

MATHS

This half term we will be consolidating our knowledge of multiplication and division, along with learning about area and scaling.

We will also reinforce the need for quick and accurate recall of times tables knowledge, ensuring the correct foundations are in place for future learning.

PE

This half-term we will be focusing on our dance unit and swimming. Our swimming sessions are held at Peterlee Leisure Centre every Wednesday morning. All sessions will take place in the shallow pool, working up to being able to swim 25m in the big pool.

RE

This half term we will look at the importance of The Last Supper and what Christians believe about God.

MFL

We will continue to review past learning from Y3 and Y4. We will also learn the terms associated with emotions and body parts before looking at phrases that may be used when at the doctor's office.

ENGLISH

In English, we will write another narrative text, this time organised in chapters and written in the style of a particular author. We will also aim to write a non-chronological report and a persuasive text.

Our class novel that we'll use as inspiration for many of our English writing lessons will be: **The Girl Who Lost A Leopard** by Nizrana Farook.

READING

Reading this half-term will involve using our class novel for the term: **The Girl Who Lost a Leopard**, along with other texts that we will study within specific focus groups.

Please continue to read with your child at least three times at home and record it on our Reading App: Learning with Parents. You can even upload pictures and audio! We will focus on VIPERS comprehension skills (vocabulary, inference, prediction, explanation, retrieval and summary).

NAVIGATORS 1 SPRING 1 CURRICULUM



LMTW - Come Fly with Me

"Come Fly with Me! America" is a thematic unit, based on North and Central America, with a key focus on geography and history. It begins with the location of countries and states before learning about the discovery of America and the Native American people. Pupils will also study weather and climate, as well as human and physical features. The unit ends with an explanation of 'The American Dream', whilst examining the values of freedom and tolerance.

LMTW - Come Fly with Me (curriculum breadth)

The other subjects included in this thematic unit are art, dance, ICT / computing, literacy, science, design technology, maths, music and PSHE. Breadth comes, not only from the range of subjects offered, but also from their careful integration, leading to more connected thinking. This helps pupils develop a wider perspective and understand the links between their own lives and those of people around the globe, as well as understanding their own place in the worldwide community.