Core Subjects

English

This half term, Year 4 students will be:

- Continuing to develop their reading, writing and verbal skills
- Participating in storytelling and performance poetry to express themselves
- Broadening their vocabulary and building up their confidence, fluency and expression when reading aloud
- Applying an increasing range of reading strategies to read, comprehend and respond to fiction and non-fiction texts
- Developing their writing and language
- Listening to, discussing and writing a range of poems, stories and non-fiction
- Grammar: Adverbs, tense, conjunctions.

Mathematics

Multiplication and division:

- Multiply and divide by 10/100.
- Related facts—multiplication and division.
- Informal and formal methods for multiplication.
- Multiply a 2/3 digit number by a 1 digit number.
- Use efficient methods; solve worded problems.

Measurement: length and perimeter

- Measure in km/m; equivalent lengths.
- Find and calculate the perimeter of rectilinear shapes and regular polygons.

RE

Jesus, the Teacher

- Know about the Presentation of Jesus in the Temple and His baptism and reflect on what His baptism means for us
- Learn about Jesus' disciples and be aware that we are also called to follow Jesus
- Think about the Good News that Jesus teaches
- Know some of the Parables Jesus taught and reflect on their meaning.

Science

States of Matter

- compare and group materials together, according to whether they are solids, liquids or gases
- observe that some materials change state when they are heated or cooled, and measure the temperature at which this happens
- identify the part played by evaporation and condensation in the water cycle.

Computing

- Create a chocolate wrapper using an art package (GIMP).
- Use the internet safely to research information.

Chocolate

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Foundation Subjects

History, Geography, Art, DT, Music, CST, PSHE and PE

- History: Learn about the history of chocolate in the UK and the key manufacturers including the Cadbury family
- Geography: Locate areas of cocoa production on world maps. Understand all aspects of the cocoa and chocolate trade including Fair trade and environmental impact including South America.
- Art & DT: Design and make a chocolate bar wrapper (cross curricular with computing)
- Music: .Enfield Sings
- PE: Gymnastics—Balance
- CST: Solidarity and Peace.
- RSE: What am I feeling? What am I thankful for?
- PSHE: What makes a community?

Events, assemblies, masses and educational visits

- PE Day/Games please see DB Primary for individual classes
- Reconciliation

 Monday 11th March
- Year 4 Mass at church—Friday 22nd March
- 4A Library visit January 25th