

English

This term we will focus on narrative and read a text which contains amazing journeys: The Creakers by Tom Fletcher. Pupils will explore how to create character and settings. They will also consider the author's intent when writing this story.

Computing

Children will use Purple Mash to complete a coding unit 2Logo. Following this children will learn to locate information on the search results page, to use search effectively to find out information and to assess whether an information source is true and reliable.

Music

Children will continue to have music lessons delivered by Mrs Milner as well as enjoying listening sessions where we listen to a variety of music genres and discuss impact and preference.

Geography

Children will identify important features of a settlement site and list the resources a settlement needs to thrive. They will also name some of the renewable methods of power generation used in the UK and explain why foods are imported and exported and identify some benefits of importing food. They will move on to name areas of the world most affected by food shortages and find out about Fairtrade. We will consider ways we can make small changes that can have a big impact in the world.



The Amazing Journeys of Everyday Things Year 4 Autumn 2



Science

In science children will be learning about the functions of the digestive system of humans as well as identifying different teeth and their role in digestion. We will also interpret and construct food chains, identifying predators and prey.

PE

In addition to our weekly session with NUFC, where we will be focusing on a range of multisports, we will be developing the skills needed to be successful in dodgeball.

PSHE and RE

This term PSHE will be focus on Global Citizenship. In RE we will explore how Christians show their beliefs about God the Trinity in the way they live.

Maths

Children will begin this half term by completing the unit on Addition and Subtraction. Children have been learning to use a formal, column strategy to calculate both addition and subtraction of 4 digit numbers, including an exchange. Children will use their knowledge to estimate and check answers. Following this unit we will move onto measurement including length and perimeter.

Art

Children will explore how journeys are represented in art by studying symbols in Indigenous Australian art and the work of Paul Klee. They will develop their own ideas based on their findings.

French

We will learn songs to help us remember key vocabulary and hobbies. We will revise how to tell the time.