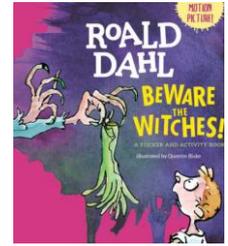


## English:

In our reading and writing lessons, we will be exploring a variety of texts, including 'The Witches'. We will use these books to help us study characterisation and write our own character description.



## Maths:

As mathematicians, we will be consolidating adding and subtracting four-digit numbers as well as learning multiplication and division.

## Science

As scientists, we will be learning about the digestive system and food chains, and looking at the question, 'How does our body use the food that we eat?'

## PSHE

This term we will be reflecting on:

- Celebrating differences
- Accepting everyone is different
- Including others when working and playing

## Music

As musicians, we will:

- Use our voices expressively to sing songs and chant rhymes
- Learn how to work together to perform music

## Physical Education

In our PE lessons, we will:

- Develop different skills during gymnastics sessions

## Computing

As Computing Technologists, we will learn about:

- Navigating Office 365
- Using office programs to create work across the curriculum

## Geography

In Geography we will be looking at rainforests:

- What are they?
- Where can they be found?
- Why are they important?

## Religious Education

In our Religious Education lessons, we will learn about festivals:

Why are Diwali and Christmas important festivals?

# Year 4

## Autumn 2020

### Routine

We welcome the children from 8:40am each morning (although children who have siblings in Reception or Years 1-2 may be dropped off earlier.) Pupils will meet on the playground in their class groups, where they will be collected by the class teacher. From there they will be sanitising their hands, before entering the classroom.

There is morning work set up each morning to begin learning time as soon as the children arrive in the classroom. If you would like to speak to a teacher, please feel free to make an informal appointment with the class teacher.

### Snacks

In KS2 the children no longer receive a snack. Children are welcome to bring in a piece of fruit to eat at breaktime. Please note no biscuits, sweets or crisps.

### PE Kit

Our PE sessions take place every Thursday and Friday.

Please make sure that your child comes to school in their PE kit on these days.

### How you can support at home: Home Learning and Reading

Please make sure that your child reads at home every day. Reading to your child is also a great way to support their literacy.

To support the children's mathematical learning, there will be weekly tasks assigned on Mathletics.

Practise their times tables regularly with them. Make this fun: a challenge, a quiz etc

Thank you for your support,

Year 4 Team