



## NEWTON BLUECOAT CHURCH OF ENGLAND PRIMARY SCHOOL – YEAR 4 CURRICULUM OVERVIEW

	AUTUMN				SPRING				SUMMER			
THEME/TOPIC	Electrical Report				Material facts				Places and Stories			
ENGLISH	Recount Newspaper, Fantasy, Poem on a theme, Information Booklet, Poems on Kennings/Cinquain				Persuasion- sales pitch, Film play script, Classic Poetry, Non-chronological report				Discussion-debate, Myth/Legend, Poem on a theme, Novel as a theme			
NOVELS	The midnight gang David Walliams		The nothing to see here hotel Steven Butler		Matilda Roald dahl		Pig Heart Boy Malorie Blackman		The lion the witch and the wardrobe C S Lewis		The Secret of Platform 13 Eva Ibbotson	
MATHS	<b>Number</b> Place Value	<b>Number</b> Add & Subtract	<b>Measure</b> Length & Perim	<b>Number</b> Mult & Division	<b>Number</b> Mult & Division	<b>Measure</b> Area	<b>Number</b> Fractions	<b>Number</b> Decimals	<b>Number</b> Decimals	<b>Measure</b> Money  Time	<b>Statistics</b>	<b>Geometry</b> Props of Shapes  Posit&Direct
SCIENCE	ELECTRICITY		SOUND		ANIMALS INCL HUMANS (Teeth & Digestion)		ANIMALS INCL HUMANS (Teeth & Digestion)		MATERIAL PROPERTIES & MATERIAL CHANGES (states of matter)		LIVING THINGS & THEIR HABITATS	
R.E	4.6 What is Prayer?		4.2 Christmas – Exploring the symbolism of light		4.3 Jesus son of God		4.4 Exploring Easter		4.5 Are all Churches the same?		4.1 God David and the Psalms	
ART & DESIGN	<b>Day of the Dead</b> Pencil skills – shading Oil pastels Watercolours  Art from other cultures – Mexico ARTIST: Jean Basquait – Street artist				<b>The Art of Food</b> Drawing skills – shading Observational drawing Oil and chalk pastels  ARTISTS: Matisse, Cezanne				<b>Aborigines</b>  Observational drawing and painting Painting on different surfaces  Art from other cultures - Aborigine			
COMPUTING	COMPUTING SYSTEMS AND NETWORKS – THE INTERNET		CREATING MEDIA – AUDIO EDITING		CREATING MEDIA – PHOTO EDITING		DATA AND INFORMATION – DATA LOGGING		PROGRAMMING A – REPETITION IN SHAPES		PROGRAMMING B – REPETITION IN GAMES	

<b>DESIGN &amp; TECHNOLOGY</b>	<b>Torches</b> Electrical systems		<b>Purses</b> Textiles		<b>The Great Bread Bake Off</b> Cooking	
<b>GEOGRAPHY</b>	Les animaux		Contrasting region in a European Country		Rivers	
<b>HISTORY</b>	THE PLAGUE		LEARY CONSTANTINE: BLACK HISTORY		ANCIENT EGYPT	
<b>FRENCH</b>			<b>Les animaux</b>  Classroom instructions Animals and colours Genders and adjectives Brown bear story Cultural understanding and celebrations		<b>Une histoire</b>  Days of the week The hungry caterpillar Dates and food from story Cultural understanding and celebration	
<b>MUSIC</b>	MAMA MIA - POP	CHRISTMAS CONCERT / NATIVITY	STOP! - GRIME	LEAN ON ME - GOSPEL	BLACKBIRD - BEATLES	REFLECT, REWIND, REPLAY – THE HISTORY OF MUSIC
<b>P.S.H.E</b>	What strengths, skills and interests do we have?	How do we treat each other with respect?	How can we manage our feelings?	How will we grow and change?	How can our choices make a difference to others and the environment?	How can we manage risk in different places?
<b>P.E</b>	Y3/Y4 – Dance – Sparks Might Fly	Y3/Y4 – Target Games – Dodgeball	Y4 – Gymnastic Activities 1	Y3/Y4 – Dance – The Great Plague	Y3/Y4 – Athletic Activities	Y4 – Target Games – Boccia
	<b>Character: Encouragement</b>	<b>Character: Self-Discipline</b>	<b>Character: Self-Motivation</b>	<b>Character: Responsibility</b>	<b>Character: Determination</b>	<b>Character: Reflection</b>
	Swimming 1	Swimming2	Swimming3	Swimming4	Y3/Y4 – Games – Net and Wall Unit	Y4 – Invasion Games – Basketball
	<b>Character: Courage</b>	<b>Character: Self-Motivation</b>	<b>Character: Communication</b>	<b>Character: Cooperation</b>	<b>Character: Concentration</b>	<b>Character: Determination</b>

