

## English

Our class read this half term is Holes, by Louis Sachar. This will be our stimulus for our reading lessons each week. We will be using parts of the book to apply reading skills such as; inference, deduction, summarising, retrieving information from the text and understanding author's use of language.

This half-term we have two writing genres. We will begin by revisiting diary entries and their features. We write our own based on Harry Potter. We will then focus on a short narrative using Hansel and Gretel as a stimulus. We will also be reviewing and editing past independent writes.

## RE

This half term, the children will be answering the big question, 'What matters most to Christians and Humanists?' They will considering both perspectives while asking their own questions about what is important to them.

## PE

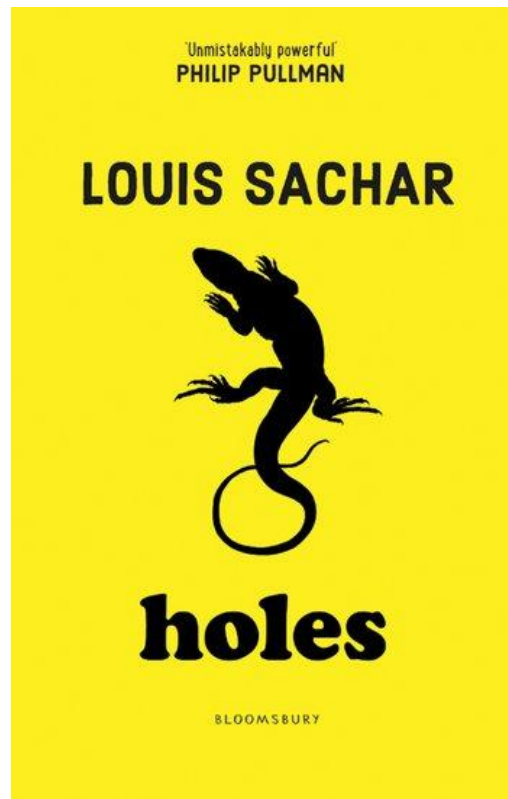
This half term, the children will be continuing their work on Basketball. Lessons will mostly consist of matches so children can embed the skills they have learned.

For our outdoor sessions, the children will be learning the rules and game play for rounders. Children will learn the skills for batting and fielding.

## Music

This half term pupils will further develop their keyboard skills.. They will be able to play tunes using both hands and from notation. They will learn about Beethoven's life and music and the Ode to Joy from the Ninth Symphony and play this on the keyboard.

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## Science

Our topic this half term is 'Living things and their habitats'. We will be looking at different ways to group and classify living things, including animals, plants and micro-organisms. The children will be able to classify a range of organisms by using observable features and create their own keys, and use Venn diagrams to sort these

## Maths

In maths, we will continue to complete our unit on shape, including: angles, translation, reflection, shape properties and coordinates.

Within our arithmetic lessons, we will be consolidating the children's understanding of the four operations and working with equivalent fractions, percentages and decimals.

Throughout the half term, we will also be revisiting previous units that the children were less confident with and exploring mathematical problems.

## Spanish

This half term, we will complete our work on the weather. We will be able to describe and have conversations about the weather, as well as talking about our favourite Ice Cream.

## Art

This half term pupils will be exploring sculpture and 3D and creating a personal memory box using a collection of found objects and hand-sculptured forms, reflecting primary school life with symbolic and personal meaning.

## History/Geography

This half term we are consolidating learning from previous units. We will therefore be revisiting World War 2, The Industrial Revolution, South America and Sharing Resources equally.

## PSHE

Children will be learning about the principles of enterprise, including profit and loss, principles of charity work, and working collaboratively towards common goals.