

Year 4 - Spring 1

Science: This half term in Year 4 we will be learning all about the topic of electricity! We will be learning how to create a circuit, exploring the components and exploring electrical conduction and insulation.



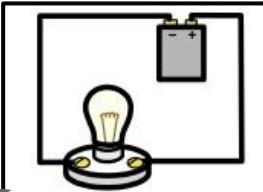
Art: Craft and Design - Fabric of nature.

In art we will be looking at how nature inspires art and design, with a particular focus on the rainforest. We will be using view finders and working with fabric to repeat patterns and produce a piece of Batik. Our focus artist will be William Morris.



The children will be taught French fortnightly.

Maths - We will be using the Power Maths scheme of work to teach the children multiplication and division, We will continue to use TT Rockstars in preparation for the MTC in June. Please check [My Maths](#) weekly for online maths homework.



We will be visiting Exeter University, to watch the Bournemouth Symphony Orchestra play

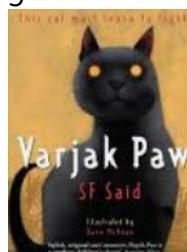


PE: Handball and bridges. The children will need their PE kits on Mondays.



We will also be swimming on a Friday this half term.

Music: Bournemouth Symphony Orchestra and whole class teaching of guitars.



Writing: This half term we will be writing a narrative based on the book 'Voices in the park' and the short film 'The Pinman'. We will continue to be working on sentence structure.

Guided Reading: We will be developing our reading skills using the book 'Varjak Paw'.

RE: Islam

Our key question is: How do festivals and worship show what matters to a muslims?

Geography:

In Geography, we will be learning about the differences between Jungles and Deserts and their climates and biomes.

Our key question is 'Why are jungles so wet.'

PSHE: This half term we will be learning about 'Safety and the Changing Body'.

Computing :

In computing we will be looking at programming and creating repetition in shapes. The children will create their own game code.

Keep in touch through Seesaw. We will be sharing our learning with you at home.

