





 <p>Carterhatch Junior School</p> <p>Year 4 Curriculum Newsletter Summer Term 2026</p>		<p style="text-align: center;">English</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● The Boy at the Back of the Class – Onjali Q. Rauf ● Mama Miti, Wangari Maathai and the Trees of Kenya – Donna Jo Napoli ● The Door - Miroslav Hulob (poetry) <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around;">   </div> <p>Author of the Term Onjali Q. Rauf - The Author of the Half Term will celebrate and promote reading from a range of authors.</p>		<p style="text-align: center;">Maths</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Number - Place Value ● Number - Addition and Subtraction ● Number - Multiplication and Division ● Measurement - Money ● Measurement - Time and Statistics ● Measurement - Perimeter and Area ● Geometry - 2D and 3D Shape including Angles ● Geometry - Position and Movement 		<p style="text-align: center;">Science</p> <p>Living things and their Habitats</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Identify living things in the local area ● Consider why our local area is a suitable environment for living things. <p>Sound</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● How are sounds made and why do they get fainter with distance? ● Find patterns between pitch of a sound and the features of an object <p>RSE (Relationships and Sex Education)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● What are the main stages of the human life cycle? How did I begin? ● What does it mean to be 'grown up'? ● What am I responsible for now and how will this change? ● How do parents and carers care for babies? 	
<p>Grand Designs</p> 							
<p style="text-align: center;">History and Geography</p>		<p style="text-align: center;">The Arts</p>		<p style="text-align: center;">PSHE</p>		<p style="text-align: center;">Computing</p>	
<p>History Grand Designs - How a City Works</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● What places of historical significance are there in London and my local area? ● Why is London our capital city? ● How has Forty Hall changed over time? <p>The British Empire – Kenya</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Why did Britain colonise Kenya? ● How and why did Kenya become independent? <p>Geography</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Local area fieldwork and place knowledge ● What are the features of the capital cities of the UK? ● How can fieldwork tell me more about Forty Hall? 		<p>Art & Design Waruguru Waithira – Green Masks</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Study of pattern and shades of colour <p>Design & Technology – Creating an electronic poster</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Understand the impact of information design to assemble an electric poster including a simple circuit. <p>Music</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Ukulele – play and perform in solo and ensemble contexts <p>Composer of the Term Bob Marley</p> <p>This term, Year 4 will continue with Drama lessons.</p>		<p>Citizenship</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Understand what human rights are and why they are important ● Understand the benefits of recycling ● Understand that diversity supports a community to work effectively. ● Understand the role of elected representatives <p>Safety and the Changing Body</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Understand the reasons for legal age restrictions ● Understand the risks of sharing information online ● Understand the difference between private and public, and secrets and surprises. ● Understand how search engines work <p>RSE (Relationship and Sex Education) and Personal Safety</p>		<p>Online Safety</p> <p>Privacy and Security</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● How to keep personal information private ● Digital consent <p>Creating Media - Google Sites website design</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Design and create a webpage for a given purpose <p>Computational Thinking</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Understand what computational thinking is ● Pattern recognition and abstraction ● Combine computational thinking skills to solve a problem 	
<p style="text-align: center;">Religious Education</p>		<p style="text-align: center;">Home Learning</p>		<p style="text-align: center;">Physical Exercise</p>		<p style="text-align: center;">Useful Information</p>	
<p>Buddhism – Is it possible for everyone to be happy?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● What does happiness mean to Buddhists? <p>Christianity – Prayer and Worship Do people need to go to church to show they are Christian?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● How is church special to Christians and what is its significance? 		<p>Word Project - create a high-quality piece of work linked a given word (one per half term)</p> <p>MyMaths – completed online weekly</p> <p>Times Table Rock Stars – completed online daily</p> <p>Spelling – 10 words are given weekly, to be tested in class the following week</p> <p>Reading - Bug Club</p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around; align-items: center;">    </div>		<p>Athletics – running Athletics – throwing and jumping Games – tennis</p> <p>Pupils must wear the correct PE kit to school on the following days: Beard - Tuesdays and Wednesdays Olusoga - Wednesdays and Thursdays Ramirez - Tuesdays and Wednesdays</p>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Good hygiene and regular washing of hands will be encouraged throughout the school day ● School uniforms and water bottles must be clearly labelled <p>Outdoor Learning days will continue this term Class photos - Monday 8 June 2026 Sports Day – Tuesday 9 June 2026 Trip to Forty Hall Tuesday 19 May 2026 Class Trip to the Science Museum Ramirez -Thursday 18 June 2026 Olusoga - Monday 22 June 2026 Beard -Wednesday 24 June 2026</p>	