

ENGLISH KEY STORIES (3)

During this unit, we will be focusing on our third key story of the year- The Miraculous Journey of Edward Tulane

We will be reading and discussing the book and working on writing tasks linked to the text including speech punctuation, character descriptions and creating our own short narratives.

PERSUASION.

After this we will move on to looking at how our writing can be adapted to persuade our readers to think or do something. We will look at how this is done in letters written about something we are passionate about, and how they have an affect on us . We will look at the features that are used and then use them ourselves in our own letter writing.



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GEOGRAPHY: Rivers

In Geography , we will be learning about rivers. This will include looking at how rivers are used around the world and how human activity affects rivers. We will learn about the stages and features of a river, and how land use changes from the sources to the mouth. We will also look at the impact that flooding can have.

MATHS



Decimals

Making a whole
Comparing and ordering decimals
Rounding decimals

Money

Pounds and pence/Convert pounds and pence
Estimating and calculating with money
Adding and subtracting money, giving change.
Problem solving with money

Time

Hours, minutes and seconds
Years, weeks, months and days
Telling the time; Using am and pm; 24 hour clock
Converting analogue to digital (12 hour and 24 hour)
Convert from the 24 hour clock



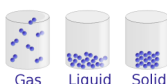
COMPUTING

Stop Frame Animation



In Computing this half term, the children will use a range of techniques to create a stop-frame animation using tablets.

Next, they will apply those skills to create a story-based animation. The unit will conclude with children adding other types of media to their animation, such as music and text.



SCIENCE: States of Matter

In Science, we will learn about states of matter. We will be learning about the differences between solids, liquids and gases, classifying objects and identifying their properties. We will also be looking into changing states and conducting scientific enquiries using our knowledge, understanding and scientific enquiry skills. As well as this, we will be looking at the water cycle.

PE



Football and Athletics



In PE this half term, we will be working outdoors (when the weather allows) to develop our skills for these sports.

Teamwork, communication and cooperation will be themes running throughout the lessons alongside the skill development.

RE

Hinduism

In RE this half term, the children will learn more about the beliefs, festivals, holy books and symbolism related to the religion of Hinduism.

MUSIC

Pocket Trumpets

In Music this half term, we will be developing our trumpet skills with Mr Rudkin from the Newcastle Music Service and representing notation using Charanga.

PHSE

Relationships

In PHSE this half term, the children will be looking at a variety of relationships including those with friends, family and online and how to establish trust and respect

SPANISH

Classroom objects and commands

We will learn the names for familiar classroom objects as well as some familiar classroom commands. We will continue learning the alphabet in Spanish.

ART

Sculpture

We will use familiar shapes to create simple 3D drawings and describe the shapes used, transfer a drawn idea into a soap carving and work with a range of materials and tools to create different Art sculptures, looking into the great work of El Anatsui.