



Year 4 Parent Planner - Spring 2026 - How do we switch off?



AREAS OF LEARNING

As **Readers** we will explore a range of text types, developing a deeper understanding and learning skills needed to deduce information using clues within the text. We will also make justified predictions and develop our questioning skills. Our class text for Term 3 is 'The Wind in the Willows' by Kenneth Grahame.

As **Writers** we will identify key features of text types and apply them within our own writing. The key text types that we will focus on include a diary entry from the point of view of Mole or Rat, and then using pages from the story we will make some black out poetry..

As **Mathematicians** we will develop a deeper understanding of the 3,6,7 and 9 times tables as well as beginning to look at understanding and manipulating multiplicative relationships. We will be continuing our mastering numbers sessions as part of our times tables practice.

As **Scientists** we will continue to develop our science skills through investigations. We will consider what electricity is, where energy comes from, and the differences between renewable and non-renewable energy.

As **Geographers** we will consider the impact of energy sources on the environment, and look at access to electricity across different parts of the world.

As **Geographers** we will be building simple series circuits and designing wind turbines in a STEM project.

As **Sportspeople** we will develop our knowledge and skills in dance. We will also be able to play hockey and build our passing skills.

As **Computer Scientists** we will be focussing on Programming using a software called Scratch 2.

The big question we will investigate in RE is:
How does the story of Rama and Sita inspire Hindus to follow their dharma?