



## Merrylands Primary School - Year 4 Curriculum Map

Autumn Term	Autumn Term 2	Spring Term 1	Spring Term 2	Summer Term
<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>Bug Life</u></b></p> <p>We will be observing living things and looking closely at their habitats. Children will be identifying the characteristics of a living thing and using this knowledge to help classify living things into different animal groups. Children will investigate different habitats around the school and create their own animal habitats using and applying their skills learnt in DT.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>Groovy Greeks</u></b></p> <p>We will explore ancient Greek times. Children will learn what life was like for an ancient Greek, we will explore historical events such as the Olympics. Children will learn about Greek pottery and create a Greek pot from clay. Children will look at the impact that Greek gods/goddesses had on the Greeks. Children will compare their own lives to an ancient Greek child's life as well as comparing Greeks that came from different states.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>Scrapheap Challenge</u></b></p> <p>In this topic children will study the text the 'Iron Man' written by Ted Hughes. Children will research the impact of robots in our everyday lives. Children will use and apply their scientific knowledge to create a robot with a real working electrical circuit.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>Our Wonderful World</u></b></p> <p>This topic encourages the discussions on environmental changes and the impact it has on our lives. Children will look at what they can do to make a difference to our world particularly thinking about sustainability. Children will also read texts from people who have survived from environmental disasters.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>Toga Tastic</u></b></p> <p>The final topic of our year will be studying the Romans. Children will learn about the Roman invasion and the impact it has now on our everyday lives. Children will also look at the Colosseum in art and understand how it played an important role in Roman times. Children will experience what it would have been like for a Roman by baking Roman bread and attending an end of term Roman banquet.</p>

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English

Autumn 1: Non-fiction texts on living things  
 Autumn 2: Greek Mythology  
 Spring 1: The Iron Man  
 Spring 2: Survivors  
 Summer 1: Escape from Pompeii  
 Summer 2: Romans on a rampage

Science

Autumn 1: Animals including humans  
 Autumn 2: Light  
 Spring 1: Electricity  
 Summer 1: Sound

RE

Autumn 2: Christianity (Christmas)  
 Spring 2: Christianity (Easter)  
 Summer 2: Buddhism (Life of Buddha)

Maths

White Rose Scheme of work

	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6	Week 7	Week 8	Week 9	Week 10	Week 11	Week 12
Autumn	Number: Place Value			Number: Addition and Subtraction			Measurement: Length and Perimeter	Number: Multiplication and Division			Consolidation	
Spring	Number: Multiplication and Division			Measurement: Area	Number: Fractions			Number: Decimals			Consolidation	
Summer	Number: Decimals		Measurement: Money		Measurement: Time	Statistics		Geometry: Properties of Shape		Geometry: Position and Direction		Consolidation

MFL

Salut Scheme of work  
 Spring 2: My Town  
 Summer 1: Describing people  
 Summer 2: Food

PSHE

Autumn 1: New Beginnings  
 Autumn 2: My relationships  
 Spring 1: Keeping safe  
 Spring 2: Citizenship  
 Summer 1: Money, money, money  
 Summer 2: Healthy changes

PE

Autumn 1: Net and wall/racket  
 Autumn 2: Ball games  
 Spring 1: Gymnastics  
 Spring 2: Football  
 Summer 1: Striking and fielding  
 Summer 2: Athletics

Computing

Autumn 2: Spread sheets  
 Spring 1: Logos  
 Spring 2: Animation  
 Summer 1: Effective searching

Music

Autumn 2: Mamma Mia  
 Spring 1: Stop!  
 Spring 2: Lean on me  
 Summer 1: Blackbird

Geography

Autumn 1: Compare locations, map work and contours  
 Spring 2: Environmental changes

Art

Autumn 2: Greek Pots (pottery)  
 Spring 2: Artists from around the world  
 Summer 2: Roman Colosseum

DT

Autumn 1: Making mini bug hotels  
 Spring 1: Iron man heads  
 Summer 1: Roman bread making

History

Autumn 2: Ancient Greeks  
 Summer 1 and 2: Pompeii and Romans