

As readers and authors we will be:

- studying through texts - 'The Angel of Nitshill Road by Anne Fine and 'A Place Called Perfect' by Helena Duggan
- writing exciting description and narrative pieces, and some non-fiction
- taking part in daily whole class reading sessions
- reading aloud to our teachers
- revising the Y3 /4 spelling list
- revising word class, pronouns and adverbial phrasing
- ensuring we have perfect punctuation
- learning to join our handwriting



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As members of our community we will be:

- learning about religions and considering key questions
- considering our choices and decisions

As athletes we will be:

- taking part in weekly Fit2Go theory sessions
- playing Covid-safe team games
- practising our running skills
- HIIT



As scientists we will be:

- studying living things and their habitats
- grouping living things
- using classification keys to group and identify
- recognise that environments can change and that this can have an effect on others



As mathematicians we will be:

- recognising the place value of each digit in a four-digit number (thousands, hundreds, tens, and ones)
- reading Roman numerals to 100 (I to C) and learning that over time, the numeral system changed to include the concept of zero and place value
- identifying, representing and estimating numbers using different representations
- ordering and comparing numbers beyond 1000
- counting in multiples of 6, 7, 9, 25 and 1000
- counting backwards through zero to include negative numbers
- compare numbers with the same number of decimal places up to two decimal places
- calculating using methods in addition and subtraction



As artists and designers we will be:

- using sketchbooks to record observations and to review and revisit ideas
- creating art in the style of Bridget Riley
- using different grades of pencil to create detailed linear drawings in the style of Kandinsky



As musicians we will be:

- listening to a range of pop music and identify stylistic features.
- learning to sing Mamma Mia, and improvising a pattern on 5 notes to play in an instrumental break and learn a short phrase to play in an instrumental break.



As computing specialists we will be:

- writing code which includes variables to make simulations in an app
- reviewing our rules for online safety at home and at school



As historians we will be:

- Asking: What happened to Britain when the Romans left?
- learning about life in Anglo-Saxon times
- considering why the Anglo-Saxons settled in Britain
- asking whether Alfred was in fact 'Great'



As Geographers we will be:

- investigating the UK and who we are
- discussing identity
- looking at attitudes towards the UK and the ideas people from around the world have about it.
- considering famous places, landmarks and people



As linguists we will be:

- finding out about Jean Miro
- learning the names of shapes
- to describe Miro's paintings using adjectives (after the noun) and to use plural nouns.



Year 4 Homework

Homework is given out each Wednesday, to be returned the following Monday. (unless otherwise stated)

