

## Year 4 - Curriculum Information

### LITERACY

#### Fantasy Stories

Read 'Stitch Head' by Guy Bass novel- carry out grammar and writing tasks related to this text

Look at relationships between character and setting

Use similes and alliteration to develop own descriptive writing

Analyse aspects of fantasy stories and write our own version

Group reading/ class reading and weekly year 4 spellings

#### Poems about strange and imagined places

Read aloud and perform poetry to the class and with others

Read and discuss the language and structure of poems

Learn new vocabulary to describe imagined places effectively

Write own poetry

### NUMERACY

#### Continue to secure knowledge of Non Negotiables (see primary pathway book)

Learn multiplication facts of the 4,6,7,8,9,11,12 times tables, rapid recall

Learn calculation methods to add, subtract and multiply

Ordering Decimals including in money and measurement

Carry out mathematical investigations and solve mathematical problems

Learn about different types of triangles, polygons and symmetry

Know about 3D shapes

### Computing

Design, write and de bug programs using hopscotch, purple mash programming resources

Use the internet to support learning in numeracy and topic lessons.

Learn to use technology safely, responsibly, respectfully; learn about acceptable and unacceptable behaviour through using 'Think You Know' games and video resources online.

### R.E.

Looking at the different religions and beliefs that are represented in our local area.

### PSHE - Health and Wellbeing

We will continue to use our 'Friends' strategies to understand our feelings in different situations and to stay positive. So far we have looked at Feelings, Relaxation, I can do it. We are now exploring solutions using helpful positive thoughts. Learning to be yourself in relation to class text Stitch Head and be proud of who you are. We will also take part in smart walker training to keep us safe on the roads.

### Topic - Electricity

This is a science topic where we will look at safety around electrical items as well as how we can save electricity usage in the home. In Science we will build circuits to light lamps, sound buzzers and operate switches. We will build a torch in Design Technology, then add a circuit to make the torch light. You will also find out about the history of the electric light bulb.

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