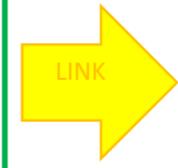


START

Main topic Cross-curricular Learning Links

The whole half term's curriculum is based deserts.

- National Curriculum Aims:
- Identify and name the Tropics of Cancer and Capricorn as well as the Arctic and Antarctic Circles.
 - Identify the location of North and South America, concentrating on key human and physical characteristics, countries and major cities.
 - Understand the geographical similarities and differences through the study of human and physical geography of North or South America



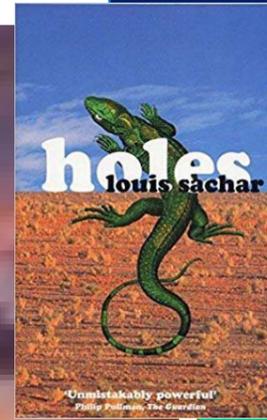
My Writing

In Literacy, we will be using Louis Sachar's Holes as a stimulus to write our own letters and stories. We will also be creating our own hybrid animals to write a non-chronological report about them.

In Book Study, we will be continuing to use book study to support us to comprehend more complex ideas. We will work on our inference and deduction skills as well as our comprehension.

Science

In science, we will be learning about living things and their habitats. We will be learning to sort and group animals based on their features, describe Carl Linnaeus and his development of his classification system, place animals into given groups based on certain characteristics, name types of microorganisms and set up an investigation into harmful microorganisms.



Computing

Programming



PE

In PE this half term we will be focussing on bat and ball skills in hockey.

British Values/Oasis Ethos/SMSC/PSHE

The focus for this half term we will be learning that every grown up has the right to a job and to join a union. We will be learning how to be welcoming, team work skills and how to include everyone.

Maths

In maths this half term, we learning solve problems involving the relative sizes of two quantities where missing values can be found by using integer multiplication and division facts. We will be solving problems involving similar shapes where the scale factor is known or can be found. In geometry, we will be naming parts of circles, including radius, diameter and circumference and know that the diameter is twice the radius. We will also learn how to interpret and construct pie charts and line graphs and use these to solve problems.



Music

In music, we will be exploring sounds linked to journeys. We will also be exploring pitch.

RE

In RE this term, we will be looking at salvation. We will be exploring the question 'What does the resurrection make to Christians?'

Habits

We will be learning to be considerate.

Compassionate	Patient	Humble
Joyful	Honest	Hopeful
Considerate	Forgiving	Self-controlled

Art and Design

In art and design this half term, we combining colours tones and tints to enhance the mood of a piece. We will also be learning to use different brush strokes.

Over print to create different patterns



Geography

We will be studying North and South America. We will be learning to identify some countries and use an atlas to locate the countries; describe human and physical features of an area in the Americas; describe the climate; explain what latitude is; identify the equator, tropics of Cancer and Capricorn and name some wonders of the Americas.

