



# Year 4

## Maths

In addition to our regular times tables practice we will also be learning about:

- Decimals
- Money
- Shape
- Position and direction

**This half-term we are reading:**



## English

We will continue to read FAR<sup>T</sup>H<sup>E</sup>R, by Grahame Baker-Smith. The children will aim to write their own sequel to the story.

Our second book is Weslandia by Paul Fleischman and we will create our own shelters, write descriptions and finally a non-chronological report about our own civilisation.

Our guided reading book is the heart warming story of The Poet's Dog by Patricia McLachlan.

## SUMMER 2

## RE

We have a new unit titled, "What inspires people to make the world a more just place?" The children will explore the idea that everyone has a personal worldview and that this may lead people to take action to make the world a better place.

## Science

We will be investigating the question, 'How are living things grouped?' We will be classifying living things and looking at how environments change.

## Geography

We will be investigating the question, 'Why should we protect the world's rainforests?' We will find out where in the world we find rainforests; the features of rainforests; the impacts of deforestation and why they are so important.

## DT

We will be looking at 'shelters' this half term and learning how to create effective 3D structures.

## Computing

We will be using Scratch to design and create our own games.

## Music

We will be learning to play a range of rhythms and pieces on the djembe drums.

## PE

Our PE sessions will focus on cricket and OAA (Outside Adventurous Activities).