

Dates for the Diary:

19/06/24 – EAL Community Morning
20/06/24 - Eidfest
24/06/24 – Y4 Sports Day
26/06/24 – Class Photos
03/07/24 – Shuffle Up Day
05/07/24 – INSET
12/07/24 – Begfest
23/07/24 – End of Year

We are Authors

We are starting off this term by looking at how authors create atmosphere in narrative texts. We are using the book Varjak Paw to discuss and explore this question. We are going to look at cats, villains in different themes and discuss how the author of Varjak Paw makes the atmosphere so gripping. We are continuing being writers at the start of this term to look at what are the features of an explanation text, using “How I met Dudley” to investigate this! In our handwriting and spelling lessons, we will be looking at the suffix ‘ous’ and how it means ‘full of’ and will be applying this using spelling rules. We will also be learning the suffix ‘ly’ before applying what we have learnt to our writing.



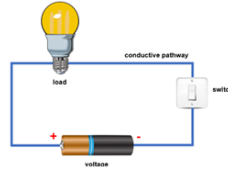
We are Self-Aware Citizens

Our focus this term in PSHE is talking about our dreams and goals. We are going to be talking about how to set new goals and plans, how to achieve a goal and how to work as part of a successful group. In our Religious education we are going to be talking about Humanism and learning the difference between humanism and atheism.



We are Scientists

As Scientists this term, we are going to be answering the question “What is the purpose and function of an electrical circuit?” We are going to practising making predictions and recording our findings. We are going to construct a simple circuit, name the different parts as well as using symbols to represent a circuit diagram.



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We are Designers

As Designers, we are going to be focusing on how to make a light up cat mask. To make a light up cat mask we are going to use our prior knowledge about Varjak and electrical circuits to produce some amazing masks!



We are Artists

As Artists we will be evaluating the art of Paul Klee and using his style to develop our learning about blocking and why this is important in painting and collage.

General Reminders

- The school day starts at 9am.
- PE days are Wednesdays and Thursdays
- Wear full PE kit on PE days (white t-shirt and navy bottoms with trainers)

We are Mathematicians

This term we are starting a new topic looking at shapes within the first two weeks. Within this topic we are going to cover symmetry and line of symmetries, irregular polygons and regular polygons. In week three, we are going to recap time and further our understanding by converting time and adding minutes and hours together. We are going to finish the year by looking at division with remainders and how to approach this using a variety of methods such as arrays.



This term we will also be...

Linguists – We will be learning key Spanish vocabulary and working on our conversation skills.

Computer Scientists – We will be learning how to use animation and be effective with our searching.

Musicians – We will listen to and appraise classical music and explore the dimensions of music using voice and instruments.

Athletes - We will explore gymnastics as athletes and learn how to complete different moves safely.