

### Literacy

As we explore our power of reading texts, we will continue to focus on using our phase 5 phonics knowledge and apply it to our writing. We will also be learning to spell tricky words. Through our increased stamina, our focus will be on sequencing narrative and understanding features of poetry. Can you practice your writing at home? The non-negotiables are: capital letters, finger spaces and full stops.

### Geography

This half term we will be exploring physical and human features found across the United Kingdom. Which of these are natural? Which are man-made? We will be beginning to use new vocabulary to describe the similarities and differences between each place.

### Art

Have you ever seen a sculpture? Through the artist Johnson Zuze, we will become amazing artists. We will be designing and making a clay sculpture animal. We will be learning some new skills and techniques, discovering how to manipulate clay.

### Key Dates

Minibeast day – 23.04.24  
Mufti rainbow raffle – 26.04.24  
The Look Out Discovery Centre Trip – 03.05.24

### PSHE

Our Jigsaw unit is 'Relationships'. We look at the different kinds of relationships with families, friends and school community. We will explore the qualities needed to have healthy relationships.

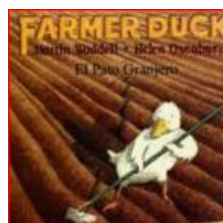
## All creatures great and small



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Our Power of Reading texts this term is 'Famer Duck', 'Slug need a hug' and 'Look inside nature'.



### PE

In preparation for sports day, we will be exploring our athletics skills. This will involve sprinting, long jump, throwing and many more. We will be throwing and receiving a ball with increasing control and continuing to develop hand-eye coordination.

### Science

Do you know how to group different animals? In our Science lessons, we will be classifying and organising animals into groups; fish, birds, reptiles, amphibians and reptiles. We will also be looking at carnivores, herbivores and omnivores.

### Maths

This term we will be using all of our resources and manipulatives to review taught facts to add and subtract numbers 1-100. With our magical number of 100, we will be continuing to develop our writing number skills using a 100 square. In addition to this, we will be reviewing our tens and ones knowledge to answer 2-digit number equations. Later in the term, we will be learning all about coins. Can you remember the different colours and shapes of coins?

### RE

Do you know the name of the holy book that Jews read? A Torah is a scroll that is their holy book. Jewish people use a yad (pointer) to help read Hebrew writing.

### Music

Can you tell the difference between long and short sounds?  
Can you tell the difference between high and low sounds?  
Through tuned percussion instruments we will be having fun to find out!

### Computing

Do you how to find out information on the internet safely? This term we will be researching on the internet under the supervision of an adult. We will be using internet sites such as 'Google' to look at maps of the United Kingdom and videos of different animals. Every lesson will begin with an E-safety starter.