Curriculum	Y3/4 Autumn Term 1 Learning
English	The Blue Umbrella Grammar and writing will be taught through this short film by Pixar. The children will use sentence stacking to create a narrative piece including a range of grammatical and language features such as simile, repetition and precise verbs.
Mathamatia	Bill's New Frock by Anne Fine The children will be taught reading fluency and comprehension skills – Explain, Retrieval, Interpret and Choice (ERIC) through this amusing novel.
Mathematics	Maths Y3
	Place value In this unit the children will develop their understanding of numbers to 1000.
	Addition and subtraction In this unit the children will develop appropriate strategies for addition and subtraction and solve problems involving two and three-digit numbers.
	Maths Y4
	Reasoning with 4-digit numbers  In this unit the children will develop their understanding of the number system, identify 10,100,100 more or less than a given number and round numbers up to four digits with accuracy.
	Addition and subtraction In this unit the children will develop appropriate strategies for addition and subtraction, practice the formal column addition and subtraction method and solve word problems.
	Area In this unit children will find the area of rectilinear shapes by counting squares
Science	Animals including humans In this unit the children will describe the simple functions of the basic parts of the digestive system in humans, identify the different types of teeth in humans and their functions and explore food chains.
History	
Geography	Europe In this unit the children will locate key places in Europe on maps and globes, read maps using 4- figured grid references and present information about capital cities, climate and motorways.
PE	Gym - body management In this unit the children will create a sequence using a range of body shapes with a partner.
	Games – Cricket  We will be developing our throwing and catching skills during this unit.
Computing	Coding In this unit of learning children will be taught how to write algorithms including repetition, timer, if and if/else commands. They will also be taught how to debug programmes.
	Online Safety - People online This half term children will be taught how to manage online friendships safely.
Art	Colourful landmarks In this unit, the children will explore light and shade using charcoal.

Design and Technology	
RE	Christianity The children will explore the question: Do people need to go to Church to show they are Christians?
Music	<b>Y4 - Musical structures -</b> the children will be taught how to listen and appraise music, sing, play, improvise and compose using glockenspiels and perform.
PSHE	Changing Me In this unit the children will learn how to help others feel welcome, care about others feelings and be a positive member of a community by making responsible choices.
Languages	Jeux et Chansons (games and songs) In this unit children will learn how to respond to a story in French, answer simple questions, say numbers to ten and then twenty, express preference and show awareness of singular and plural nouns and gender.