

English Texts



Worker Bees - Summer Term 2022

Welcome back one and all to a very exciting and busy Summer Term. We have lots of exciting learning planned - here is an overview of what we are covering. If you have any questions about the content then please feel free to contact me via the school office.

Mr Bosence

Topic

Our first topic question is an historical one: What did the Vikings want and how did Alfred stop them getting it? After half-term we shall be trying to answer: How can we live more sustainably?

For both of these enquiries, the children will learn how to answer the questions as we move through the term - if you are keen to investigate at home then please do.

RE

Our first learning question for RE is: Why do some people think that life is like a journey and what significant events mark this? After half-term we will explore: When Jesus left what was the impact of Pentecost?



Music - Brass

This will continue to be on a Friday with Mr Miners.

PHSE

Relationships will be our first unit and we will explore the diversity or relationships that we may experience in life. After half-term, we will cover Changing Me, which teaches the children about the physical and emotional changes that we all experience as we get older.



PE - Wednesday/Friday

Forest School on a Wednesday
Frisbee on Fridays
After half-term we will be swimming on a Thursday and have Striking and Fielding on Fridays

Home Learning

Reading (20 minutes per day)
Times Table Rock Stars
Spelling Shed

Science

Our first unit is States of Matter and we will be looking at the differences between liquids, solids and gasses. After half-term we will be studying the Water Cycle - again, if you are keen to learn more about this topic at home then please do.

Maths

This term, we will cover: Mass and Capacity, Decimals including Money, Time, Statistics and Geometry.
The Year 4 children will have their Multiplication Tables Check in June, this is something we have been preparing for but if you have time for extra TT Rockstars practise, that would be great!



Art & Design

The children are going to be designing and making their own Viking helmets.
After half-term the children will be looking at the work of some environmental artists like Andy Goldsworthy and David Nash - we will create our own artwork using natural materials.

We have lots and lots to get through this term, as you can see. If there are any aspects of our plan that you would like to know more about then please do ask. Also, if any parents are secretly experts on the Vikings or sustainability then please let me know, it is always so valuable to have input from other sources if possible.