



# Hobbits Autumn 1 2022

## Stronger, Together!



### English

#### Key text: I was a Rat

We will be reading the novel which follows Roger, who turns up unannounced on the doorstep of a cobbler and his wife, one night. Roger claims to have been a rat before changing into a boy. We will be focusing on unpicking characters' emotions, feelings, and actions and obtaining clues from the story.

**The Reading Hour:** Under My Feet and King in the Car Park

**EGPVS:** word classes, basic punctuation, apostrophes

### Maths

#### Focus Area: Place value, addition and subtraction

We will be focussing on our understanding of number and place value, ensuring that the children are confident on the value of numbers before moving onto addition and subtraction.

**Arithmetic Focus:** Four operations

**Times Table Focus:** 2, 3 and 4 s

### Humanities

#### Enquiry Question: Why is Fair Trade Fair?

We will be studying maps and identifying the importance of trade between countries as well as discussing the impact larger companies can have on individual workers.



### Science

#### Focus Area: Changing Materials

We will be investigating the properties of materials and how they have advantages and disadvantages when utilised in different items.

### RE

#### Enquiry Question: What is the best way for a Hindu to show commitment to God?

Our first topic will focus on Hinduism and how they can show commitment to God.

### PE

Year 5 children will be conducting their swimming lessons until Christmas at St. Peter's Centre in Burnley. Their PE in school this half-term will be 'Creative Games' unit.

### Spanish

Children will learn how to: Count to 20, say their name and age, say hello and goodbye and then ask how somebody is feeling and answer how they are feeling.

### Music

The children will develop their use and knowledge of formal, written notation including dotted crotchets on the descant recorder.

### PSHCE

#### Being me in my world

Setting goals and looking at the year ahead.

### Art, Craft & DT

**Artist study:**  
Giacometti - sculpture

### Computing

The children will be learning about online safety. Understanding the SMART rules for when online and exploring how we can use passwords and other features to help keep our information safe.