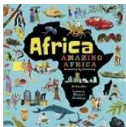
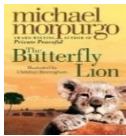


Year 4 Curriculum Web – Spring 2 (2026)

Writing and Reading	   This half term we will be reading both fiction and non-fiction texts, 'Africa' by Atinuke and 'The Butterfly Lion' by Michael Morpurgo. We will also learn and perform poems from the book 'Bright Bursts of Colour' by Matt Goodfellow. In our writing lessons, we will focus on writing to entertain by writing description, poetry and narratives.	Science	<u>Sound and Vibration</u> We will learn how sounds are made and heard through different mediums. We will explain how vibration strength affects volume, how volume changes with distance, and how pitch can be altered. We will also explore how insulating materials muffle sound and observe how instruments produce sound.	Music	<u>Lean On Me</u> Our focus is Gospel music and in particular the song: 'Lean on Me'. We will learn about rhythm, pulse and beat of the music. The children will continue to have their weekly keyboard lessons.
		Art/Design	<u>Design and Technology</u> The children will explore the function and design criteria of a bag and order the process and main stages of making a product. They will consider shape, size and appropriate materials for creating a bag.	Computing	<u>Data logging</u> The children will consider how and why data is collected over time. They will collect data, look at data points, data sets, and logging intervals. They will also learn how computers can use special input devices called sensors.
Maths	<u>Coordinates</u> We will practise using grids to mark the position of points specified by coordinates and write coordinates for already-marked points. We will translate polygons according to given instructions and describe the movement left/right and up/down of a polygon which has already been translated. We will move objects including polygons on a grid according to directions and mark the new position.	PE	<u>Football</u> We will enhance our sending and receiving skills whilst learning to both improve our accuracy and increase our ability to score points. We will learn how to keep possession of the ball whilst performing key skills such as dribbling and improve our teamwork, speed and endurance whilst moving into space. In addition to this, the children will continue their weekly SOUL sessions with Coach Daniel.	RE	<u>Christianity</u> We will learn about Jesus and why he is a significant religious figure. The children will explore how relevant the stories/parables that Jesus told are today. They will also investigate the miracles that Jesus performed and learn about why Easter is important to Christians, what the Christian holy book is and how it is used.
Geography	<u>Europe - A Focus on Spain</u> The children will be learning about countries in Europe with a focus on Spain. They will explore the traditions and culture of Spain, its climate and trade links with the UK. Children will be able to use their prior knowledge and understanding of Spain and the Spanish language within these lessons.	PSHE	<u>Economic Wellbeing</u> The children will learn about money, how to keep track of it and how it can be lost. They will learn about the world of work and understand potential career changes. The children will also explore positive and negative factors that can affect the economy.	Spanish	<u>The Human Body</u> We will look at parts of the body and focus on parts of the face. Exploring new vocabulary for the human body, we will learn how to pronounce, write and use new words in a sentence. We will continue practicing verbally and writing in full, complete sentences.