

# ST. GEORGE'S Year 4 Autumn Term Plan

## English

Here we are - Oliver Jeffers - writing our own poems based around ourselves and our favourite places

Roald Dahl - a study of the author's work focussing mainly on the book 'The Witches'.

Poetry - looking at poems which use similes and other simple images to create a vivid picture for the reader.

Stories from other cultures - narrative stories from different places around the world.

## FRENCH:

Introducing myself - using je m'appelle.

Animals - Naming common animals and describing how they look

## Computing:

Purple Mash - Writing for different audiences

## ART:

Children will study the work of Paul Klee and Pablo Picasso and then will produce their own art work in the style of these artists.

## MUSIC:

The children will listen to, review music and will also use instruments to compose and perform their own creations.

**Maths:** General number skills - Place Value, Addition, Subtraction, Multiplication and Division.  
(Focus on times tables up to 12x)  
Measures- capacity, mass  
Shape- properties of 2D and 3D shapes  
Investigations and problem solving.

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### PE Indoor:

Real PE - The focus for this unit of work is cognitive skills, with a physical focus on dynamic balance and coordination

### PE Outdoor:

Tag Rugby

### P.S.H.E:

SCARF scheme - **Safety**  
Children will learn about ways to keep themselves safe and learn strategies to gain a growth mindset.

Growth Mindset activities - developing independent thinking skills and a positive and hardworking mindset.

## Science

**States of Matter** - The children will compare and group materials together, according to whether they are solids liquids or gasses. They will observe that some materials change state when they are heated or cooled and measure or research the temperature at which this happens in degrees Celsius. They will identify the part played by evaporation and condensation in the water cycle and associate the rate of evaporation with temperature.

**HUMANITIES: St Lucia** - a study of the Caribbean island, including aspects such as home life, school life and tourism. Map skills, continents, oceans, physical and human geography.

**DT:** Food technology - making and tasting food from another country (St Lucia)

### RE:

**1st half term** - How special is the relationship Jews have with God?

**2nd half term** - What is the most significant part of the Nativity story for Christians today?