

English:

Reading:

Our class text for the Summer 1 term will be 'The Iron Man' by Ted Hughes. We continue to target the key reading skills of Fluency and comprehension.

Writing:

During this term, we will write newspaper reports linked to our book, The Iron Man. We will continue to write formally by writing letters linked to our theme of living sustainably.

Spelling:

Unit 10 Prefix 'il-', 'un-', 'in-', 'mis-

Unit 11 'C' sound spelt '-que' and '-g'

Science:

The science for this term is 'Changing states'. The children will be investigating and learning about solids, liquids and gasses. They will need to understand about the water cycle and its key vocabulary of evaporation and condensation.

PSHE:

PSHE this term has the theme 'Keeping safe'. We will learn to develop a better understanding of dangers, risks and hazards and will focus on what we can do to keep ourselves safe.

Art/DT/Music:

Our DT this terms will be using our knowledge of electrical circuits to build their own torches.

In **music** children will learn about different musical styles. We will learn about 'The Beatles' through the listen, appraise and perform approach.

Maths:

We will continue to learn about decimals, working to two decimal places. Children need to be able to read, write, order, round and compare numbers with two decimal places.

Following this, we will use money (inc pounds and pence) for problems solving.

We will also look at time. Children need to know the important facts for seconds, minutes, hours, days, weeks, months and years.

Children need to be able to tell the time to the nearest second using the hour, minute and second hands.



History/Geography:

Our Summer 1 Geography work will be learning about sustainability.

We will learn what sustainability is as well as identifying the differences between renewable and non-renewable resources.

We will investigate the idea of creating a more sustainable school as well as studying specific examples of how sustainable development can improve the world around us.

French:

This term, the children will be learning about Time. They will learn the French terms for talking about key parts of the day..

We will once again be joined by the fabulous Mrs Johnston to help with our lessons.

RE:

This term, the children will be learning about Christianity. They will be focussed on understand Pentacost and its significance to Christians.

PE:

We only have 1 PE slot – Friday afternoon which is swimming. Children need their Swimming kit, towel and pool shoes each week.

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!

**Year 4 – Summer 1 Term
2024-25**

**Sustainability
How can we Live more
sustainably?**