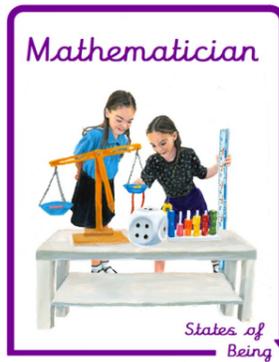


Term 6 in Year 4



Maths

Maths this term for Year 4 will begin with shape, looking at angles and turns to then move on to position and direction. This is a wonderful unit where we translate shapes on a grid using coordinates and use lines of symmetry. From there we will move on to our last unit—statistics where we will interpret and use data in different graphs and charts. Most importantly, we will begin term 6 by practicing and then taking our year 4 times tables test so try to practice as much as possible at home!



English

In English, Owls will be creating fiction based on Grahame Baker-Smith's beautifully illustrated book, 'The Rhythm of the Rain'. The book follows the course of the water cycle so links with our enquiry and we will also use the story line to create newspaper reports for our non-fiction unit.



Enquiry

Our big question this term is 'Where does our water come from and what are the effects of water pollution?' Using our knowledge of solids, liquids and gases we will work scientifically to see what happens when materials are heated or cooled. This will help us learn about condensation and evaporation and the part they play in the water cycle. Looking at the different features of a river will help us understand its course. Being artists, we will look at the work of Claude Monet, mimicking his use of warm and cold colours, tone and brush techniques! From there, our focus will switch to the dangers changing environments can cause to living things including water pollution.



PSHE

Our PSHE unit this term is called 'Changing Me'. We will be talking about how our bodies change as we grow up, being introduced to the concept of puberty/menstruation in girls and the body parts involved in having a baby and why people might choose to have a baby.

RE

Our RE this term we will be digging deeper into what Christians learn from the Creation story, turning our attention to the fall and themes of temptation and the idea that humans are not always good.

Spanish

Our Spanish unit this term is called, 'What is the weather?' We will learn weather phrases and create a forecast. We will also learn to talk about time on the hour.

Computing

In computing this term we will be using Scratch, using a block-based programming language to explore count-controlled and infinite loops when creating a game.

PE

PE days will be **Monday** and **Wednesday**. This term, Year 4 will have swimming lessons and sports week!

On Monday, we will be doing tennis!



Music

At the end of this term, we have our Ukulele performance we will use our music lessons practice the words to all of our songs!

