

Year 4 Summer 1

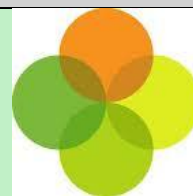
<p>Maths: In maths we will focus on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Understanding place value in decimal numbers • Reading, writing, and comparing decimals • Converting between fractions and decimals • Rounding decimals to the nearest whole number or tenth • Using decimals in practical contexts, such as money and measurement 	<p>Guided Reading: Next half term, our Guided Reading sessions will focus on S. F. Said’s Varjak Paw. This exciting adventure story gives children the chance to explore themes of courage, identity, and belonging while developing key reading and comprehension skills.</p>		<p>English: Next half term, we’ll be diving into the wonderful world of Roald Dahl’s Charlie and the Chocolate Factory. This much-loved story gives us a brilliant opportunity to explore rich vocabulary, imaginative settings, and memorable characters while developing key reading and writing skills.</p>
<p>Science: This half term, our focus will be on sound. The children will learn about pitch and what affects this in an instrument. We will also investigate how sound travels and reaches our ears.</p>	<p>PE: This half term we will be looking at athletics, where we will be looking at different techniques of running as well as looking at other elements of athletics such as throwing, jumping and much more.</p>	<p>Music This term we will be looking at South American Music and working with the Royal Opera House on the Create Day Project. We will also have activities on our YUMU login Charanga online music platform.</p>	<p>DT: Next half term, children will be learning about how everyday electrical products are designed and used. Our focus will be on torches — exploring how they work, what makes them effective, and how designers create products for specific users</p>
<p>Geography: This half term we will focus on the question: How can we live more sustainably? The children will look at renewable and non-renewable energy sources, what other countries do to be more sustainable and how we can improve the sustainability of our school.</p>	<p>Computing: This half term we will be discussing how reliable information is on the internet and how to search safely over different platforms. We will explore how advertisements work and how to identify facts, opinions and beliefs. We will learn what a bot is and how technology can be a positive or negative distraction.</p>	<p>RE: This half term we will identify some beliefs about God in Islam. We will also make links between beliefs about God and ibadah (worship) and how this links to prayer, fasting, celebrating and the intention to live out the five pillars of Islam.</p>	<p>French: We will be learning the different words for clothing items and how to describe getting dressed in French.</p>
<p>Home Learning Tasks</p>			

Reading - At least 10 minutes each school day when possible. Remember, this can be independent or with an adult. Children will have daily opportunities to quiz at school.

Maths – TTRS and Times Table Speed Test practice ready for the Year 4 Multiplication Check

All log ins are in the children's planners so that they can access their homework at home.

The children will be bringing home **Knowledge Organizers** to help support them with their learning. At school, the children will be quizzing regularly using the information in the Knowledge Organizers to help with their recall and retrieval. At home, please could you support your child with reading and rehearsing the information from these Knowledge Organizers.



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