

PE

PE lessons will be on **Monday and Wednesday**.



Please remember that your child should arrive wearing their PE kit on **Monday and Wednesday**. This is their normal blue school t-shirt and burgundy jumper or cardigan with tracksuit bottoms and trainers. Fashion jumpers and t-shirts are not permitted. We thank you for your support with this.

Reading questions

Vocabulary

Which word in the text describes what _____ is like?
What does *word/phrase* mean?

Infer

How do you know that _____ was excited?
How did _____ feel when _____ happened?
Why did _____ happen?

Predict

How do you think this story will develop? What are your reasons from the text?
Do you think that someone will do/act differently in the future?

Explain

How does the title encourage you to read on?
In what ways do the illustrations support the text?
In what ways are 2 characters/settings the same/different?

Retrieve

What, Who, Where, When, Why?, How much/many?

Summarise

What happened before/ after _____?.....



How is the world changing?

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English

Alice in Wonderland by Lewis Carroll



We will be writing character and setting descriptions, practising using descriptive language and different sentence types. In reading, we will work to develop our retrieval and vocabulary skills, as well as inferring from the text.

Maths

Place value
Addition with decimal places
Measurement of length
2d shapes
Symmetry
Fractions

Keep learning those times tables!

Science

Human Impact
We will be looking at food chains and how humans impact the local environment. We will consider how we can help to recycle in our local environment and the wider world.



Computing

What are spreadsheets used for? How do we format cells? Can I use spreadsheets to help me in maths?

Art/DT

Textiles.
We will be making a party bag to take to our Mad Hatter's Tea Party! We will learn to sew two fabrics together with a seam allowance and decorate appropriately.



Music

Understanding verse and chorus structure. Composing melodies.



French

Talking about festivals and presents.

Geography

How is our country changing?
How has Tamworth changed over time?
We will study mountains, coastlines and woodland to see how our country is changing. We will also learn about developments in our local area and if we think they should go ahead.



Our Changing World

640 x 320

RE and PSHE

RE— We will be learning about the Christian time called Lent and how and why it is important to Christians.

PSHE — Me and My safety. We will be looking at how we stay safe in school, our community and how adults follow rules in the community to keep themselves and others safe.

PE

Invasion games. Can I attack and defend? Can I pass and receive a ball? Can I work as part of a team?



How to support your child at home:

Please read regularly at home and talk about the book that you are reading. There are some suggested questions on the back.

Also, please encourage regular times tables practise. Year 4 are whizzing through the Masters of Multiplication levels, so let's keep that going!

