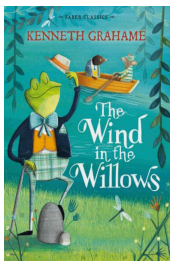
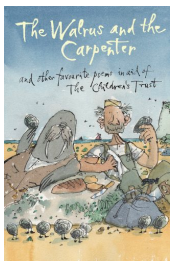
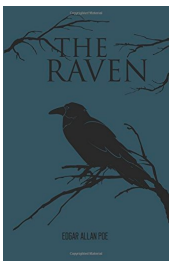
FLORENCE MELLY COMMUNITY PRIMARY SCHOOL
YEAR 4 CURRICULUM OVERVIEW 2023/24
IF YOU CAN DREAM IT, YOU CAN DO IT!

Year 4 Curriculum Map - Summer Term 2024 (Second Half-Term)

Year 4		7 Week Half Term (Monday 3rd June - Friday 19th July 2024)						
		03/06/24	10/06/24	17/06/24	24/06/24	01/07/24	08/07/24	15/07/24
Cultural Capital Curriculum	**Our Core Value Theme for the Half-Term**	EMPOWERMENT						
	Whole-School Theme of the Fortnight	**PSHE Theme (Health and Wellbeing)** Growing and Changing			**SMSC Theme** Fundamental British Values - Individual Liberty		**PSHE Theme (Living in the Wider World)** Money and Work	
	Alternative Focus	Pride Month		World Refugee Week	World Refill Week (Recycling)		Celebrating Our Achievements	
	Whole-School Mental Health Focus Theme for the Half-Term	FIVE WAYS TO WELLBEING			INTRODUCE THESE FIVE SIMPLE STRATEGIES INTO YOUR LIFE & YOU WILL FEEL THE BENEFITS **Whole-school celebration day:** Monday 1st July 2024			

	Core Text(s)			Reading	Writing	Maths	Science
Core Curriculum				**The Wind in the Willows by Kenneth Grahame** Heritage narrative text with an essential cultural reference. Classic adventure story featuring anthropomorphism and rich, challenging language. Themes of adventure and friendship. **The Walrus and the Carpenter by Lewis Carroll** Heritage narrative poem by a seminal poet. Themes of sentimentality, cruel motives and persuasion. **The Raven by Edgar Allan Poe** Heritage narrative poem by a seminal poet with an implicit reference to mental health. Archaic and challenging language. Themes of mental health, grief, mourning and memories of the deceased.	Critical analysis of narrative poetry News reports Explanatory texts	Critical content recap/ Target specific areas identified through the assessment process as needing additional teaching time	Sound
	The Wind in the Willows by Kenneth Grahame	The Walrus and the Carpenter by Lewis Carroll	The Raven by Edgar Allan Poe				

Broad and Balanced Curriculum	**Humanities**	**History** - The achievements of the earliest civilisations - Ancient Egypt
	Art and Design/Design Technology	**Design Technology** - Shell Structures - The ultimate product challenge!
	Religious Education	Living (Religious practices and ways of living; questions about values and commitments) What can we learn from religions about deciding what is right and wrong?
	Physical Education	Net and Wall Games - Badminton
	Computing	Pixel art - Pupils create a piece of pixel artwork using a grid format.
	Music	The Show Must Go On! How Does Music Connect Us with the Environment?
	Spanish	Spanish Culture Topic and Revisit themes/revision de todos los contenidos