Claygate Primary School

Year 4 Autumn term 2 2026

Week/Topic	*Week 1*	*Week 2*	*Week 3*	*Week 4*	*Week 5*	*Week 6*	*Week 7*
English	To persuade NCR Visit Rome	To persuade NCR Visit Rome	Pompeii setting description	Letter writing Escape from Pompeii	Non-fiction – Instruction writing	Non-fiction – Instruction writing	Gladiator historical fiction
R4M	Features of persuasive writing (travel brochures)	To predict	To compare texts	To justify opinions	To retrieve	Performance poetry	Performance poetry
Spelling	The suffix '-ation' is added to verbs to form nouns.	The suffix '-ation' is added to verbs to form nouns.	Adding –ly to adverbs.	Adding '-ly' to to turn an adjective into an adverb when the final letter is 'l.'	Word with the 'sh' sound spelled ch. These words are French in origin.	Challenge words	Revision
Mathematics	Measurement - area	Multiplication and division	Multiplication and division	Multiplication and division	Multiplication and division	Multiplication and division	Assessments
Science *Sound*	How are sounds made?	How do sounds travel?	Explore sound insulation	Explore volume	Explore pitch	Explore sounds from near and far?	Assessment
Computing *Further coding with Scratch*	Exploring variables and conditions	Using conditions and sensors	Planning a game	Programming a game	Evaluating a game	Evaluation	
Design & Technology *Adapting a recipe*	Taste testing a recipe	Following a basic recipe	To make and test a prototype	Final design and budget	Packaging	Quiz and knowledge catcher	DT DAY Slingshot cars
History *Roman Empire*	Roman army	Julius Caesar	Augustus the first	Emperors Claudius	Pompeii	Jewish Roman War	Assessment
Geography *Population*	What is population?	Migration	Multi-ethnic London	Multi-ethnic Cardiff	Welsh language and culture	Welsh and British identities	Assessment
Outdoor PE **Basketball**	How can you dribble a call?	How can you pass and receive the ball?	How can you use footwork in basketball?	How can you move into a space?	How can you shoot into a target?	How can you work as part of a team?	
Indoor PE **Gymnastics**	How can you travel in different ways?	How can you perform a teddy bear roll?	How can you perform matching mirror balances?	How can you perform a bunny hop on apparatus?	How can you perform a sequence on mats?	How can you choose elements to make a sequence?	How can you communicate with your group when creating a sequence?
MFL [Rigolo 8] **Free-time activities and telling the time**	Talking about activities	Further practice in talking about activities	Telling the time	Talking about what time you do activities	Revision	Revision	Assessment

RE *The birth of Jesus*	The New Testament introduces Jesus' birth	The first Christmas	The shepherds visit Jesus	The wise men visit Jesus	Mary and Joseph escape to Egypt	Why are these stories important to Christians?	Assessment
PSHE *Healthy me*	My friends and me	Group dynamics	Smoking	Alcohol	Healthy Friendships	Celebrating my inner strength and assertiveness	
Enrichment	Aspen: Basketball Pine: MFit						