



The Oaklands Primary School  
SUMMIT LEARNING TRUST

# The Oaklands Year 4 Spring 1 Curriculum Overview



## Dates for the Diary:

Monday and Tuesday—P.E.

Tuesday—Djembe drums

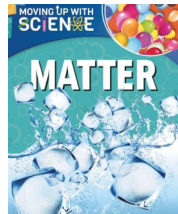
Thursday 25th January-Parent Workshop 9am

Thursday 8th February—Think Tank Trip

## In Reading, we will be learning about:

- Making inferences from a text supported by evidence.
- Retrieving information from a text
- Developing vocabulary
- Sequencing events
- Making predictions

Some of the texts we are going to be using;



## In Maths, we will be:

- Recognising and counting in tenths and hundredths
- Converting fractions and decimals
- Multiplying and dividing numbers by 10 and 100
- Comparing and ordering numbers with one and two decimal places
- Add and subtract fractions within one whole

## In Writing, we will be learning about:

Adventure Narrative and Instruction writing

- Speech punctuation
- Using apostrophes for plural possession
- Using formal language in our writing
- ‘Show, not tell’ sentences
- Expanded noun phrases
  - Imperative verbs
  - Time adverbials
- To use bullet points

## Our curriculum project is: Potions

Our main subject we will be focusing on is: Science

We will be learning about:

Solids, liquids and gasses

States of matter

Reversible and irreversible changes.



**In Art, we will be learning about:**

**Painting and mixing media**

Developing colour mixing skills, using shades and tints to show form and create three dimensions when painting. We will learn about composition and plan our own still life to paint, applying

**In French, we will be learning how to say:**

- How to say different greetings, including hello and goodbye
- How to ask how someone is
- Numbers including 1-10



**In Music, we will be learning about:**



- Playing djembe drums

**In P.E, we will be learning about:**

- Indoor P.E.—Gymnastics
- Outdoor PE—ketball



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**In P.S.H.E / R.H.E , we will be learning about**

Dreams and Goals

We will be discussing; Hopes and dreams, overcoming disappointment, creating new dreams and achieving goals.

**In R.E, we will be learning about:**

- Christianity and the festival of Palm Sunday
- We will be talking about why it is celebrated and the different celebrations around the world.

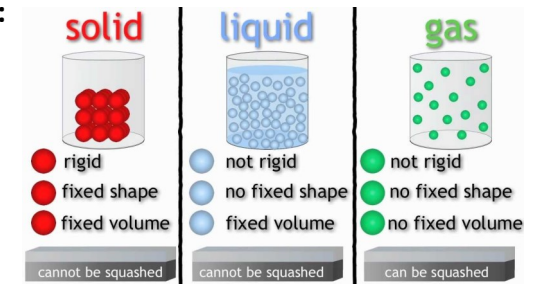
**In Computing, we will be learning about:**

Using Microsoft Office programmes. We will be taught by a computing specialist from a company called Junior Jam

**Useful Curriculum websites, activities and places to visit:**

BBC Bitesize website - states of matter.

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zgwc96f/year/z63tt39>



**Useful English websites:**

BBC Bitesize Website - Year 4

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/subjects/zv48q6f/year/z63tt39>

<https://literacytrust.org.uk/parents-and-families/>

**Useful Maths websites:**

<https://www.trockstars.com/>

<https://www.timestables.co.uk/multiplication-tables-check/>

<http://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/ks2/maths/>