

### English:

#### Reading:

Our class text for the Autumn 1 term will be 'The Polar Bear Explorer's Club' by Alex Bell.

#### Writing:

Handwriting will have a high focus during the Autumn term as we look to develop automaticity and fluency in letter formation and joining.

We will create a range of texts including, letters and instructional recipes.

#### Spelling:

Spelling lessons will take place 4-5 times a week and will build a knowledge of different spelling patterns. They will bring home a list of words at the start of each unit to learn and help them further explore the rules we are learning about.

### History/Geography:

Our Autumn 1 project focusses on building the children's geographical knowledge of the state of Florida.

We will learn about key geographical skills as well as building an understanding of the human and physical geography of an area of North America.



### Maths:

Securing the children's Times Tables facts is vitally important during the Autumn 1 term. They should know their: x2, x5, x10, x3, x4, x8, x11

We will cover topics on: Place Value ensuring children can read, write, order and compare numbers to 10,000 and Addition and Subtraction using formal written methods for 4-digit numbers.

### French:

This term, the children will be learning numbers up to 100 as well as learning to talk about where they live.

### RE:

This term, the children will be learning about Judaism and about how special the relationship between Jews and God is. Children will learn about the story of Abraham, synagogues, and the Torah.

### Science:

There science for this term is learning about circuits in our electricity work. We will explore conductors, insulators and the different variables which can be included in circuits.

### Art/DT/Music:

Our DT this half term will be a cooking unit based around adapting recipes for different audiences. Children will learn to make a simple baked shortbread biscuit and learn to adapt recipes for specific reasons.

In Music our work will be inspired by the Abba song, Mama Mia.

## Year 4 – Autumn Term 2024-25

### Our Local Area – Winterbourne, Salisbury and Beyond.

### Computing:

This term the children will be learning about Systems and Networks. We will learn about what the Internet 'is' and how it all works!

### PE:

During Tuesday PE we will be learning the fundamental movement and passing skills used in netball. Whilst on a Friday, we will be developing our precision and coordination in Tri-Golf!

**Do you have a skill or job which links to any of our areas of learning?**

**Are you able to volunteer time to read/practise tables?**

**We'd love to hear from you!**