



# Emmer Green Primary School

## Termly Curriculum Overview



### Year 4 Summer 2021

#### English

##### Text genres:

- Instructions
- Fiction writing based on a text
- Explanation texts
- Performance Poetry

##### Spelling, punctuation and grammar

- Co-ordinating conjunctions
- Word classes e.g. nouns, verbs and adjectives
- Inverted commas

##### You can help your child by:

- Hearing them read (at least twice weekly) and using bookmarks to aid questioning on what they have read to check understanding
- Ensuring they complete Read Theory quizzes every week
- Checking their weekly spellings and reviewing

#### Topic—History / Geography

##### Ancient Romans

Learning about this ancient civilization, studying their lifestyle and cultural beliefs through:

- Looking at the history of Ancient Rome and its impact on modern day life
- Developing their understanding of the Roman invasion of Britain

#### Mathematics

- Revising methods used for multiplication and division
- Fractions
- Decimals
- Measurement, including money and time
- Comparing shapes and their properties
- Position and direction
- Problem solving and applying in a range of contexts

##### You can help your child by:

- Supporting them with their homework, by ensuring they complete Mathematics every week
- Practising their multiplication and division tables regularly up to  $12 \times 12$
- Solving real life problems involving shopping, money, measures and time

#### Science

##### Animals including humans

- Looking at the digestive system's different parts and their functions
- Investigating teeth and the particular functions
- Exploring tooth decay and positive dental hygiene

##### Sound

- Investigating different sounds, how they are made and heard
- Looking at insulating sound

Our Roman Topic Day will be on Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> June. We look forward to sharing with you our work from the day in school.



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#### Computing

##### We are meteorologists

- Measure, analyse and present data in the role of a weather reporter.

##### We are html editors

- Understand the web and technical aspects of how it is put together.

#### Religious Education

##### Sikhism

- Exploring how beliefs and community shape a person's identity.

##### Christianity

- To understand how and if religious beliefs influence and encourage 'good' behaviour

#### Personal Social and Health Education

##### Economic Well-being

- To understand how to budget money in a real-life context.

##### Relationships and Changing Me

- To develop understanding of the human body and the scientific names for reproductive organs.

#### Art and DT

##### Human Bodies

- Use a range of techniques to create bodies.
- Explore ways of combining and organising shapes, colours and patterns.

##### Fruit and Vegetables

- Drawing, sculpting and painting a variety of fruits and vegetables.

#### Physical Education

- To develop hand-eye coordination skills in cricket, as well as teamwork and perseverance
- Apply skills to game situations, such as in cricket
- To develop a range of skills to use in athletic activities such as running, jumping and throwing.

#### Modern Foreign Language (French)

- Counting in multiples of 10
- Writing short sentences using an adjective
- Reading and understanding a story in French
- Talking and writing about sports that we play using 'jouer' and 'faire'
- Discussing healthy and unhealthy food