

**Slingsby Community Primary School – Spring first half term.  
Class 4 curriculum.**



Theme  
**People and Places**

**Geography & History**

People and Places

Children will compare disparate peoples and places in the UK, Europe, North America and South America. They will look at the local area and discover the similarities and differences between where they live and other locations (listed below). They will develop a range of skills in understanding key human and physical geography.

- Local area
- Grand Canyon
- Mexico
- Amazon Basin
- Peruvian Andes
- Alps

**Music**  
Sing  
Education

**Computing**

Y6 - Data and Information -  
Spreadsheets  
Computing will also be used  
to compliment other areas of  
the curriculum.

**Science**

Year 5 - Animals  
including humans

**French**

Year 5 Unit 13 - Ma  
famille (Family)

**Maths.**

Place Value and Mental Calculation.  
Geometry  
Written Calculations and Algebra  
Fractions, Decimals, Percentages, Ratio and  
Proportion (FDPRP)  
Measures and Statistics

**PE**

Invasion: Basketball  
Dance: Carnival

**RE and RSE/PSHE**

What matters most to Christians  
and Humanists? (North Yorks U2.7)  
Health and Wellbeing

**Art/DT**

Formal elements of Art: Architecture Art  
Artist focus: Banksy/Magdalene Odundo

**English**

Performance Poetry  
Instructions and Explanations (Non-  
Fiction)  
Stories with flashbacks (Fiction - Harry  
Potter books by J.K. Rowling)  
Non-chronological reports and journalistic  
writing (Non-Fiction)  
Free form poetry

- Class 4 will be taught by Miss Secker with teaching assistant support from Mrs Clarke and Mrs Newbert.
- Please try and listen to your child read each evening. In school, each week your child will be heard read once with a comprehension focus and once with an inference focus.
- Children will change their reading books when they have finished reading their current book.
- Spellings will be given to pupils every Tuesday and tested on the following Monday so they have the weekend to help learn them. Please encourage your child to complete their 'look, say, cover, write, check' grid and write a minimum of 3 interesting, extended sentences in their spelling homework books, using words from their list and a range of punctuation. The children can also use their spelling work books as a place to practice their times tables for their weekly test.
- All pupils have a copy of their Sumdog logins in the front inside page of their spelling homework books to allow them to access times tables and general maths practice at home. When an optional task becomes available, a notice will be written on the weekly spelling lists.
- Children will require their PE bags in school **all week** - including a pair of socks. PE sessions for Class 4 are timetabled to take place every Monday and Thursday.
- Please actively encourage your child to learn the multiplication tables thoroughly, as sound knowledge will help their confidence in many areas of mathematics.