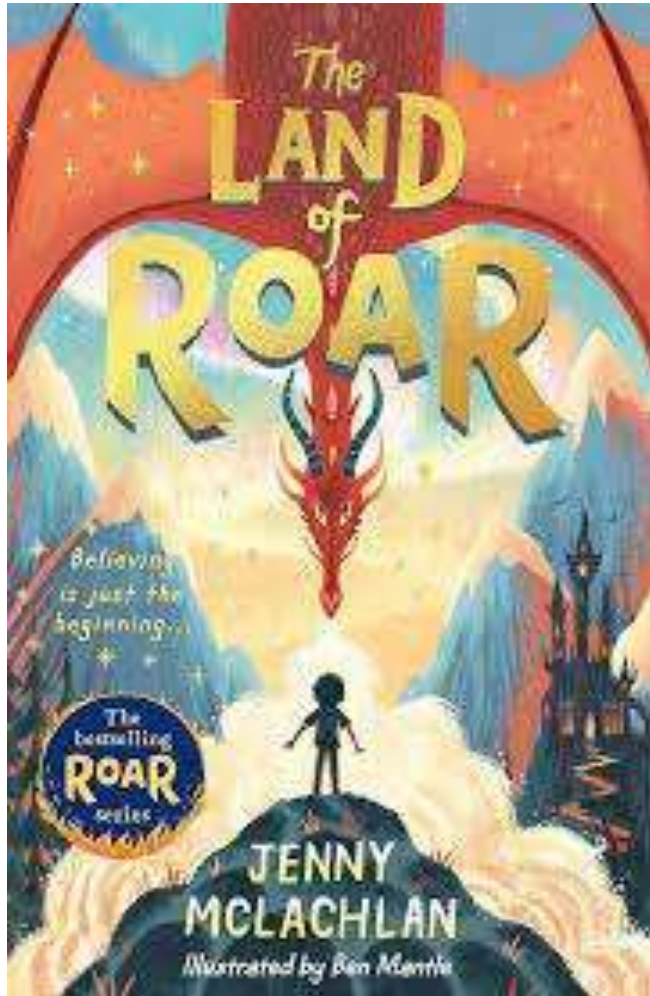


Summer Term



Year 4



English

In English, we will continue to develop children's reading and writing using key texts such as, 'The land of Roar' by Jenny McLachlan. We will use this text to develop children's vocabulary, making their sentences more detailed including more adjectives, adverbs and description.

Maths

We will continue to develop our Maths mastery skills in the four operations, which will include reasoning and problem solving. Additionally, we will be working on decimals, time and money. At home, please work hard to learn your times tables and inverse operations at speed.



History

We will be learning about the Tudors, including key aspects of Tudor life such as clothing, food, lifestyle and monarchs.



School trip

We are hopefully planning a visit to Queen Elizabeth's Hunting Lodge, to learn more about life during the reign of the Tudors.



Science

We will be looking at how the seasonal changes affect the weather through two topics: sound and electricity. We will think about why we get storms in Autumn, why we get thunder and lightning, and why thunder makes a sound.

Art

Year 4 will be exploring Tudor portraits, studying kings and queens such as Henry VIII and Elizabeth I. Pupils will be drawing and painting to create their own royal portraits, focusing on clothing, colour, patterns, and symbols of power.



Music

We will be learning about rhythm, pulse and pitch. The song we will be learning is 'Blackbird' by The Beatles. We will be listening, appraising, singing and playing instruments.



Computing

We will learn about writing for different audiences, effective searching around the Tudors and investigating different hardware.



Design and Technology

We will learn about different artefacts from the Tudors and creating a Tudor house.



Physical Education

We will learn about dance, rounders/cricket, athletics and handball. Our PE days are Wednesday and Friday.



TT Rockstars



Have you practised your Times Tables enough this week?

Year 4 need to revise their times tables on a regular basis to ensure they can apply them to other mathematical concepts.

My Maths

My Maths is a targeted, rewarding and captivating online learning resource, which is aligned to the new curriculum. Extra My Maths practise at home can make all the difference to your child's progress and achievements.



Reading

Please read every day and bring your reading records in daily. Reading every day is enjoyable and will help you across all subjects and improve your writing!



Dates

Please check the weekly newsletter for up-coming dates and key information.

