











Year 4 Spring 1 Curriculum Leaflet 2024/25

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Here is an overview of the curriculum covered in Spring 1. This can be used as a guidance of how to help your child at home. If you require any further information, please contact your class teacher.

 <h2>English</h2> <p>Core English Text: Children will be reading: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 'Krindlekrax' a thriller children's novel by Philip Ridley. We will focus on: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Exploring a text through drama • Developing our report writing skills. Grammar We will work on: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Using a range of interesting vocabulary – adjectives, expanded noun phrases, figurative language and adverbs • Using direct speech effectively • Using fronted adverbials correctly • Using commas correctly Your children will be expected to use these skills in their writing. We will also continue to develop reading and comprehension skills focusing on: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reading fluently and with expression • Understanding what it being read • Making reasonable inferences. </p>	 <h2>Mathematics</h2> <p>This term your children will be very busy mathematicians. They will learn about the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Knowing and being fluent when using the 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12 times tables • Understanding multiplication and division • Using written methods for calculating • Length and perimeter. <p>Please encourage your child to practise their times tables (using TT Rockstars) Please use timestables.co.uk to practise regularly.</p>
 <h2>Science</h2> <p>This term the children will learn about '<u>Sound</u>'. This will include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How sound travels • Investigations about whether sounds can travel through different materials • Which materials are effective in preventing vibrations • Pitch and volume. 	 <h2>Personal, Social, Health and Economic</h2> <p>This term we will focus on '<u>Dreams and Goals</u>'. We will learn to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How to deal with different challenges • How to deal with disappointment • How to work as part of a group • How to help others achieve their goals <p>We will be rewarding children with 'Rights Respecting Awards' every week.</p>
 <h2>History & Geography</h2> <p>History - <u>Roman Britain</u> Children will develop their understanding of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Invasion of Britannia • Caratacus • Boudicca • Roman towns • Black Romans <p>Geography - <u>The Rhine and the Mediterranean</u> Children will develop their understanding of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The water cycle and how rivers are formed • The parts of a river • How to use a map • What waterfalls are. 	 <h2>Physical Education</h2> <p>Dance:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dance using matching and mirroring • Learn and create dance moves in the theme of carnival • Develop a carnival dance using formations, canon and unison. <p>Dodgeball:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Develop throwing at a moving target • Catching a dodgeball at different heights • Learn how to block using the ball • Understand the rules of dodgeball and use them to play a game. <p>Hepworth need their PE kit on Wednesdays & Fridays. Miro need their PE kit on Thursdays & Fridays.</p>
 <h2>Computing</h2> <p>This term your child will learn about programming with a focus on audio production. This will include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Recording sound • Editing audio • Planning, creating an editing a podcast. 	 <h2>Art, DT & Music</h2> <p>Art/DT</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Art: Craft & Design: Fabric of Nature • DT: Structures: Pavilions <p>Music Children will continue to have instrument lessons.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Miro have clarinet and trumpet on Tuesdays. • Hepworth have violin on Tuesdays.
 <h2>Religious Education</h2> <p>We will be learning about 'What do Hindus believe God is like?' as part of our learning about different religions.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Explore how Hindus describe ultimate reality • Learn about different Hindu deities • Explain how Hindus might see the world through their religion. 	 <h2>Reminders</h2> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Please ensure that your child is in school at all times (excluding when they are ill) as any time missed will affect your child's learning. • Home Learning is given out at the start of the term. Work can be handed in as it is completed. • Please hear your children read daily for 15 minutes and practise times tables regularly. • Spelling Shed tasks will be available online every Friday.