

## Year 4 Termly Overview 2020-21 Term 2

**Term theme/Line of enquiry:** Where is Tanzania? Compare to UK. How fast does ice melt?

**Hook:** Serengeti documentary. Now Press Play - changing state of materials

**Texts and genres:** Pied Piper: writing in role as a character (descriptive), advert, retelling

**The Fantastic Finale:** Cooking Tanzanian inspired food. Changing state experiment

**Writing Across the Curriculum Opportunities:** Writing a recipe and diary of a water particle

Week	Spelling Focus	Writing (incl. Grammar)	Maths	PE	PSHE	Topic MON/ TUES	Topic WEDS	Topic THURS	Topic FRI
<b>1</b>	L 1-3 Strategies at the point of writing: Have a go Spellings learnt in the last half term Statutory word list for Years 3 and 4	Hope poem	Number and Place Value  MM: addition & subtraction	Indoor PE Dance (African)  FFS tag rugby/games	Mindfulness & PSHE - Soul Bird	Hook – . Blue Planet Serengeti. What are they? Where are they from? Google Earth to find Tanzania. Track air miles Ruth's souvenirs from Tanzania  Passport front covers	Use atlases to find Tanzania. Locate all continents, equator and hemispheres (consider climate – what is it like?).	R.E Hinduism	Locate major cities and Uhuru. Why are the settlements where they are?  Key physical and human features Locate major rivers, coasts, hills and mountains
<b>2</b>	L4-6 The /ʌ/ sound spelt 'ou'	Pied Piper Descriptive writing in role	Number and Place Value  MM: addition & subtraction	Indoor PE Dance (African)  FFS tag rugby/games	Health & Well Being - drugs & alcohol	Consider land use and how this has changed over time.	Make predictions about what Uhuru school life might be like.	R.E Hinduism	Computing - networks (double lesson)

						<p>How is land used? What is life like there?          Compare Tanzania to UK - population, climate, transport routes, cities, industry, agriculture</p>	<p>Study photos to compare to Crown Lane, similarities and differences (notes around a photo)          What is their school day like? similarities and differences          Timetable of school day comparison</p>		
<b>3</b>	<p>L7-8 Strategies for learning words: words from statutory and personal spelling lists</p>	<p>Pied Piper Advert</p>	<p>Geometry          MM: multiplication</p>	<p>Indoor PE          Dance (African)          FFS tag          rugby/games</p>	<p>SCARF - Antbullying week</p>	<p>School meals at Uhuru school          Investigate foods eaten in Tanzania -link it to seasonality and air miles for UK food</p>	<p>Red book          Descriptive writing in role (2 paragraphs)</p>	<p>Computing - networks (double lesson)</p>	<p>Spanish          Parts of the body          R.E          Hinduism</p>

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>4</b></p>	<p>L10-11</p> <p>Homophones (including heel/heal/he'll, plain/plane, groan/grown and rain/reign)</p>	<p>Pied Piper</p>	<p>Fractions</p> <p>MM:multiplication &amp; division</p>	<p>Indoor PE Dance (African)</p> <p>FFS tag rugby/games</p>	<p>SCARF Mindfulness (pre-assessment)</p>	<p>DT Cooking Tanzanian inspired lentil soup Tanzanian Day??</p>	<p>Writing across curriculum DT write recipe instructions</p>	<p>Computing - networks &amp; e-safety (double lesson)</p>	<p>Spanish Parts of the body R.E Hinduism</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>5</b></p> <p>Assessment week</p>	<p>L12 Proofreading</p>	<p>Pied Piper Assessment week</p>	<p>Operations</p> <p>MM:multiplication &amp; division</p>	<p>Indoor PE Dance (African)</p> <p>FFS tag rugby/games</p>	<p>SCARF Mindfulness</p>	<p>Class KWL What is solids, liquids and gases</p> <p>Now Press Play Materials and Changing States</p> <p>Topic page</p>	<p>Science Sorting materials into SLG Pair sorting activity leading to whole class sorting poster Use one of each example on books + particle drawings</p>	<p>Science Plan investigating rate and temperature that materials change state And set up</p>	<p>Science Investigating rate and temperature that materials change state – planning (frozen glove) Then the write up and write conclusion</p>

6	L13-15 Strategies for learning words: words from statutory and personal spelling lists	Pied Piper	Operations  MM: division	Indoor PE Dance (African)  FFS tag rugby/games	SCARF Mindfulness	Science Water cycle Now Press Play  Water cycle song	Science Water cycle Double lesson	Cross curricular writing Science Diary of a water particle	Red book TBC
7	Strategies for learning words: words from statutory and personal spelling lists	Pied Piper (poem form yr3 list?)	Fractions MM:adding & subtracting fractions	Indoor PE Dance (African)  FFS tag rugby/games	SCARF Mindfulness (end of unit assessment)	Christmas performance recording	CHRISTMAS PARTY	R.E Hinduism Spanish christmases	HALF DAY