

### As readers and writers we will:

In Autumn 1, we will Read 'The Dragon Machine' by Helen Ward and write a story based upon the model text using our own ideas for a change of character and machine.

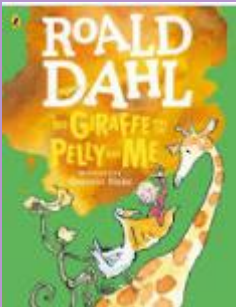
We will read the poem 'From a Railway Carriage' by Robert Louis Stevenson and we will write our own rhyming poem. In Autumn one, we will share the story of 'The Giraffe, the Pelly and Me' by Roald Dahl as a class.

In Autumn 2, we will read 'Major Glad, Major Dizzy' by Jan Oke and write a recount of historical events from the text from Major Glad's point of view.. We will read 'At the Zoo' by WM Thackeray and write a list poem. We will share 'Fantastic Mr Fox' by Roald Dahl as a class.

During our reading lessons we will continue to focus on using and applying our phonics and answering comprehension questions.

We will also explore new vocabulary and spelling strategies during our weekly lessons.

### Books we will read together:



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### As mathematicians we will:

- Recognise and count amounts of money- coins and notes
- Compare amounts of money
- Calculate amounts of money and find change
- Recognise, make and add equals groups
- Make arrays
- Make equal groups to group and share performing multiplication and division
- Learn our 2.5 and 10 times tables
- Double and half number
- Recognise even and odd numbers
- Measure length/height using cm and m, weight in grams and kg and volume in millilitres and litres
- Measure temperature

### As scientists we will:

- Learn about everyday materials
- Recognise that materials are suitable for specific purposes and understanding their properties
- Explore how actions such as stretching and bending affect the shape of solid objects
- Compare the suitability of materials by carrying out tests and recording data.
- Learn about animals and their life cycle and health

### As computer users we will:

- Continue to learn how to be safe online.
- Learn word processing skills including touch typing.
- Make storyboards and simple animation creations using our iPads.

### As geographers we will :

- Look at the countries and cities that make up the UK
- Keep a daily weather record
- Finding out more about hot and cold places in the UK.
- Undertake fieldwork within the school grounds as part of this unit.

### As historians we will:

- Develop our knowledge of events beyond living memory
- Reinforcing our chronological understanding by looking at significant events in the history of flight on a timeline.
- Learn about the individuals who contributed to the history of flight.

### In PE we will:

- Take part in our daily mile activities setting personal goals.
- Focus on the ABC skills (agility, balance and coordination) through gymnastics, dance and games.



### As musicians we will:

- Learn to sing the song 'Once a Man Fell in a Well' and to play it using tuned percussion.
- Use letter notation to write a melody.
- Developing knowledge and understanding of dynamics, timbre, tempo and instruments.
- Learn to compose and play motifs.

### As artists we will:

- Learn fibre art skills such as plaiting, threading, knotting and weaving
- Create three-dimensional woven artworks inspired by artist Cecilia Vicuña.

### In RE we will:

We will be learning about the Islamic faith. We will learn who is a Muslim and how they live.

### As citizens we will we will explore:

