Curriculum Overview – Year 4 Planning Grid 2025-2026

Topic/ Theme	Art	D & T	Music	Computing	PE	Geography	History	RE	English	Science	PSHE
ROMAN BRITAIN	Improve techniques – drawing and painting (colour mixing) in the style of Wayne Thiebauld Roman shields Christmas art and craft	DESIGN + CONSTRUCT Roman Shields Musical Instruments Pop up Xmas card. Make a torch	Sing, play, improvise and compose with Mamma Mia and other ABBA hits. Perform Christmas Musical	Coding Online safety	Dance Foootball +Rugby Rapid Fire Cricket Christmas dance	physical geography, volcanoes and earthquake**s.**	Romans Trip to St. Albans and Welwyn Roman Baths	Identity and Belonging - Sikhism Beliefs and practices Remembrance & Christmas	Historical writing Take one book. Coming to England by Floella Benjamin The Magic of Christmas	Sound Electricity	Being me in my world Celebrating Differences
RAIN FORESTS **SOUTH AMERICA**	Watercolour leaves Rainforest artwork, model and canvas Henri Rousseau Collage	Bottle Garden	Learning basic instrumental skills by playing tunes in varying styles – glockenspiels Stop! - a rap/song about bullying.	Online Safety Logo Animation	Gymnastics apparatus Sports Hall Tennis	Map skills - Tropics Northern/ Southern hemisphere South America Trade links Natural resources Rainforests		Identity and Belonging - Religious leaders Easter Last supper Symbols and Actions –Sikhism Symbols and Actions – Christianity	The Explorer Poetry- figurative language rainforest poems	States of Matter – solids, liquids and gases Water Cycle	Dreams and Goals Healthy Me
MAYA **LIVING THINGS AND HABITATS** **BRITAIN TODAY**	Observational Drawing Printing Weaving Artist study – Picasso	Textiles- Pencil Case FOOD – Making and designing scones	Lean On Me. and Blackbird - pulse, rhythm, pitch, singing and playing instruments	Effective Searching Hardware investigators	*Hockey* Golf *Striking and Fielding* (rounders) Athletics (sports day)	Modern Britain- Map skills Grid references Compass points Mapping Codicote Fieldwork skills	Mayan Civilisation	Religious stories and texts Sikhism David and Goliath The parable of talents The Rich Man and the Needle	Hermelin the mouse detective Scooby Doo Mystery at the Manor.	Living Things and their Habitats Animals including humans – digestion, teeth and food chains	Relationships Changing me