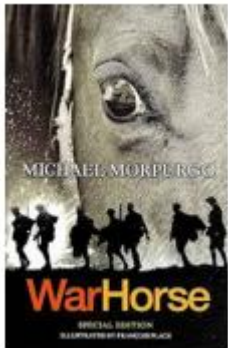


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Guided Reading

We will be using the text, 'War Horse' during our guided reading sessions this half term!



How you can help:

Please read with your child at home everyday.

This might be them reading their reading book to you, you reading a more complex text to them, or simply encouraging them to read as opportunities arise in everyday life.

Maths

We will first revisit Place Value, working with numbers up to 1,000,000, moving on to using this knowledge in addition and subtraction problems.

Finally, we will then move on to Multiplication and Division.

As well as this we will also be spending time each day working on our 1 to 12 times tables and our foundational facts.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
2	4	6	8	10	12	14	16	18	20
3	6	9	12	15	18	21	24	27	30
4	8	12	16	20	24	28	32	36	40
5	10	15	20	25	30	35	40	45	50
6	12	18	24	30	36	42	48	54	60
7	14	21	28	35	42	49	56	63	70
8	16	24	32	40	48	56	64	72	80
9	18	27	36	45	54	63	72	81	90
10	20	30	40	50	60	70	80	90	100

How you can help:

Daily practise of times tables using TTRockstars or through oral rehearsal.

Ensure children complete their weekly homework. Our homework will be based on building on our foundational facts and place value knowledge to complete calculations based on real life examples.

English

This half term our English work will be based on the book 'War Horse' by Michael Morpurgo. By the end of the unit, we will have written a diary entry from the perspective of the main character and written a persuasive piece of text. We will use different types of grammar skills recapping on skills learnt in Year 4 and developing these using relative clauses and modal verbs.

History

'Off with her head!'

This half term, we will be exploring life during the Tudor period. We will be using our historical study skills to build a picture of why King Henry VIII is Britain's most famous monarch, how the world changed in this period, and how the legacy still lives on today.

Science

This half term we will be learning about properties of materials. We will be taking part in a range of experiments relating to dissolving, filtering, evaporating and reversible/irreversible changes.

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<u>MFL</u> This half term we will be revisiting Y4 learning to speak and write in French. Children will develop French vocabulary.	<u>RE</u> This half term, we will be exploring the question ‘How Can Following God Bring Freedom and Justice?’ We will be focussing on a Christian perspective and aiming to understand how and why these issues may be important in Christianity. We will look at chapters and verses of both the New and Old Testament of the Bible and reflect on our own beliefs about freedom and justice in the world.	<u>Key dates & Information</u> Friday 18th September Trip to Stafford Fire Station Wednesday 23rd September Trip to RAF Cosford Tuesday 20th October Parent Workshop – PE 2pm
<u>PE</u> Swimming Children need their swimming kits in school each Thursday. Dodgeball Children can come to school in their PE kits on TUESDAY. No earrings please.	<u>Art</u> We will be launching our art topic in the first week of the Autumn term with an art day, focusing on the artist Deborah Shapiro. We will be sketching and layering materials to explore the effect of a range of materials. We will then develop this work by creating digital collages, focusing on the effect of texture, colour and shade	
<u>Spelling Focus</u> Week 1— Statutory Spellings Week 2— Words with the letter string ‘ough’ Week 3— Words with ‘silent’ letters Week 4— Statutory Spellings Week 5— Words ending in ‘-able’ and ‘-ible’ Week 6 — Homophones Week 7— Statutory Spellings	<u>PSHE</u> This half term we will be learning all about : Me and My Relationships I can give a range of examples of our emotional needs and explain why they are important. I can give a few examples of how to stand up for myself (be assertive) and say when I might need to use assertiveness skills.	