

### English

#### **The Firework Maker's Daughter by Phillip Pullman.**

This term we will be reading 'The Firework Maker's Daughter'. The children will be focusing on persuasive writing, in order to do this they will work on understanding the main character Lila, so that they can write a persuasive letter from her perspective.

Later in the term the children will complete some poetry learning, revisiting figurative language devices and using this knowledge to create their own poetry.

### History

#### **This term the children will be learning about life in the Stone Age.**

We will work towards this by answering these questions:

- What is prehistory?
- What was life like during the Palaeolithic period of the Stone Age?
- What was life like during the Mesolithic period of the Stone Age?
- What was life like during the Neolithic period of the Stone Age?
- How and why did Stone Age people migrate?

### P.E

#### Respond Differently

This unit focuses on developing every child's ability to respond differently to different tasks or activities. Children will work on developing and applying their sending and receiving skills which will be part of healthy competition, cooperative games and personal best challenges.

### Art

#### Collage

This term the children will be working towards creating their own collage of a mythical beast that they will have the opportunity to design. They will also be exploring mark making and different ways to make different patterns using paint, they will use their own patterns as the materials to create their collage.

### School Value Determination

This term we will be focusing on determination, we will ensure to encourage all children to try their best in order to be successful with their learning.



### **Where Children Come First**

### P.S.H.E

#### What makes a community?

We will be considering how we belong to different communities, what is meant by a diverse community, how the community helps everyone feel included and how we should respect towards people who may live differently to us.

### Maths

#### **This term in Maths we will:**

#### **Fractions**

Understand what the numerator and denominator are.  
Know the difference between a unit and non-unit fraction.  
Compare fractions.  
Order fractions.  
Recognize equivalent fractions.

#### **Mass and capacity**

Measure in g and kg.  
Recognise equivalent masses.  
Measure capacity and volume in ml and l.

### Computing

Presenting using PowerPoint.

This term the children will be learning how to create presentations using PowerPoint. They will be...  
Making a simple presentation from a blank page.  
Learning how to add images.  
Adding animations to make their presentation more interesting and interactive.

### Religious Education

#### Christianity and Islam

This term we will be working towards answering the main question:  
Why do people pray? We will be considering...  
Reasons people pray,  
What happens during Islamic prayer.  
How Christians pray.

### Science

#### Rocks and Fossils

Our enquiry for this term is: Are all rocks made up in the same way?

We will work towards this by answering the following questions:

- What is the Earth made up of?
- How are different rocks formed?
- How are fossils formed?

We will also be learning about the Chinese polymath **Zhang Heng** and what he discovered.