# Year 4 - Curriculum Information

LITERACY

<u>Finding out from Information Texts - Topic related</u> Use knowledge of organisational features to find information Make notes from information texts in different work Create and write information texts

<u>Fantasy Stories - Stimulus -How To Train Your Dragon - Class Reading Text</u> Read increasingly difficult texts with fluency Collect and understand new and challenging vocabulary Look at relationships between characters Examine how an author creates tension through writing Write a story with paragraphs with an invented fantasy character Look at text types inspired from reading

Weekly spellings

Group reading - See your individual Primary Pathways books for instructions on your book

## NUMERACY

Use written calculation methods to multiply as column multiplication Use written calculation methods to divide by 'chunking' (long division and short division methods) Reinforce multiplication facts of the 7,8,9 and 12 times tables to recall more rapidly Carry out mathematical investigation and solve mathematical problems Investigate shapes and their properties Solve problems involving money and measurements

<u>ICT</u>

Use the internet to support learning in numeracy and topic lessons. Learn to use technology safely, responsibly, respectfully; learn about acceptable and unacceptable behaviour through using 'Think You Know' games and video resources online. Design, write and de bug programs using hopscotch, purple mash programming resources

## SPAIN and MAPPING

Use atlases to identify key countries of Europe. Locate cities, rivers and mountain ranges within the British Isles. Carry out a study on Spain by looking at geographical features such as cities, rivers, mountains. Find out about daily life in Spain, food and the school day. Explore food that is exported from Spain and the impact of football on the country.

## <u>R.E.</u>

Looking at the different religions and beliefs that are represented in our local community.

## PSHE -

Learning about good manners and showing respect for people, places and animals. Learn how to solve conflicts and managing our feelings through discussing relationships at playtime, sharing good news and solving issues. Teach activities for use on the playground, provide a games list, learn new clapping patterns.