

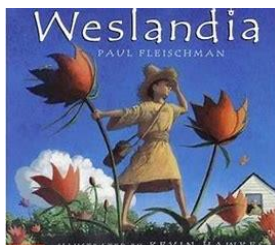


# Thornton In Craven

## COMMUNITY PRIMARY SCHOOL

Summer 1 2025

In **English** lessons this term, we are looking at the book *Small in the City*. We will be writing narratives from an alternative point of view. We will be using all the skills we have learnt so far this year and including this in our writing.



**In Maths** we will be further our learning of fractions and moving on to time. We will also continue working on quick recall of times tables. Year 4s will take a times table test in the summer 2 term. Regular practise of new tables and repetition of ones previously learnt is invaluable. Details of tables to be practised are on your child's homework grid. Here are some links to support you doing this at home:

[Times Tables Rock Stars: Play \(ttrockstars.com\)](https://www.ttrockstars.com)

**Reading** – Your child will have 2 reading books. One is an AR book chosen according to their reading range. Reading with an adult remains really important so new words and understanding can be discussed. We ask that you aim to read daily with your child, making a note in their student journal. House points are awarded for every time they have read at home (with written proof!) Your child will also be read at least once a week in school. Their second book is chosen from our class library and is to be enjoyed as you wish, looking at the pictures, a book for you to read to your child or to read together.

### **Homework**

In addition to reading and timetables, your child has received a Homework Grid. There are a variety of tasks from which they need to pick 3 to complete by the end of term.

### **Student Planners**

Your child will have a student planner. There is space for reading to be logged and messages written by home and school. These will be checked daily in school and we ask that you do the same at home to aid communication. There is space for you to sign at the end of the week to show you have accessed this.

### **Geography**

We will be learning about *Food and Farming*. We will look at how some common foods are produced and the processes involved and the impact of food production on the environment.

### **Art**

We will be making animation. The children will be introduced to the idea that we can create moving imagery through sequenced drawings and create their own moveable drawings.

### **Science**

We will be learning about electricity this term. We will look at different appliances in the home, how to build circuits and conductors and insulators.



### **PHSE**

We will be looking at safety including how to keep ourselves safe. We will be looking at safety around things such as computer games, roads and railways.

### **PE**

Children will be doing athletics on a **Wednesday** and rugby on a **Friday**. Earrings should not be worn for any PE session please help your child stay safe by removing their earrings on a PE day.

### **R.E.**

In RE we will be looking at the question "How do family and friends show what matters to Jewish people?"

### **Computing**

In computing we will be learning about coding, including designing and running different codes.

### **Music**

Children will be learning to read music. They will be linking last term's learning about John Williams and learning to play some of his pieces on the xylophone.