

English

- Spellings are looked at and learned each week following a spelling pattern based scheme.
- Grammar has a focus on punctuation, nouns, adjectives, verbs, and adverbs.
- Whose Crazy Idea poetry and adverts
- Ice egg story
- Newspaper article on current affairs
- Instructional texts – instructions for science investigations
- Snow/Materials comprehension
- Reading takes place individually where required and in the group or shared reading sessions. The focus is on comprehension skills.
- Handwriting lessons take place regularly throughout the term, using topic-related pieces for teaching and practice.

ICT

- Newspaper report– newspaper format, columns, headlines etc.
- Using the internet and living library as research tools
- Logit recording of temperature
- Developing skills in Power Point & Word

Maths

- *Place value and partitioning*
- *Multiplication, division,*
- *Fractions, decimals, including word problems*
- *Problem solving and investigations*
- Data handling, line graphs Carroll diagrams, Venn diagrams
- 2D shapes and 3D shapes revision
- Symmetry
- Reflection
- Co-ordinates

Material Mayhem! Year 4 Spring Term

SCIENCE

- Classification of materials
- Properties of materials-why that material is used
- Experiment to investigate solid-liquid-gas
- Insulation and evaporation
- Reversible & irreversible changes-melting, heating, mixing, dissolving
- Filtering and separating materials

Art

- Andy Warhol posters
- Still life sketching/charcoal
- Watercolour techniques
- Wire trees

Design and Technology

- Materials' hat parade
- Chocolate hedgehog cakes – emphasis on reversible and irreversible ingredients
- Crazy object

RE

- Discussion on importance of recycling and the implications of pollution
- Passover and Judaism
- Sharing and customs
- Thoughtful times

Music

- It's a gas song
- Iron Man composition
- Instruments of the orchestra

Days to look forward to!

- Trip to Science Museum
- End of term Science Exhibition