

## English

Fiction: Narrative Adventure & Mystery,  
Imaginary Worlds  
Non-fiction: Persuasion  
Poetry: Calligrams

## Mathematics

Place value  
Addition and subtraction  
Multiplication and division

## Science

**Living Things and their Habitats**  
Name a variety of living things (plants and animals) in the local and wider environment, using classification keys to assign them to groups.  
**Rocks**  
Learn about the types and properties and of rocks

## History

**Topic**  
**Stone Age to Iron Age**  
Pupils will explore how lifestyles evolved during the Stone, Bronze and Iron Ages, looking at the factors that led to Stone Age hunter-gatherers settling into early farming communities and how these settlements in turn developed into hillforts in the Iron Age  
They will learn about key sites like Skara Brae and Stonehenge.

## Computing

**Coding**  
Use coding to create a playable game  
**Internet Safety**: Awareness of digital footprint and identity theft

Year 4 Autumn 2023  
Stone Age to Iron Age

## D.T.

**Mechanical Systems**  
Pop up Christmas cards

## French

Musical Instruments and Seasons

## P.E.

Swimming

## P.S.H.E

Healthy Living  
Cycling Safety  
Protective Behaviours  
Chores at home

## Religious Education

What does it mean to be a Christian in Britain today?  
What does it mean to be a Hindu in Britain today?

## Music

Ocarina  
Warwickshire Sing

## Art

Drawing

## Year 4 Helping your child at home.

### Maths

Maths homework books need to be completed 4 times a week. They must be brought into school on a Friday.

You can also help by making sure that your child practises their times tables. Complete Times Table Rock Stars for at least 10 minutes 3 times a week. Speak to your child's teacher if you need help logging in or need paper copies if you do not have access to the internet.

<https://trockstars.com/>

### English

Home reading books should be read at least 5 times a week for 20 minutes each time and you can help by making sure that you hear your child read aloud, and by encouraging them to talk about what is happening in the books they have read. Please make sure that their home reading diary is filled in each time that they read and that you sign it if they are filling it in themselves.

Children can change their reading book any day throughout the week. They can take book quizzes in school or at home using the link:

<https://ukhosted29.renlearn.co.uk/2249334/Public/RPM/Login/Login.aspx?srcID=s>

Spelling homework will be set each fortnight. The children will have a fortnightly spelling test based on their spelling homework.

### Topic

Our topic this term is 'Stone Age to Iron Age'.

If you want to help your child explore our topic further, they could find out about general life in the Stone Age, Iron Age and Bronze age, what roles and responsibilities the people had, what kind of housing they lived in and what they ate

Useful website: <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/z82hsbk>

### Science

In science we will be studying 'Living Things and their Habitats' and 'Rocks and Soils'. If you want to help your child explore these topics further they could find out about plants and animals in a habitat they are interested in, visit a local quarry and find out how different rocks are made.

Useful website: <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/z9bbkqt>

### P.E.

P.E. Children must wear their PE kit in line with the school uniform policy.