

Little London Academy

Summer 1 2024 Year 4

English:

In their writing lessons, the children will be writing an some fantastic newspaper reports, which will develop their skills in writing non-fictional texts. Some of the skills the children will be learning is:

- Headings
- Direct speech
- Formal language
- Past tense

The children will also be learning how to write a diary entry based on Sophie, from the BFG.

Our class novel that we will explore in our reading lessons this half-term will be The BFG by Roald Dahl.

Maths:

The children will continue to follow the White Rose Maths scheme in their lessons and will be exploring three main topics this half-term. In our first topic, we will learn all about time, which will focus on:

- Analogue clock
- Digital clocks
- Converting time

We will also be developing our understanding of shape, learning about:

- different types of shape
- angles
- lines of symmetry.

Computing:

This half-term, the children will develop their ability to use online search engines like Google to support them in completing tasks and finding information effectively. They will continue to learn how to keep themselves safe online.

Spellings:

This half-term, we will continue to explore new spelling rules and perform investigations in our weekly spelling lessons

Design Technology:

In DT, the children will be designing and making the instrument: rainmaker in support of our science topic, sound.

French:

The children will continue to develop their understanding of the French language by learning how to talk about animals in the theme 'Le Carnaval des Animaux'.

Sound



RE:

In this RE topic, the children will be exploring the 5 main pillars of Islam. We will spend time in each lesson focusing on how each pillar represents a different aspect of the Muslim faith.

PE:

Rob Burrow will be completing their final block of swimming. Frida Kahlo will be doing PE, focusing on Athletics and Football.

Science:

In our science topic this half term, we will learning all things to do with sound. We will explore how sound is made, how volume and pitch can be changed and what effects these elements of sound.

PSHE:

In PSHE this half-term, the children will be exploring how the choices they make can make a difference to others and the situations that they may find themselves in.

Music:

The children will learn to perform songs, raps and focus on beat through the themes 'Communication' and 'Time'.