



Curwen Primary School

Together Everyone Achieves More

Year 4: 2025-2026 - Changes



	AUTUMN	Roman Times	SPRING	Cultural Identity	SUMMER	How Rivers Change Over Time
LITERACY – writing focus	Non- Chronological Reports (writing assessment)	Descriptive text – character/setting (writing assessment)	Poetry Writing based on class book: newspaper article, letter, biography, discussion text, diary, etc	Non-fiction text linked to International week – leaflet/persuasive writing	Narrative – Final assessment piece	Writing based on class book: newspaper article, letter, biography, discussion text, diary, description etc
Class Texts	Treasure Island Ade’s Amazing Ade-ventures – The Rise of the Parsons Road Gang The Amazing Story of Adolphus Tips The Sleeping Sword			Wonder The Explorer Journey to the river sea BFG or alternative Roald Dahl title		
NUMERACY	Properties of numbers, Place value, Rounding, Number Facts, Addition, Subtraction	Multiplication facts, Multiplication, Division, Fractions	Code breaking, Addition & subtraction methods, Division methods (chunking), Fractions, Sequencing/ Patterns	Perimeter & Area, Angles Time, Interpreting data Graphs- bar/pictogram /line	4 operations, Long multiplication/division, Shape, Lines of symmetry, Coordinates, Translation	Number facts, Negative numbers, Division, Statistics, Measure, Scaling
COMPUTING	Digital literacy: Slides with videos/photos	Digital literacy: Slides with animation	Coding: Scratch Tutorial	Information technology: Final Adobe Spark poster with photos	Information technology: How the internet works	Coding Outcome: CS First
SCIENCE	States of Matter (Experiments, Explore, Investigate) Including - Water cycle NPP-Water cycle (16-18 hours)	Electricity (12 hours) NPP- Electricity	Sound (10-12 hours)		Living Things and their Habitats (14 hours)	Animals including humans (12hours)
HISTORY /GEOGRAPHY	H Big Question: <i>Is it ever okay to take something that doesn’t belong to you?</i>		G: Rivers and land use	G: Amazon and the Rainforests NPP-Rainforest	G: Fieldwork study – Comparing and contrasting land use	H: Ancient Civilisation Benin 900 – 1300
	H: Roman Empire and its impact: Londinium NPP-Roman Britain					

ART	Roman Artefacts Roman Mosaics				Aerial Viewpoints from Around the World	Art from ancient Civilisations: Benin (Clay Modelling)
D/T		Reading Lights	Food Technology: Healthy breakfast	Textiles : Carnival costume		
MUSIC	Listening & Understanding - music history & appreciation	Singing - to include warming up, deliberate practice & reading music notation	Performing an instrument- Ukulele	Performing an instrument- Ukulele	Composition and Improvisation	Singing - to include warming up, deliberate practice & reading music notation
RE	Whole year's Big Question: What is special to me and the people in my community?					
	What religions and world views are represented in our neighbourhood?	How and why do Hindus worship at home and in the Mandir? Visit Mandir (Hindu Temple)	Why the bible is special to Christians? Why is Easter special to Christians? Easter assembly		What makes me the person I am? BAME	What happens when someone gets married? <i>Relationships PSHE link</i>
PE	Gymnastics Athletics	Handball Tag Rugby	Dance (Carnival) Multi Skills Tri Golf Gymnastics		Tennis /Cricket /Boccia /Rounders/ Girls' Active/ Gymnastics	
MFL	- Numbers 0-50	- My Family	-El Zoo: Wild animals	- The Farm	- Parts of the body	-Zoom partner school in Spain -Weather (Elmer y el tiempo)
PSHE	Settling , Friendships, Agreeing to disagree Kindness Wk -Cyber Bullying (Reporting abuse online)		Relationship -Positive & Negative Relationships Understanding similarities & differences – myself & others		Road Safety –TFL going home alone Transition: Managing Worries & anxieties	
Significant people	Martin Luther King Jnr	Boudicca	Nadiya Hussain	Ade Adepitan	Chris Ofili	Tim Berners Lee
Suggested Visits	London Mithraeum	Visit Mandir (Hindu Temple)		Geography Fieldwork Trip	Chigwell Row Adventure Centre	Horniman Museum Plaistow Library (Summer Reading Challenge)
Suggested Big Outcomes	Roman Performance Christmas song (virtual)		Carnival costume Easter Assembly (virtual)		Summer Performance Benin Artefacts	
Whole School	Democracy Week	World of Work Week		International Week Easter Bonnet		Plaistow Library (Summer Reading Challenge) Family Week