

# Curriculum Overview

Our value this half-term is  
**LOVE.**



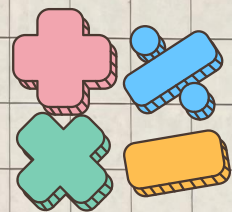
**Autumn 1 2026**

**Year 4 - Otters**

## Maths

We will be looking at:

- Place value
- Addition and subtraction
- Measurement
- Times tables
- Mental Maths skills
- Problem solving



## English

We will be focusing on:

- Handwriting
- Spelling, punctuation and grammar
- Narrative
- Letter writing
- Newspaper recounts

We are reading.....



## Science

We will be investigating:

Animals including humans

- Digestion
- Dental hygiene
- Teeth of carnivores, herbivores and omnivores
- Food chains

## PE

We will have PE on Tuesday & Thursday We will be focusing on:

- Tag rugby
- Gymnastics

## RE

How do non-religious people celebrate new life?

We will be looking at:

- Naming celebrations
- Humanist ceremonies
- Belonging and identity

## Art & Design

Craft and design: Fabric of nature

How can we use shapes to create patterns on fabric?



## PSHE

We will be learning about setting ground rules for PSHE lessons and health and well being



## Music

What sounds can we create with our body?

Body and tuned percussion

Dynamics, tempo, rhythm and pitch

## Geography



Why are rainforests important for us?.

- What and where are tropical rainforests
- What is the Amazon rainforest like?
- How are rainforests changing?
- How is the local woodland used?

# How to support at home

## Home learning

Daily reading

Support practicing Year 4 Spellings

Using the maths learning platforms to practice times tables (2, 3, 4, 5 and 10)

## Other resources

- National Geographic for Children website
- BBC Bitesize
- Roald Dahl stories

## Potential enrichment ideas

- Visit the Natural History Museum or the Living Rainforest
- Look at photos of your own naming ceremony or baptism with a special grown-up

**REMEMBER!**

We visit the **library** every **Tuesday**.

Thank you for partnership  
as co-educators.



We subscribe to these platforms to support learning at home.

