: Writing opportunities	Macbeth The Argument: Macbeth and Lady Macbeth (focus on dialogue) Newspaper Report: the death of Duncan Poetry: Witches spell using 7 syllable rhyming couplets Greek Myths & Legends Survival Guide: how Perseus can survive in the labyrinth Write Your Own Myth: create their own myth with focus on character & setting Persuasive advert: buy one of the famous objects from Greek myth
ENGLISH: SPaG	Grammar The grammatical difference between plural and possessive –s Punctuation Use of inverted commas and other punctuation to indicate direct speech Apostrophes to mark plural possession Spelling – the short ay sound spelt eig, ei or ey; words ending in letter combination –ous; words with the s sound spelt sc zhun sound spelt –sion
Maths	Fractions, Decimals, Shape, Time, Statistics (See maths objectives below for more detail) Recall multiplication and division facts for all multiplication tables up to × 12.
Science	States of Matter Compare and group materials together, according to whether they are solids, liquids or gases; observe that some materials change state when they are heated or cooled and measure or research the temperature at which this happens in degrees Celsius; identify the part played by evaporation and condensation in the water cycle and associate the rate of evaporation with temperature. Sound identify how sounds are made, associating some of them with something vibrating recognise that vibrations from sounds travel through a medium to the ear find patterns between the pitch of a sound and features of the object that produced it find patterns between the volume of a sound and the strength of the vibrations that produced it recognise that sounds get fainter as the distance from the sound source increases.
History	Ancient Greece They will develop a chronological knowledge and understanding of Greek time lines including why and how the Ancient Greeks became so important. Children will understand the connections between religious and social history by learning about the Ancient Greek gods and goddesses. They will study the Trojan War and gain knowledge on how the Olympics have changed over time.
Geography	Why Do Tourists Visit Greece? The children will look at the European country of Greece and consider why it is such a popular tourist destination. They will understand geographical similarities and differences through the study of human and physical geography of a region of the United Kingdom and Naxos in Greece.



PSHE/RSE	PSHE: Red: A Crayon's Story To be who you want to be RSE: Physical To describe how we should treat others making links with the diverse modern society we live in.
Music	Brass Band Children will continue to play and perform their brass instrument working together as a band with increasing accuracy, fluency, control and expression. They will continue to read music presented on the musical stave.
Computing	Coding The children will use Scratch software to create sequences of code designed to produce specific goals. They will look at the ideas of logically sequencing steps and using repeat functions. Animation The children will use Google Slides to design and create a range of content that accomplish given goals, including: create a stop-motion video by duplicating slides that include backgrounds and shapes. • create animation using transition and animation effects (morph, motion paths, pulse etc), including taking and editing a screenshot • animate individual elements of objects. • create animated GIF files by animating pixels
ART	Sculpture: The children will study the work of different sculptors and use paper to produce their own sculptures
P.E.	Swimming Children will be taught to swim competently, confidently and proficiently over a distance of at least 25m using a range of strokes (front crawl, backstroke and breaststroke) effectively. Athletics
Curriculum Enrichment	D&T workshop – night lights History– Ancient Greeks play-in-a-day Class trip – Crosby lakeside

Year 4 Medium Term Maths Objectives

Summer Term

Fractions	Recognise and show, using diagrams, families of common equivalent fractions.
	Count up and down in hundredths; recognise that hundredths arise when dividing an object by one hundred and dividing tenths by ten.
	Solve problems involving increasingly harder fractions to calculate quantities, & fractions to divide quantities, including non-unit fractions where the answer is a whole no.
	+ and - fractions with the same denominator

Decimals	Recognise and write decimal equivalents of any number of tenths or hundredths
	Recognise and write decimal equivalents to $\frac{1}{4}$, $\frac{1}{2}$, $\frac{3}{4}$
	Find the effect of dividing a one- or two-digit number by 10 and 100, identifying the value of the digits in the answer as ones, tenths and hundredths.
	Round decimals with one decimal place to the nearest whole number
	Compare numbers with the same number of decimal places up to two decimal places
	Solve simple measure and money problems involving fractions and decimals to 2 d.p.

Shape	Compare and classify geometric shapes, including quadrilaterals and triangles, based on their properties and sizes.
	Identify acute and obtuse angles and compare and order angles up to two right angles by size.
	Identify lines of symmetry in 2-D shapes presented in different orientations
	Complete a simple symmetric figure with respect to a specific line of symmetry.

Money & Time	Estimate, compare and calculate different measures, including money in pounds and pence.
	Read, write and convert time between analogue and digital 12- and 24-hour clocks
	Solve problems involving converting from hours to minutes; minutes to seconds; years to months; weeks to days.

Statistics	Interpret and present discrete and continuous data using appropriate graphical methods, including bar charts and time graphs
	Solve comparison, sum and difference problems using information presented in bar charts, pictograms, tables and other graphs