

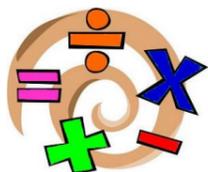
English

- Continued individual daily reading developing the ability to choose their own book to enjoy.
- Grammar and punctuation – different types of nouns, paragraphs and prefixes.
- Writing for a purpose in different genres such as letters, reports, explanation and poetry.
- Reading keys texts such as *Hurricane* by David Wiesner, *The skies above my eyes* and *The street beneath my feet* by Charlotte Gullain and *The Land of Neverbelieve* by Norman Messenger.
- Online author visit from Vashti Hardy



Maths

- Place value – decimal numbers including counting in tenth and hundredths. Changing fractions into decimals.
- Measurements: Time. Including telling the time and calculating duration of time. Days of the week and month of the year.
- Properties of shape: Angles, triangles, horizontal and vertical, parallel and perpendicular.
- Mass and capacity
- Money and calculating change from amounts.
- Continued focus on learning the **times tables** fluently (year 3 focus: x2, x3, x5, x6 and x10s; Year 4 all times tables up to x12)



Design Technology

- Design and make a mountaineering product using textiles and fabrics.
- Select appropriate tools & techniques for making the product.
- Measure, mark out, cut, and shape a range of materials. Including sewing and joining techniques.



PSHE

- Being kind to the environment (including recycling linked to Music lessons)
- Caring for animals
- Charity for others



Wonders of the World



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Physical Education

- Speed, Agility and Quickness: Building hand-eye coordination, body awareness and developing speed and strength.
- Orientation – map skills, locating different areas in the school grounds
- Games: Tennis and cricket



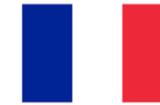
Computing

- Understand databases and how computers use these to find information.
- Create own branching database using 'yes/no' answers.
- Understand the use of branching databases in simulations
- Explore and evaluate information relating to different simulated situations



French

- Recap on numbers up to 50 and colours
- Learn body parts
- Combine colours and body parts to create 'monsters'



Art and Design

River Art inspired by Monet.

- Consider light and colour in their sketch books
- Explore impressionism
- Study the life and works of Monet
- Sketch and draw from real life
- Develop watercolour painting skills
- Create watercolour painting inspired by Monet.



Geography

This is a Geography based topic and the children will be exploring physical geography, including:

- Different climate zones around the world
- The water cycle (linked to science)
- Biomes and vegetation belts, rivers
- Mountains and locating them on a map. (linked to design technology: mountaineering)
- Learn about how volcanoes and earthquakes form and their impact on the world.
- Develop map reading skills (linked to orienteering in PE)
- Human geography: Human effect on the environment (linked to PSHE)



Music

- Understand rhythm and beat through percussion instruments
- Create their own musical instruments using recycled materials



Religious Education

- Discussions and stories from different religions: What is faith?

