

English

For our first week in English, we read *The Day the Crayons Quit* and used it as inspiration to write persuasive letters from the perspective of different inanimate objects. The children included rhetorical questions and persuasive techniques, layering their skills to create effective persuasive letters.

★ Star Writer ★ - George E
✎ Handwriting Hero ✎ - Ranveer

📖 Text next week: 📖

The Lion and the Mouse



Maths

In Maths this week, we have begun our *Place Value* unit, exploring numbers within 1,000 and 10,000. The children have been representing and partitioning numbers, using number lines to 1,000 and developing their understanding of thousands.

Year 4

Autumn 1 2026



Week 1

RE

This week in RE, we started our new topic, *Creation and Covenant*. The children learned about Abraham and explored the historical context of his life, including his journey from Ur and God's special covenant with him. Through maps, discussions and storytelling, they developed their understanding of why God's call to Abraham is such an important part of salvation history and what it teaches us about God's relationship with His people.

Science

In Science this week, we explored the human digestive system, learning about the different parts, including the mouth, oesophagus, stomach, and small and large intestines. The children discovered how these organs work together to break down food, absorb nutrients and remove waste from the body.

Gold Book

★ Luca ★

What a wonderful start to Year 4!
You have worked hard, shown respect, kindness and determination, and settled into class beautifully.
Keep it up! 😊

Catholic Social Teaching

In Catholic Social Teaching, we explored the principle of *Care of Creation*, learning that the world is God's gift to us and that we have a responsibility to look after it. The children discussed ways they can care for the environment, creating persuasive posters encouraging others to be good stewards of God's creation.

Multiplication Tables Check

A great resource to support practicing for the MTC in June is [Multiplication Tables Check - 2026 - Timestables.co.uk](https://www.timestables.co.uk) which mirrors the format of the real test and gives children valuable experience answering timed questions. Please practice at home as much as possible 😊

Homework

Maths - Atom Learning
TTRS
MTC practice
Spellings

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to be tested on Thursday 17th
September

quickly	teeth
lately	canine
gently	incisor
happily	molar
funnily	premolar
luckily	
simply	
basically	
frantically	
dramatically	



Congratulations Mrs Huddleston



Congratulations to our beautiful Year 3 teacher, Mrs Huddleston, who got married in the summer break! We are so excited for her and wish her and her husband a lifetime of love and happiness. Here are a few photos from her special day for you to enjoy! 💕

