

Year 4

Unit 5

Beginning- Monday 24th March

MATHS

We will be learning about decimals. We will learn about tenths and hundredths. We will learn how to count, order and record the decimals in different ways. We will begin to see the equivalence between tenths and hundredths and will be able to compare and order the numbers. We will also link tenths and hundredths with dividing by 10 and 100.

At home, please continue to use Monster Multiplication on Purplemash.com to develop quick recall of multiplication facts.

HISTORY

We will be learning about the archaeological evidence of Roman life in Leicester. We will also learn about transportation as a system of punishment. We will investigate the life of "Peppermint Billy," who was deported from Leicester to Transylvania for the crimes that he was found quilty of committing.

ENGLISH

Reading - We will examine a variety of texts to expand our vocabulary, retrieve information and develop our inference.

Writing — We will be writing a fable based on the story of the hare and the Tortoise. We will be learning about direct speech and expanded noun phrases. We will also be writing discussion texts in a courtroom format. These will be based on well-known traditional tales

At home Children must continue to read every day and learn the year four spellings that are home each week.

PE

Please make sure your child has PE kit in school. Our PE days are:

- Tuesday morning
- Friday afternoon

SCIENCE

We will be learning about the impact that humans have on the environment. We learn about the impact of litter in our school. We will investigate how a variety of materials change over a period of time. We will also learn how microplastics get into the food chain.

CURRICULUM

RE — We will be focussing on people who inspire

PSHE – We will be learning about mental and economic well-being.

Computing — We will be learning about digital media. We will be learning how to present information and data using different software.

Art — We will be learning about collage. We will be studying the work of Peter Blake and Danielle Vaughan before creating our own collages.

Music — Expression and improvisation. We will be using glockenspiels to express our feelings through improvisation.

KEY DATES

 28^{th} March: Own clothes/ celebration clothes. Eid 31^{st} March -4^{th} April: Walk to School Week

14th April -25th April. Easter holidays