

English

Reading: In guided reading we will be improving our fluency and comprehension skills through the use of Comprehension Ninja, studying fiction, non-fiction and poetry texts.

Writing: This half term we will be studying the text *Flotsam*, A non-fiction book with no words.

We will then begin our poetry unit, and study the poem *The sea*.

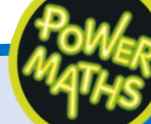


Maths

This half term we continue our Geometry unit, where we will be studying the properties of shapes, their position and direction.

We will then move on to our final decimal's unit.

After that, we will study negative numbers and finish of the year with our unit on measure: converting units and volume.



Physical Education

On Monday afternoons we will be doing Wild Tribe.

During our Thursday P.E sessions we will be playing cricket, using the fielding skills we built on in our rounders sessions and building our confidence and technique with our bowling.



Wild Tribe
Outdoor Learning

Geography- Deserts

We will be looking at the distribution and climate of deserts and explore deeper, the Sahara Desert, learning how deserts are formed and create a variety of landscapes. We will be looking at the plants and animals in the deserts and explore how humans live and adapt in deserts specifically the Patagonian Desert.

History- Cordoba: city of light.

We will be studying the glories of Islamic achievement in art, architecture, learning and science in Cordoba. We will look at how Muslims, Christians and Jews lived and worked together, collaborated on great architectural projects together and built a culture of learning together. We will also be looking at the great library of Cordoba – how knowledge of medicine, technology, art, theology and geography was built through the work of peoples from all three religions.

R.E- Ramadan

We will be learning about Muhammad's teachings about Sawm and Ramadan. We will also be looking at the festival of Eid ul Fitr, exploring its origins, meaning and practices today with differing Muslim traditions.

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Art

We will be studying the artist Picasso and creating our own portraiture inspired by his works.



PSHE

Our Jigsaw PSHE focus is on 'Changing me'.



Music

We will be appraising pop ballads and composing our own music using a major scale.



How can you support your child at home?

Support your child in completing weekly homework, consisting of spellings, maths, times table practice and independent reading.

Read to and with your child, asking them questions about the story they are reading.

Check Dojo regularly for class updates and information.

