

Cherry Orchard Year 4 Curriculum Overview 2026-27

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
English	Charlie and the Chocolate Factory (JC unit). Story (entertain) Description of a new chocolate bar (persuade)	Penguins JC unit Non chronological report about penguins (inform) Cross-curricular writing: Non-chronological report about electricity (inform)	The Enchanted Wood. Write their own chapter. (entertain) Write a diary entry as a Roman soldier (entertain)	The Enchanted Wood. Write a short adventure story of their own land. (entertain) Write a set of instructions on how to make a stuffed pepper (inform)	Write a poem about earthquakes. (entertain)	Write an informal letter to persuade a character from The Enchanted Wood to visit Cherry Orchard (persuade)
Maths	Review of column addition and subtraction; Numbers to 10,000; Perimeter; 3, 6, 9 times tables		7 times table and patterns; Understanding and manipulating multiplicative relationships; Co-ordinates		Review of fractions; Fractions greater than 1	Symmetry in 2D shapes; Time; Division with remainders
Art	Drawing: Exploring tone, texture and proportion		Painting & mixed media: Light and dark		Sculpture and 3D: Mega materials	
Computing	The internet	Audio editing	Repetition in shapes	Online Safety	Repetition in games	Word Processing skills (Microsoft Word)
DT	Moving Toys		Seasonal Food		STEM project Electronic Games	
Geography	The Rhine and the Mediterranean	Population	Coastal process and landforms	Tourism	Earthquakes	Deserts
History	Roman Republic	Roman Empire	Roman Britain	Christianity in 3 Empires	Arabia and Early Islam	The Rise of Islam
MFL	Introductions: singular 'être', 'avoir', and regular adjectives Activities: singular regular -ER verbs		What I and others like: opinion verbs	People, places, things: adjective agreement, subject pronouns 'it'		What I and others like doing: 2-verb phrases
Music	Lean On Me	Glockenspiel 2	Stop!	Mamma Mia/Eid assembly	Blackbird	The Show Must Go On
PE	Football and Fundamentals	OAA and Gymnastics	Balls Skills and Dance	Tennis and Fitness	Athletics and yoga	Rounders and Fitness
PSHE	My Happy Mind - Meet Your Brain	My Happy Mind - Celebrate; Anti-bullying week; Children in Need	My Happy Mind - Appreciate; Safer Internet Day; Online Safety	My Happy Mind - Relate; Comic Relief; Online Safety	Yasmin and Tom curriculum - RHE NSPCC - Pants	
RE	The family of Jesus	The birth of Jesus	The life and teachings of Jesus	Death and Resurrection of Jesus	The message of Jesus spreads	Islam 1 Ramadan
Science	Electricity		Animals, Including Humans (digestive system and teeth)	Living Things and Their Habitats	States of Matter	Sound

