













Bonneygrove Primary School

Year Four Curriculum Newsletter



Summer Term One 2026

Mr Klein and Miss Weingarten

English		Maths	
In English, we will be focusing on a unit of discussion texts, where children will learn to develop ideas for and against a question, such as 'Should children wear school uniform?' This will be followed by narrative, where the children will consolidate previous learning.		In Maths, we will be learning about fractions and decimals. We will understand tenths and hundredths and the place value of decimals.	
Reading		Science	
We are reading the book 'Varjak Paw' and will be using this to retrieve answers, infer information that isn't clear in the text and identify new vocabulary.		In Science, we are going to be learning about classification. Within this unit, children will learn about how animals adapt to their habitat and how we sort animals into different groups according to their features.	
Art		History	
We will be using techniques such as blending, to create gradients. We will then add depth to the pictures, by using silhouettes.		In history, we will be exploring Crime and Punishment as our Summer unit. We will learn about medieval punishments and how they compare to modern methods.	
Religious Education		Personal, Social, Health and Economic Education (PSHE)	
We will be focusing on the religion of Buddhism, with a focus on the question: What is the best way for a Buddhist to lead a good life? We will explore the Eightfold Path and how Buddhists use this to lead a good life.		Our topic for PSHE is called 'Relationships.' We will explore jealousy in friendships and how to overcome this, along with memories and celebrating relationships with others.	
Modern Foreign Languages: Spanish		Physical Education	
In this unit, the children will have the knowledge and skills to make a presentation about their own/a fictitious family in both spoken and written form in Spanish.		In Year Four, Lewis class will be swimming this half term. Both classes will take part in athletics lessons in their PE lessons this term, in preparation for Sports Day.	



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Computing		Music	
We will learn about keyboard skills, using both hands to type. They will learn to touch type, and use a word processor.		All the learning is focused around one song: Blackbird by the Beatles. Children will learn to listen and appraise different music, and progress to learning and performing the song.	
Key Dates			
Every Thursday- book bonanza Half term: Monday 25 th May – Monday 29 th May 2026			