



# St Edmund's Catholic Primary School

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## CURRICULUM OUTLINE / CLASSROOM ORGANISATION YEAR 4 SEPTEMBER 2023

Dear Parents,

We value the support of parents in encouraging their children to do their best in all their work at school. Below are the topics, which your child will be exploring during the course of this year.

<p><b>Autumn</b>  <b>Science</b> - Animals, including Humans (digestion)  Electricity  <b>History</b> - Ancient Greece  Remembrance/ Local history  <b>Geography</b> – Europe and its Continents</p>	<p><b>Spring</b>  <b>Science</b> – Sound  Solids, Liquids &amp; Gases    <b>History</b> – The Roman Empire    <b>Geography</b> – Ordnance Survey maps</p>	<p><b>Summer</b>  <b>Science</b> – States of Matter / The Water Cycle  Living Things &amp; their Habitats    <b>Geography</b> - Rivers</p>
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In Mathematics and English your child will be developing their skills in the following areas:

<p><b>Maths</b>  <b>Number</b> - Place Value  Addition and Subtraction – 4 digit numbers  Multiplication and Division up to 3-digit numbers using up to 12 x 12 facts  Fractions – including adding &amp; subtracting  Decimals – up to 2 decimal places    <b>Measurement</b> – Area, length and perimeter, money and time  <b>Geometry</b> – Shape, Position &amp; Direction  <b>Statistics</b></p>	<p><b>English</b>  Myths &amp; Legends - Greek Myths  Information texts/biography– The Story of the Olympics  Reverso poems about Greek Myths – Marilyn Singer    Remembrance Poetry  Non-chronological report /Information Text – European country    Newspaper Reports -Escape From Pompeii – Christina Balit  Diary Entry – the Thieves of Ostia – Caroline Lawrence    Poetry – Once Upon a Raindrop – James Carter  Persuasive Text – letter/poster    Narrative – Little Foxes – Michael Morpurgo  Playscript - The Wind in the Willows – Kenneth Grahame  Explanation Text – River features</p>
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Through the use of the 'Come and See' RE scheme your child will be covering the following areas of development.

<p><b>Autumn</b>  People - The Family of God in Scripture  Called - Confirmation: the call to witness  Judaism  Gift - Gift of Jesus</p>	<p><b>Spring</b>  Community  Giving and Receiving  Self-Discipline  Celebrating Growth to New Life</p>	<p><b>Summer</b>  New Life  Building Bridges - Reconciliation  Islam  God's People - Saints</p>
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**In all these curriculum areas it is important to discuss with your child what they have been doing and use any available opportunity to support and extend their learning.**



For PE, please ensure that your child comes in to school in their PE kit on the day indicated below.

MONDAY	✓
TUESDAY	
WEDNESDAY	✓
THURSDAY	
FRIDAY	

Please ensure that your child reads regularly and note any reading in their reading records. A parent/carer signature is also required.

Homework will be set on Seesaw from Monday 11<sup>th</sup> September. Please see days below and upload the work where necessary.

	<b>Homework</b>
Monday	Spellings (for Friday)
Tuesday	
Wednesday	
Thursday	Maths (for Tuesday)
Friday	RE – reflection with parent/ carer when suitable

### **Trips**

**Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> October** – Chertsey Museum Ancient Greek Workshop

**Friday 1<sup>st</sup> March tbc**– Fishbourne Roman Palace

**Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup>- Friday 26<sup>th</sup> April** – Sayers Croft residential

**Friday 21<sup>st</sup> June tbc** – Life of Christ at Wintershall

**Bikeability Year 4** – Monday 11<sup>th</sup> March, Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> March and Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> March  
(10 children each day)

Thank you in advance for your continuous support. Please don't hesitate to contact us through the school office.

With kindest regards,

Mrs J Holden/ Mrs C Field  
Year 4 Classteachers