



# SAMS Curriculum Overview

'Learning together and having fun, there's room here for everyone'

Year 4 Mrs Lewis

Term: Autumn 2018

## English / Literacy

Writing to entertain (fiction) through poetry and narrative writing. Writing to inform (Non-fiction) linked to writing across the curriculum e.g. History and Religious Education. Reading skills will be developed through weekly Guided Group Reading. Weekly spelling rules taught and practiced. Oracy skills developed through English and across the curriculum

## Science

Develop skills, knowledge and understanding through the theme of 'Our Sustainable World'.

## Maths

Place value, addition and subtraction, shape and data, multiplication and division, time and data, fractions. Weekly reasoning and problem solving activities.

## RE / Values    Thankfulness / Trust

**Church** - Looking at and comparing prayer and hymn books in the local parish. **Jesus** - The basic teaching of Jesus in relation to other people and to God and learn about the Old Testament passages that Jesus would have heard. **Festivals** - The cycle of festivals, specifically reflecting the life of Jesus.

## Topic - Who were the Romans?

- All skills taught in English, Maths and Science will be applied across the curriculum and through the topic of The Romans wherever possible.
- Music - Painting with sound composition
- PE - Gymnastic skills to perform a floor sequence. Games - Rugby
- DT - Food Technology linked to Romans
- Welsh - Y Parti, preferences and poetry
- Art - Linked to work on the Romans
- PSE - New Beginnings. Say No to Bullying. Getting on and Falling Out. Keeping Healthy - importance of exercise. Bacteria and viruses. Harmful effects of smoking.
- ICT/DCF Computational Thinking and Citizenship

## Parent's Role

Spellings will come home on a Monday to be learnt for the following Monday. Homework will be sent out on Friday to be returned the following Tuesday. Please ensure that all children complete homework and return it to school at the correct time. Could you please revise the times tables at home regularly with your child to help support rapid recall of them.

## General Guidance

- Please could we have PE kit in school at all times as lessons may need to be rearranged due to inclement weather. All items of clothing must be clearly labelled with your child's name.
- If you feel you have any resources to complement any of the units, we would be most grateful to borrow them and use them to support learning.
- Whilst every effort is made to see parents at your request it is preferred that parents make an appointment so that any issues can be discussed thoroughly, rather than just before school.

