Year 4 Autumn 2

In RE, our topic is Prophets and Promise. We will learn about Elijah and John the Baptist. The focus will be on Matthew's gospel as we try to gain a deeper understanding of the scripture.

As artists, we will focus on texture, tone and how our choice of materials affects the mood of a piece.

In PE we will be outside for both sessions.
Monday – Basketball – increase confidence of basic skills such as dribbling and shooting.
Friday – Handball – basic rules of handball including the 3 step rule, defensive and attacking tactics.

English & maths homework
Out Monday
Due in Friday

In Geography, we will continue to focus on rivers. We will discuss flooding and what the short- and long-term effect can be. We will also learn about erosion and deposition.

In Guided Reading we will be focusing on retrieval and defining words – thinking about using the text to work out meaning of unfamiliar words.

As scientists we will be focusing on sound. Learning about how sounds are made, how sound travels and how we can alter the pitch of a sound.

As writers we will write an innovated ending to the story flotsam focusing on 1st person writing style. We will also be creating a set of instructions, as a recipe, for making Christmas biscuits.

In computing, we will be focusing on coding. We will be learning how to design, code, test and debug our own original code.

As mathematicians we will be focusing on multiplication and division. Recapping and learning our times tables, as well as developing an understanding of the formal written method for multiplication.

As musicians we will continue our diocesan singing as well as continuing to play the recorder. We will be consolidating previous learning, while learning new notes and applying them into new and exciting songs.

In D&T, we will research, design, make Christmas biscuits, which we will then evaluate after we have made and eaten them.