

Our curriculum provides our children with inspirational opportunities that are relevant and generate a lifelong love of learning. We teacher life skills and opportunities to enable our children to be successful now and in the future. It is culturally relevant, engaging and full of celebration and pride.



## WHAT ARE WE LEARNING THIS TERM?

### English

This half term we have been reading our key text "The Iron Man" by Ted Hughes. We have considered the emotions and motive of the characters within the book. We also discussed how the author used a style of writing to create suspense. We will be studying a shortened version of Shakespeare's play "Julius Caesar" next half term— which will link to our previous learning about the Romans.

### Mathematics

In Mathematics, we have learned about the relationship between fractions and decimals. We have just finished our learning journey on money and time so make opportunity to carry out real-life examples regarding this area of Maths. For the final half term, we will learn about the properties of shape.

### Science

We have 2 science topics this term: "Electricity" and "Animals and Habitats". We have already found out how to create a simple circuit and measure the brightness of bulbs using data loggers.

### History

Our learning in History focuses on the Anglo Saxons and their impact upon England. We will find out where they settled in the UK by looking place names.

### DT

Bridges! We had great fun learning about the different types of bridges and how its important to society. We then planned, designed and created our own bridges by demonstrating the use of pneumatics.

### Key facts we are learning this term:

Science: One flash of lightning can power a 1000 houses for one year.

Electricity is a type of energy that can build up in one place and flow to another. Electricity travels at the speed of light -186000 miles an hour

History: The Anglo Saxons were made of 3 tribes the Angles, the Saxons and Jutes. Their name 'Angle land' became England .They left a legacy which included language culture and politics.

### KEY TEACHERS IN THE YEAR 4 GROUP

Mr Ahmed (Year group leader )  
Miss Kyei  
Miss Warrington  
Miss Rahman  
Mr Strange (Assistant head teacher)

### PUPIL COMMENTS:

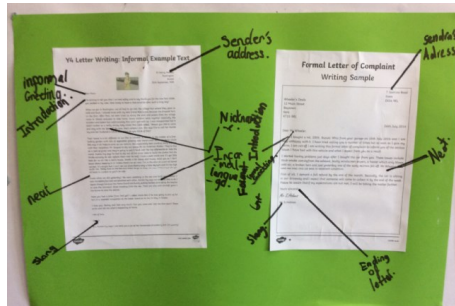
**Mominah 4U— I really enjoyed DT this term because I made a working bridge with my group.**

**Hiba 4W—Computing so fun this term because we were editing pictures.**

**Hareem 4K— Science was really interesting as we were creating circuits using equipment**

**Rafee 4A—I really enjoyed English because we were reading the Iron Man, which was a fun book to read.**

## LOOK AT SOME OF OUR WORK ALREADY:



Material	Result	Conductor or Insulator
Paperclip	In My opinion the paperclip will be insulator and it is not useful for work.	It was a conductor.
Ruler	I think it is a conductor.	It was a conductor.
Pencil	I believe that it is a conductor.	It was a conductor.
Coins	I feel it's a conductor.	It was a conductor.
Foil		
Plastic spoon		
Piece of card		
Rating		



## HOW CAN PARENTS SUPPORT AT HOME?

**History** : There are lots of programmes about history (archaeology digs etc ...) try to watch one.

**Science** : Anything that David Attenborough presents would support our unit on Animals and Habitats

Primary Science Teaching Trust is an excellent website for everything scientific

<https://pstt.org.uk/> It is free

**Maths** Mathsisfun is another good website which reinforces learning through games and quizzes

## HERE ARE SOME



Please ensure you know your Google classroom, Bug Club, TT Rockstars and My Maths log ins. Please ask your class teacher if you do not have these log in details yet.

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## WEBSITE & MOBILE APP:

Do check the school website & our school mobile app regularly. We are continually updating it with information for parents and classes current work. We are working towards being paperless so it is important that you know where to receive updates.

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