



# Year 4 Curriculum Overview 2025-2026

St Margaret Clitherow Academy

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Main Focus	Changing landscape of Nottingham	The Ancient Greeks	Rivers	Romans	Krakow compared with Nottingham	Benin
Text	The Whale	Leaf	Arthur and the Golden Rope	The Lost happy Endings	The Journey	Manfish
English	<p>Writing to entertain Setting a narrative</p> <p>Writing to inform A newspaper report</p>	<p>Writing to entertain – Outsider Narrative</p> <p>Writing to inform An information report</p>	<p>Writing to entertain Myth narrative</p> <p>Writing to inform Information guide</p>	<p>Writing to entertain - Twisted narrative</p> <p>Writing to persuade Persuasive letter</p>	<p>Writing to entertain Refugee narrative</p> <p>Writing to inform Diary</p>	<p>Writing to entertain Invention narrative</p> <p>Writing to inform Biography</p>
Maths	<p>Number and Place Value</p> <p>Number - Addition and Subtraction</p> <p>Number - Multiplication and Division</p> <p>Measure – Perimeter and Area</p>		<p>Number – Multiplication and division</p> <p>Fractions</p> <p>Decimals and percentages</p> <p>Geometry - Angles</p>		<p>Number – Money and decimals</p> <p>Geometry – Properties of Shapes</p> <p>Geometry – Position and Direction</p> <p>Measurement – Converting Units</p> <p>Measurement - Time</p>	
R.E	<p>Creation and Covenant</p> <p>Why is Abraham seen as a model of prayer?</p> <p>Prophecy and Promise</p> <p>How did the prophets help prepare for the coming of Christ?</p> <p>Other faiths – Judaism and Sikhism</p>		<p>Galilee to Jerusalem</p> <p>How can I be compassionate like Jesus?</p> <p>Desert to Garden</p> <p>How do the words and life of Christ speak to and guide Christians today?</p> <p>Other faiths – Hinduism and Islam</p>		<p>To the Ends of the Earth</p> <p>How can examining our conscience help us recognise when we have sinned and hurt others and how can we change?</p> <p>Dialogue and Encountering other faiths</p> <p>Why is the whole Bible important for Christians?</p> <p>Other faith Buddhism</p>	
Science	<p>Animals including humans</p> <p>Teeth and digestive system</p>	<p>All living things and their habitats.</p> <p>Classification keys to group and identify</p>	<p>States of Matter</p> <p>Name and change</p>		<p>Sound</p>	<p>Electricity</p>

Computing	Computing and networks Collaborative learning Google Microsoft office 365	Programming Further coding with scratch	Data Handling Investigating weather	Programming 2 Computational thinking	Online safety Knowing how to be safe on online platforms	
History		Ancient Greeks	Game creator	Unit 5.5 Modelling Concept maps		Benin
Geography	Changing landscape of Nottingham(shire)		Rivers		Comparing Krakow with Nottingham	
PE	Cricket	Football	Dance	Gymnastics	Athletics	Tennis
MFL	¿Tienes Una Mascota? <i>Do you have a pet?</i> <i>Classroom objects and Pencil case items</i>	¿Qué Fecha Es Hoy? <i>What is the date?</i>	¿ Qué tiempo hace? <i>What is The Weather Like?</i>		Los Romanos <i>The Romans</i>	Hábitats <i>Habitats (progressive)</i>
Art and Design	Tone and perspective Shading		Light and dark Experimenting with painting techniques		Sculpture 3d mega materials	
Design and Technology	Food technology Healthy balanced meal Following and adapting a recipe		Wood work skills Design and make a structure – link with Ancient Greek and Roman structures		Electrical link - Torches	
Preparation for Life in Modern Britain	Judaism – Respect and Tolerance Class Contract – Rule of Law SMC golden rule - Rule of Law Class council elections - democracy		Internet Safety Day – Individual Liberty Road Safety – Rule of Law Chinese New Year – Mutual Respect Celebrating female scientists -		PSHE – Mutual Respect, Rule of Law, Individual Liberty The choice to vote – Individual Liberty	
Opportunities for extended writing	Science – David Attenborough Who invented frozen food report  Geography and History – a tourist guide to Nottingham		Science – The life of Marie Curie Geography and History - The diary of a salmon's life A report on what The Romans gave Britain RE -explore inspirational figures		Science A biography on Faraday Geography and History – Letters from Europe A balanced argument on the Benin figures RE – a leaflet on other faiths	