

English

In reading, as part of the children's pleasure read and some Super 6 lessons, they will be exploring the text Varjak Paw. In writing, the children will be learning how to write a 'fear story' and use writing tools to create suspense. Children will also write a newspaper report script and descriptive river poems.

Spellings

Children will have a variety of spellings including some topic vocabulary, common exception words and words that follow the spelling rule focus for each week.

Maths

We will follow the White Rose Maths scheme and focus on place value. The children will be learn to write, compare and round numbers up to 10,000. They will also learn Roman Numerals.

RE

The children will learn about Sikhism. In this topic children will learn about the beliefs and practises of Sikhs and why Gurus are at the heart of their faith. They will also learn about the celebration of Diwali.

Geography

Children will learn about rivers around the world and how they are formed. They will learn about the benefits and uses of rivers over time and how the water cycle works.

Music

In music children will learn to perform poems with expression and intonation. They will also learn about musicians who have been inspired by the environment.

Computing

Children will learn about Online Safety. They will learn how to be safe online and what to do if they feel as if they are not safe online.

Rivers



PSHE

Children will learn about health and wellbeing and self-esteem. They will look at how to recognise their own personal qualities and strengths to build their self-esteem. They will also learn how to set goals for themselves and how to manage when they face a setback.

French

Children will learn to listen attentively to spoken French and show an understanding of how to respond. They will learn correct intonation and pronunciation. Children will learn specifically to converse and key phrases.

PE

Y4 Michael Jordan will be swimming twice a week, whilst Y4 Greta Thunberg will focus on gymnastics and ball skills in PE.

Science

The children will be learning about human impact on the environment. They will learn about:

- Some positive and negative ways humans impact the environment, locally and globally. Focusing on how this effects other living things.
- That actions have consequences and that decisions need compromises.
- How industry, housing and thoughtless behaviour can damage habitats and how humans can increase biodiversity.

Art

Children will create their own 'power prints'. The children will explore how to draw in 3D by using different shading techniques, explore sense of proportion and carefully use scissors to cut out images. Children will also use different tools to create marks and patterns when scratching into a painted surface, exploring contrast.