

Ferndown First School: Year 4 Curriculum Map 2023-2024

	AUTUMN 1	AUTUMN 2	SPRING 1	SPRING 2	SUMMER 1	SUMMER 2
MATHS	Place value (4 digit numbers), Addition and subtraction, Measure (area), Multiplication & Division 1		Multiplication & Division 2, Length and Perimeter, Fractions 1, Fractions 2, Decimals 1		Decimals 2, Money, Time, Statistics, Geometry (angles and 2D shapes), Geometry, Statistics, Position and Direction	
ENGLISH	Narrative: Feast by Disney Pixar (Short Film) Poetry: The Sound Collector (Roger McGough)	Narrative: The Journey by Aaron Becker. (Adventure) Instructions/recipe: How to make stuffed peppers (DT)	Narrative: The Lost Thing - Shaun Tan (Fantasy) Explanation: Sound/The Ear (science)	Narrative: Aladdin by Phillip Pullman (Traditional Tale) NC Report: Electricity (science)	Poetry: The River by Valerie Bloom Persuasive letter: To the Head Teacher (Pupil Voice)	Narrative: Charlie and the Chocolate Factory (Roald Dahl) Recount: My Time at FFS (PSHE)
Whole Class Reading	Krindlekrax by Philip Ridley Non-Fiction and Poetry extracts	Varjak Paw by S F Said Non-Fiction and Poetry extracts	The Boy Who Met a Whale by Nizran Farook Non-Fiction and Poetry extracts	Alice in Wonderland by Lewis Carroll Non-Fiction and Poetry extracts	Charlotte's Web by E B White Non-Fiction and Poetry extracts	
Science & Technology						
SCIENCE	Chemistry: Solids, liquids, gases	Biology: Digestive System/Teeth	Physics: Sound	Physics: Electricity	Biology: Classification, food chains and environmental threats	
DT		Cooking & Nutrition: Seasonal recipes (stuffed peppers/ fruit tart)		Electrical components and Structures: Light up sign		Inspiring Inventors: Designers in history and the Fiver Challenge
COMPUTING	Computing systems and networks: The Internet	Creating media: Audio editing	Creating media: Photo editing	Data and information: Data logging (ipads)	Programming A: Repetition in shapes	Programming B: Repetition in games
Humanities						
HISTORY		Ancient Egypt How certain can we be about life in Egypt over 5000 years ago?			The Roman Empire How was Britain influenced by the Romans?	
GEOG	Mapping our Local Area Counties/cities in/around Dorset Eight points of a compass Four figure grid references OS maps Fieldwork			Rainforests The Amazon Rainforest Lines of longitude and latitude		Human Geography: Trade Global trade routes Distribution of food/energy Environmental impact
RE	Judaism: Beliefs and Practices	Christianity: Christmas	Judaism: Passover	Christianity: Easter	Judaism: Rites of Passage	Christianity: Prayer & Worship
Expressive arts						
ART	Drawing and Sketchbooks: Storytelling through drawing	Drawing, Collage and Design: Exploring pattern	Sculpture and Creative Thinking: The Art of Display	Painting, Drawing, Collage, Relief: Exploring Still Life	Drawing, Sketchbooks, Sculpture: Sculpture and structure	Sculpture, Painting, Collage, Drawing: Festival feasts
MUSIC	Pitch and Notation: Tuned percussion	Sing & Perform: Pantomime Christmas	Samba Music: Using the samba kit Performance		Dorset Musicianship Programme: Learning ukulele	
Well being						
PE Gym Dance	Gymnastics: Level 1: Performing sequences	Gymnastics: Level 2: Performing shapes/ balances	Dance: Patterns and actions	Gymnastics: Level 3: Perform learnt techniques	Circuits: Improving flexibility and strength	Athletics: Running, Relays, Hurdles Jump Throw, (hammer, javelin, shot put)
Games	Invasion Games: Catching, Throwing, Basketball, Netball, Handball, Hockey	Invasion games: Mark/defend/possess/intercept, Basketball, Football, Tag Rugby, Netball, Hockey	Net and Wall: Direct/hit ball with control, accuracy, rallies, Tennis, Badminton, Squash	Net and Wall: Space, rules of a game, Tennis, Badminton, Volleyball	Striking and Fielding: Types of strikes (for distance, space), fielding. Cricket Rounders	
PSHE	Being Me in My World	Celebrating Difference	Dreams and Goals	Healthy Me	Relationships	Changing Me including RSE
MFL (French)	Colours, questions and answers	Masculine and feminine nouns	Months of the year, adjectives	Sentence building	Possessive adjectives, feminine nouns (clothing)	Numbers 0-31, saying and writing the date