



# Year 4 Spring Term 2024

## English

This term, we will be focusing on writing to persuade. The children will be writing a holiday brochure persuading people to visit the island of Sicily. Within this, the children will learn key skills including direct address and emotive language.

## Maths

As mathematicians, the children will learn methods of multiplying and dividing. They will work on their fluency in these, solve problems and answer reasoning questions. After this, we will move onto learning about length and perimeter.

## Relationships and Health Education

In RHE, we will be looking at 'Belonging to a community'. Within this, we will discuss what a community is, what it feels like to be a part of a group and how we can help our local community.

## RE

In our religious education this half term we will be learning more about Christianity. Within this, we will learn about the Trinity and why this is important to Christians.

## Geography

In our geography learning this term, we will be doing atlas work to locate countries of the world. We will look at different climate zones, physical features, and biomes.

## History

As Historians, we will be learning about the Anglo-Saxons and their impact on Britain. We will add to our chronological skills, ask questions and analyse different sources.

## PE

In PE this half term, we will be learning the skills of striking and fielding through various adapted games of rounders and tennis. This term the children will also visit Dartmoor for their residential which will focus on resilience and teamwork.

## Science

As scientists, the children will be defining solids, liquids, and gasses. As part of their learning, they will conduct multiple experiments to explore the properties of these states of matter.

## Art/D&T

As Artists, we will be focussing on the work of Plymouth artist, Brian Pollard. The children will think about colour mixing and painting techniques to create their own seascape painting in his style.

## Modern Foreign Languages (MFL)

In Spanish, we will be learning the words for the different parts of the body. The children will do this through song, images and games to support their learning.

## Music

As musicians, the children are going to learn more about the theory of music, performing using their voice and learning more about the glockenspiels.

## Computing

As users of technology, we will be programming virtual robot-turtles which shall draw repeating patterns that can be used to produce a decorative wrapping paper!