



# Roby Park Half Term Curriculum Overview

Year 4 Summer 2 2016

## English

- Author study, **Roald Dahl**. On-going.
- Water **poetry**.
- Diary writing.
- **Non -Fiction**: Researching **information** about water sources.
- **Persuasion** how to conserve water.
- Presenting work in various ways, including multi-media presentations and mini-books.
- **Explanation** of science investigation. Explaining the natural and man-made water cycles.

## Physical Education

Athletics skills: Track and field events including sprinting, relay, long distance running and long jump. Evaluating performance and understanding commitment to this subject. **P.E. kit in for ½ term**

## French

Basic conversation skills including Words linked to; Le Monde (The World), transport, cardinal directions and journeys.

## Music

- **Wider opportunities** Ukulele tuition. Playing a musical instrument, understanding vocabulary and singing. **Tuesday a.m.**

## Science, History, Geography, Art, D&T and ICT

- **States of Matter**: investigating **reversible** and **irreversible** materials.
- **Geography**: The natural water cycle and the man-made water cycle.
- **Using media** to show how water treatment provides us with clean drinking water.
- **Art**: Working on drawing/painting from various scales.
- **Computing**: Interface designing.
- **A group investigation and persuasive poster of how to appreciate and conserve water**. Focus on global issues with water wastage.
- **Presentational skills**: using a variety of ways to publish completed work.

## Mathematics

- **All four number operations** to be worked on weekly with age related targets used as a focus for progression.
- Measures in context of topic; length of a swimming pool, area of a garden pond measuring a puddle.
- Mental maths strategies for number work and multiplication table tasks. Main focus 9x table.
- Problem solving tasks related to topic e.g. **capacity activities**.
- Geometry linked to topic.
- Statistics linked to topic. Compile surveys linked to **water usage**.

## British Values and RE

- Mutual Respect
- Cultural diversity, social and religious.
- Special places

## Homework

- **English/Maths**: Homework is set to consolidate spelling and mental maths skills taught in class. Sent out on a **Friday** to be returned the following **Tuesday**. Homework club is offered on Friday 3-4pm.
- **Reading**: To be practiced regularly. Books are **changed when necessary**.