

Our topic this half term: The world and our energy resources.

Our book this half term: The Boy at the Back of the Class (PSHE link)

English	In our English this half term we will be writing formal letters. We will be focussing on persuasive writing to people in power. Our English unit will link closely to our Geography and give the children the opportunity to write a letter to persuade someone in power to make a change to our community.	(ABC)
Maths	The areas that will be covered this half term are: fractions, decimals, percentages and consolidating the learning we already have covered. Throughout these areas we will always be looking to use and apply these skills in real life situations.	$2+3=5$ 
Science	In our Science this half term we will be focusing on classifying living things. We will be looking at why and how we can classify living things, how the whole process began, we will use classification keys and will complete experiments to improve our skills when working scientifically.	
PSHE/RSE	In our PSHE this half term we will be focussing on the topic 'Healthy Me'. We will be focussing on what makes a healthy person and how we can be healthy within our lifestyles (mentally and physically).	
RE	In our RE this half term, we will be asking the big question: Is Christianity still a strong religion 2,000 years after Jesus was on the Earth. We are focusing on the Christian religion and the theme of Easter and salvation.	
PE	This term we are focusing on invasion games, such as netball. We will be working on a range of skills from: chest passing, shoulder passing, shooting, making decisions in a game, using space and invasion tactics all with consistency and control.	
French	We will learn how to talk about 'Healthy Lifestyles' in French. We will learn words for healthy and unhealthy food and drinks, how to talk about activities that keep us healthy and we will write a healthy recipe.	
Music	In Music this half term, we are going to be working alongside Lancashire's Music Hub. We will be learning more about how to play the cornet.	
Computing	In computing, we will be exploring the topic 'Big Data'. We will be looking at how data is transmitted, how to keep information private, analysing data and a range of vocabulary and acronyms needed to understand data handling.	
Geography	In Geography, we will be exploring <i>The Energy of America</i> and our key enquiry is 'Where does our energy come from?'. We will be learning about and recapping a range of renewable energy resources, what is used in America, comparing it to our local energy and discussing how we could improve our local area.	
Art	As artists this half term, we will be creating within the topic of 'Activism'. In which we will be focussing on the use of colour. We will be looking at the work of a range of artists, making visual notes and comparisons and then completing our own screen printing.	

Our enrichment this half term: We will be completing field work in Geography to aim to improve our local area.