

Curriculum Information

Autumn 2 Year 4





Our topic this half term is 'Take One Author – Michael Morpurgo'

Michael Morpurgo has written over 100 books. We are going to learn more about him as a person and see if we can spot a common theme in his stories.

As writers, we will be writing a biography, a persuasive letter and a narrative.

As readers, we will read and discuss a range of texts written by Michael Morpurgo including 'The Butterfly Lion.'

In Maths, we will learn methods for multiplication and division, interpret data and secure knowledge of multiplication facts.

In Science, we will explore how sounds are made and how they travel to our ear.

In Computing, stop motion animation is our key learning as well as focusing on online bullying during anti-bullying week.

In Design and Technology, we will use our computing learning to design, make and evaluate a Christmas decoration which uses Micro:bits. We are also making gingerbread to sell at the Christmas Fair.

In Geography, we are locating the seven continents and naming some European countries. We will use 8-point compass directions to describe their location to one another.

In Languages, we will be speaking, listening, reading and writing about shop names around a town.

In Music, we will be listening to famous theme tunes such as Pink Panther and composing our own using different textures.

In PSHE, we will learn about family relationships and the importance of them as well as continuing our work on the Protective Behaviour curriculum.

In PE, we will take part in football and a South African Gumboot dance.

In RE, we will learn about 'The First Holy Communion'; a Christian sacrament.