Hobbits Spring Term 1 2026

Stronger, Together!

English

Key text: Everest

The true story of how Edmund Hillary and Tenzing Norgay became the first people to summit Mount Everest. We will use this to write our own narrative, a setting description, a diary and a narrative poem.

The Reading Hour: Shakespeare

EGPS: relative clauses and pronouns, standard English, past perfect and present perfect tense, ei and ie, unstressed vowels

Maths

Focus Area: Fractions, area, time, negative numbers

Learning how to apply multiplication to find the area of rectilinear shapes, understanding how to calculate the difference between times, understanding and comparing fractions.

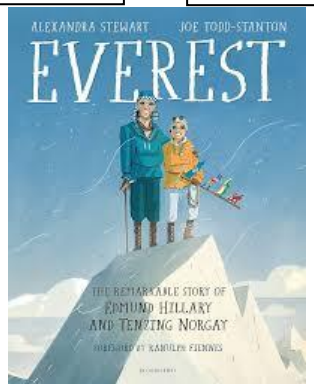
Arithmetic Focus: division

Times Table Focus: Multiplying and dividing multiples of 10, 100 and 1000.

History

Enquiry Question: How have medical breakthroughs affected our lives today?

The children will be learning about what life was like during London in 1665, when the people were faced with the Bubonic Plague. The children will then compare the management of this disease with Covid-19. Additionally, they will focus on the work of Edward Jenner and how he discovered a vaccine for smallpox. Finally, as part of the theme of advancement and progress the children will learn about medical breakthroughs.



Science

Focus Area: Materials

We will be comparing the properties of different materials, changing states of matter and looking at reversible and irreversible changes.

RE

Enquiry Question: What might Hindus learn from stories about Krishna? Describe and explain a variety of ways that Hindus might celebrate the festival of Holi around the world.

PE

This half-term the children will be conducting a unit of learning all about dance. In addition to this, we will be building up our team game skills whilst learning the rules of netball.

Spanish

At the café – learning how to order different food and drink at the café.

Music

Create 4 bar melodies including some off-beat rhythms.

PSHCE

Keeping safe – we will be looking into what constitutes as bullying, and the effects of legal drugs on the body

Art, Craft & DT

Portraits – identifying features of self portraits and creating a mixed media self portrait.

Computing

E-safety and data handling using spreadsheets.

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