

English

In the first half of the term, we will be looking at building cohesion into our writing. The first text we will study will be 'The Lumberjack's Beard,' before moving onto Egyptian stories and texts. Our writing will incorporate our topic around the Egyptians and children will be immersed in this rich history

Maths

In Maths, there will still be a heavy focus on learning all our times tables ready for the Times tables check in June.

Lessons will focus on money, time and shapes before revision of Year 4 topics in the last few weeks of term.

It is essential that children are practising their times tables every day and completing at least 30 mins per week on TT Rock Stars.

Religion

Our first topic will focus on Pentecost and Jesus' ascension to Heaven. Children will learn about being filled with the Holy Spirit in modern times and what this means. We will end the year by looking at stewardship and how we can look after God's precious Earth.

PSHE

Children will explore puberty and what changes happen to our bodies as we grow older.

Computing and E-safety

This term we will be studying how meteorologists use technology to study the weather and climate, as well as producing our own weather reports.

As always, children will continue to learn about e-safety and being responsible when using the internet.

PE

Swimming will be the main focus in PE, with children learning this important life skill all through the term.

Children will also be working on their dodgeball and football skills with the Manchester United Foundation coach.



Year 4 Summer Term

Homework

Homework will be set every Friday and should be returned by Wednesday. It is extremely important that your child completes at home to consolidate skills learnt in class that week. English and Maths will be set as well as at least half an hour per week on Times tables rock stars. Spelling and Reading should also be regularly practised.

Science

Children will continue to look at animals and their habitats and the differences between vertebrates and invertebrates. We will move on to looking at sound, how we hear things and how the ear works.

Wider Curriculum

Work will focus on our topic of 'Water of Life' In History, we will be studying the ancient Egyptians and Egyptologists and what they know about the past. In Music, children will be composing music based on the Beatles' song 'Blackbird,' as well as looking at classical music! In DT, we will be designing and making an Egyptian amulet as well as a device to move stones for the pyramids.

Thank you for
all your help
and support!