



Curriculum content
Elm class
Autumn 1 2025

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Reading records in	Reading records in PE	Reading records in PE Homework is due in today.	Reading records in	Reading records in Spelling and Times Tables tests. Homework handed out.

P.E. will take place every Tuesday and Wednesday, children need P.E. kits in school at all times. Children in Elm are expected to spend at least 10 minutes a day at home doing daily reading, spellings practice and times tables practice. Please fill in their reading journal each time they read on Bug Club, their reading journal should be kept in their school bag.

Maths	English	Science
In maths, we will be using the Power Maths scheme. This half-term we are focusing on place value and addition and subtraction. Year 4 children will also begin working towards their MTC (Multiplication Tables Check) which takes place in the summer term. On the maths page of the school website, there are links to resources to help with this.	In English we will be looking at two key fictional texts – Arthur and the Golden Rope – Joe Todd Stanton (Book unit), covering Narrative, persuasive letter, diary entry. Crazy Hair – Neil Gaiman, (Book unit), covering Narrative, poetry, rhyming patterns, direct speech. There will also be weekly comprehension, spellings and Grammar work each week.	Our science topic for this half-term is Animals, inc. Humans - Habitats and Classification .
RE	Computing	History
Our RE lessons will look at homes and their significance and promises, the ones we make and how difficult it is to keep them.	In computing this half-term, we will learn about HTML and how to use it to create web elements.	Our topic focus is Britain's Settlement by the Anglo Saxons and the Scots.
Geography	Music	French
We will study a geography unit next half term.	In music this half-term we will be looking at the song Let your Sprit fly.	In French we will begin with the topic 'This is me' and be able to introduce ourselves and describe ourselves in French.
PSHCE/RSHE	PE	Art and DT
We will be covering the following: Caritas in Action Theme 1: Dignity of the Human Person. My Happy Mind: Module 1 - Meet your Brain. British Values Democracy. National Coding Week and Show Racism the Red Card.	We will use a new scheme of work from PE passport and look at dance and the use of space. We will also have basketball taught by a team from Burnley Football Club.	The focus this half term is Design and Technology and building structures, in particular Pavillions.