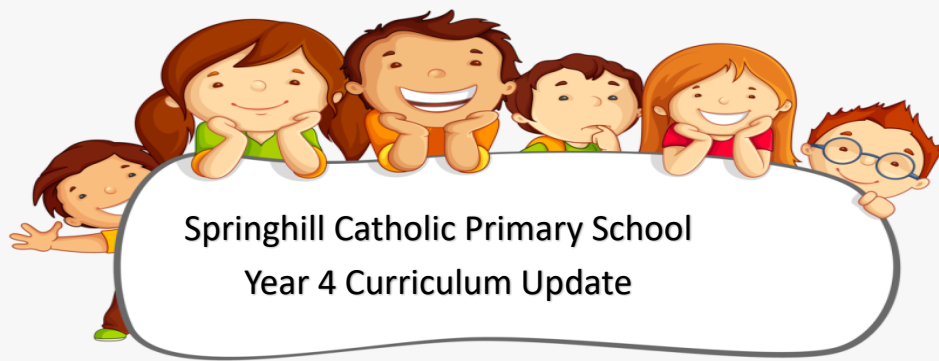




The water that I will give them will become a spring of water within, welling up to eternal life.
JOHN 4:14



Springhill Catholic Primary School Year 4 Curriculum Update

Summer 1 —2024

Dear parents and carers,

Welcome to our summer 1 newsletter which will give you a flavour of what your child will be learning and experiencing in year 4 in the lead up to the May Half term.

Dear Year 4 Parents/ Guardians,

I hope you all had a wonderful Easter and that you managed to get some rest.

Here is some information about what we will be teaching in year 4 this half term —we are looking forward to the term ahead.

In **RE**, we will be learning about Easter and Pentecost. There is more detailed information in the RE newsletter which was sent home before the holidays.

For **reading** lessons, we are continuing to work on fluency, speed and stamina as well as inference skills. Our class novel continues to be *The Explorer* by Katherine Rundell. Please remember that children must be reading for 20 minutes at home each day.

This half term, the children will be **writing** time slip stories and information leaflets.

In **maths** we are focussing on fractions and decimals and then will move into money and time. It will be really helpful if you could start reminding your children how to tell the time. The children are also practising hard for their timetables assessment. They need to know all their timestables from 1-12s.

We are learning about animals (including humans) in **science** and the children will also look at animals as part of their upcoming residential.

For **PSHE**, the children will be learning about money and work. They will learn about—how our interests and skills link to future jobs, recognise positive things about themselves and their achievements; recognise some of the skills that will help them in their future careers; identify the kind of job that they might like to do when they are older

In **music**, the children are taught by a music specialist teacher—Mr Wyatt. They will be learning about rests and beats.

As well as a continued focus on online safety, Miss Gallagher's **computing** lessons will continue to focus on data and data logging as well as then working on media.

For **PE**, we will be developing our gym skills. We have a trained gym coach who will be coming in to teach gymnastics. Please remind your child to bring their full PE kit into school every week.

As always, please do not hesitate to get in touch if you have any questions. We are happy to help in any way we can.

Many thanks for your continued support

Mrs Lacey

Please remember to read daily with your child and complete the reading challenge. Daily reading will ensure your child has the best start in life.