

St Catherine's Catholic Primary School



Year 4 Spring term 2

English

During this half term in English we will be completing our Ancient Egyptian diary entries on the first week back. We will then focus on our first Poetry unit of the year- the poem we will be studying is called 'The River'. We will finish the term by studying the Narrative 'The boy, the mole the fox and the horse'. The children will then write their own continuation of the plot.

Maths

During this half term we will finishing our unit of 'Fractions' greater than 1 and quantities of fractions. Children will be converting mixed number fractions to improper fractions. Furthermore, we will start looking at decimals which coincides with our fraction's topic. Children will be learning how to calculate divide and multiply decimals. Children's fluency of timetables will be continued focusing on 8's 9's and 12's.

Science

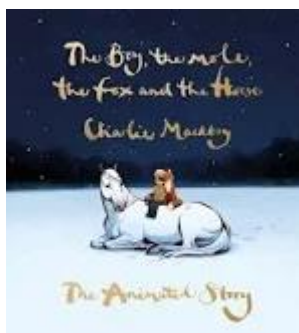
In Science, we will continue with the unit of sound. Then begin to explore the topic of living things and their habitats understanding life processes and animal groupings.

RE

In RE, children will be finishing the Sacrament of the Eucharist topic and start the new unit Self Discipline through Lent, where we are Celebrating growth to new life through self-discipline.

Geography

In Geography we will be learning about the River Nile and how important it is for Egyptians then and now. We will be looking at the features as well as location and agriculture. We will also be comparing the River Nile to our local River Tyne. We will spend time looking at the importance of the Aswan Dam looking at its construction and effects.



Music

In Music we will learn gospel music studying around the song 'Lean on me'. We will be using instruments, composing tools and improvisation games.

Art

In Art, we will be creating Landscapes with the theme of mountains. We will be studying Bob Ross as our artist study and using his work to inspire us to create our own mountainous landscapes.

PSHE

In PSHE, we will be learning Module 2- Created to love others. This unit will focus on friendships, relationships and life online.

PE

In PE, we will be learning skills of tennis with Scott from NUFC foundation and be learning dance with Miss Barnes using the theme of 'Water' as our dance stimulus.

French

The children will be finding out about local places in our community. Revising questions and responses and places around the world. Create a compound spoken sentence by using a conjunction to link 2 simple sentences.