English

This half term our key texts will be 'The Sound Collector' by Roger McGough and 'The Wilderness' by Steve McCarthy. Using the poem *The Sound Collector*, children will explore how poets use sound and imagination to create atmosphere and meaning. They will create their own poems inspired by everyday sounds they would miss if they disappeared. Using *The Wilderness*, children will explore story settings and characters while developing their descriptive writing skills. They will use expanded noun phrases, fronted adverbials and persuasive language to write character introductions, letters of advice and a guide to enjoying the wilderness inspired by outdoor experiences and the story.

Maths

Year 3 will learn

About on time in maths. Children will learn to read both analogue and digital clocks, tell the time to the nearest five minutes, and understand key time-related vocabulary including a.m. and p.m. They will also explore units of time and practise solving simple time problems.

Year 4 will learn

About money and time. They will be developing their understanding of pounds and pence, estimating and calculating with money and solving real-life problems. In their work on time, they will read, write and convert time between analogue and digital, including 12 and 24h our clocks. They'll solve time problems involving duration and start/end times.

PE

Children will continue to enjoy two PE sessions per week. The first will continue to develop their water safety confidence and swimming ability at Waves. The second session will be tennis, we are very lucky as this will be led by Emily James from Net 360.

RE

The children will learn how and why people show care for others, comparing and contrasting world religions.

Children Through the Ages

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History

We will explore how childhood has changed through history, including the Stone Age, Ancient Egypt, Ancient Rome and World War II. Using historical sources to find out about the past, developing their skills to compare and contrast time periods. They will build an understanding of how childhood has changed, while recognising that some aspects, such as play, family and learning can be similar.

Music

The children will be exploring different clapping patterns to develop our understanding of beat and rhythm.

Computing

The children will explore digital sounds, creating more professional sounds by editing software and using techniques including trimming and combining a number of sound files in layers, adding effects and levelling volume effectively.

French

Children will learn to recognise and name a variety of clothing items in French. They will develop their speaking and writing skills by using simple positive and negative sentences to explain which items they own and which they do not own.

Science

This half term the children will explore how sound is made and how it travels through solids, liquids and gases. They will also investigate how the loudness of a sound depends on the strength of the vibrations and how sounds become quieter as you move further away from the source as well as how some materials can block sound. They will also learn about pitch and how sounds can be high or low depending on the object producing them.

DT

We will explore mechanical systems by learning about levers and linkages. The children will design and make a moving mechanical creature, starting with annotated drawings and design ideas. They will include one moving part within their creature before evaluating what worked well and what they could improve.

PSHE

This half term, children will explore their personal identity, reflect on their successes, and set goals for the future. They will also learn to view mistakes positively and understand how to express their feelings, especially during times of change.

Enriching School Curriculum

Friday 5th June – Year 3 / 4 girls football tournament
Thursday 11th June – Sport's Day
Friday 12th June – Tiny Lives fundraiser
Sunday 14th June – WLFS Parkrun takeover
Tues 30th June & Wed 1st July– Year 4 Transition days
Thursday 2nd July – Year 3 at VGMS
Friday 3rd- Sunday 5th – Year 4 at Robinwood
Thursday 16th July – Leaver's Assembly