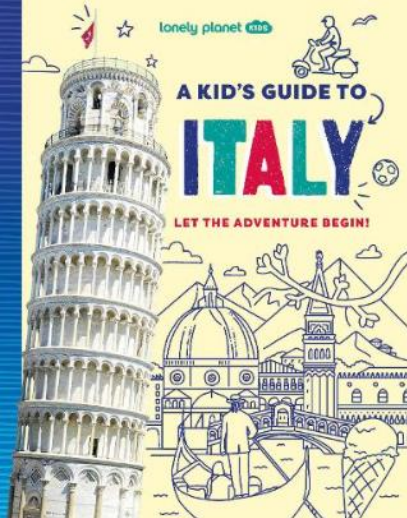


Year 4's Autumn 2 Overview

Subject:	Unit:	Overview of Subject:
Key Text		This half term, Year 4 will be reading 'A Kid's Guide to Italy', an engaging non-fiction text that introduces children to the geography, culture, history and traditions of Italy. The book takes readers on a journey across the country, exploring famous landmarks, cities, food and customs, helping children to develop their understanding of life in another European country. This text will support learning across the curriculum, particularly in English and Geography, as pupils explore the question: How does Italy's landscape shape life there?
English	Writing outcomes: Fiction – Explanation Text Fiction – Setting Description	Non-fiction – Explanation Text Using A Kid's Guide to Italy as inspiration, children will write an explanation text to inform readers about aspects of Italy, such as its landmarks, culture or geography. They will learn how to organise information clearly, use technical vocabulary and explain ideas in a logical sequence. Fiction – Setting Description Children will develop their descriptive writing by creating a detailed setting description inspired by locations in Italy. They will use ambitious vocabulary, expanded noun phrases and sensory details to help readers vividly imagine the scene and atmosphere.
Maths	Measurement – Length and Perimeter Number – Multiplication and Division	In Maths, Year 4 will focus on length and perimeter, learning how to measure accurately and calculate the perimeter of shapes. They will also continue developing their understanding of multiplication and division, building fluency with times tables and applying these skills to a range of problem-solving activities.
Science	Animals: Digestion Lens: Biology Understanding the digestive system and how nutrients are absorbed	In Science, children will learn about animal digestion. They will explore the journey food takes through the digestive system, understand the role of different organs and discover how nutrients are absorbed to keep our bodies healthy.
RE	L2.8 What does it mean to be a Sikh in Britain today?	In RE, pupils will investigate what it means to be a Sikh in Britain today. They will learn about Sikh beliefs, values, traditions and worship, whilst exploring how faith influences daily life.
Geography	European Study: Italy How does Italy's landscape shape life there?	In Geography, children will undertake a European study of Italy, exploring its physical and human geography. They will learn about Italian landscapes, cities, culture and how the country's geography shapes the lives of the people who live there.
PSHE	Identity and Self-Worth Penguinpig – Stuart Spendlow	In PSHE, the focus will be on identity and self-worth, using Penguinpig by Stuart Spendlow as a stimulus for discussion. Children will explore what makes them unique, celebrate differences and develop a positive understanding of themselves and others.
PE	Indoor: Basketball Outdoor: Orienteering	In PE, Year 4 will develop their teamwork, coordination and tactical skills through basketball lessons indoors and orienteering activities outdoors. They will work collaboratively while building confidence and resilience.

Art	European Study: Italy Lens: Drawing Detailed drawing of an Italian landmark	In Art, children will focus on drawing as part of their study of Italy. They will develop observational drawing techniques and create detailed artwork inspired by famous Italian landmarks.
DT	European Study: Italy Lens: Food & Nutrition Prepare a savoury Italian dish	In DT, pupils will explore food and nutrition through an Italian-themed project. They will learn about healthy eating, food preparation and kitchen safety before preparing and evaluating a savoury Italian dish.
Computing	Audio Production	In Computing, children will study audio production. They will learn how to record, edit and combine audio to create their own digital recordings for different purposes.
French	Clothes – Getting Dressed in French	In French, pupils will learn vocabulary related to clothes and getting dressed. They will practise speaking, listening, reading and writing in French while describing clothing and expressing simple preferences.
Music	Developing Musical Skills ROH: Create and Sing- The Magic Flute <i>Appreciating opera, singing and performing</i>	In Music, children will continue developing their musical skills through learning linked to The Magic Flute. They will explore singing and performance techniques whilst developing their appreciation of opera and musical storytelling.

