



## HALF TERMLY FOCUS

Y4

Spring 1 2026

### MATHS

Fractions  
Geometry  
Number and Place Value  
Addition and Subtraction  
Time

### ENGLISH

Kenning poem, diary entry, letter, narrative, non-chronological report  
Oral - Presenting ideas and writing to the class  
Handwriting—improving cursive skills and presentation  
Year 4 Age Related Expectations spelling and grammar

### Science

Developing scientific enquiry through investigations based on states of matter.

### Computing

Continuing with creating a game using code and learning how to use google slides.

### FOUNDATION SUBJECTS

#### Geography

Learning about and locating rivers on a map, as well as identifying the features of rivers. We will also look at the Water Cycle, which links to our Science topic.

#### DT

We will look at how mechanical systems work, with a focus on levers and linkages and create moving posters about recycling.

#### Music

We are continuing to learn how to play the recorder and will be listening and apprising music from the Romantic period, as well as singing songs related to our interests.

#### RE

We will be exploring the meaning of devotion and looking at Mahashivrati.

#### PSHE

A focus on keeping safe and developing a Growth Mind-set.

#### Ideas to support continued learning at home

Please practice times tables at home in preparation for the Multiplication Tables Check.

#### Useful websites for times tables:

<https://mathsframe.co.uk/en/resources/resource/477/Multiplication-Tables-Check>  
<https://www.timestables.co.uk/>  
<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/>

#### Trips/Visits/Events/Routines/ Notes to parents

Kingswood trip Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup>-Friday 27<sup>th</sup> March 2026