

Year 4 Summer 2 – Half Termly Overview

Misty Mountain Sierra

a cross-curricular project with a geography focus

based on the Cornerstones Curriculum 2014

Mighty mountains peak above the morning mist, imposing and eternal, rocky outcrops at their feet. Discover how these giants are formed, as a fold or a block, a dome or a plateau.



Subject	Focus
English	<p>Class reading book: The Hobbit (abridged version).</p> <p>Writing: Recount of trip to Box Hill and biography of a mountain climber.</p> <p>SPaG: Expanded noun phrase with preposition; fronted adverbial with comma; apostrophe for possessive 's' and plural 's'; use pronouns and nouns effectively; edit and proof reading.</p>
Mathematics	Adding & subtracting 4 digit numbers; multiplication word problems; short division problems. Measurement (converting between different units of measure; estimate, compare and calculate money; read, write and convert between analogue and digital time; solve problems involving time; measure and calculate perimeter and area); geometry (co-ordinates in the first quadrant; plot points and draw sides of polygons; translating positions).
Science	'States of Matter' – solids, liquids and gases.
Computing	Selection investigation using Scratch.
History	Not covered this half term
Geography	Human and physical geography of the UK; key aspects of mountains.
Art & Design	Adi (contour) weaving.
Design Technology	Not covered this half term
Physical Education	Dance Orienteering skills Athletics and sports day skills
PSHE	Facing new challenges; mountain safety
Music	Wider opportunities drum lessons,
French	Body parts and poetry

The Church

"The Church is the family of God, the People that God gathers in the whole world. This Church is the communion of Christ's disciples brought together in Christ its Head by the Holy Spirit. It is the Body of Christ, the Temple of the Spirit. As the People of God, the Church is drawn into Christ's praise of the Father and Christ's mission in the world."

Religious Education Curriculum Directory

Year 4 will learn that we all belong to a community. They will learn about different types of community and know what it means to belong to a community. They will develop their understanding of what it means to belong to community of the Church and know that people become a member of the Church through Baptism. The children will be introduced to the Creed – a statement of the Catholic faith and learn about the structure of the Church's liturgical year.

At Home:

You could help your children by:

- helping them with their parish project
- visiting www.tere.org/interactive_site/KS2link



Other Faiths

Islam: Muslim special events; fasting and festivals (Ramadan, Eid-ul-Fitr, Eid-ul-Adha)