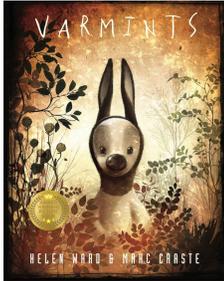
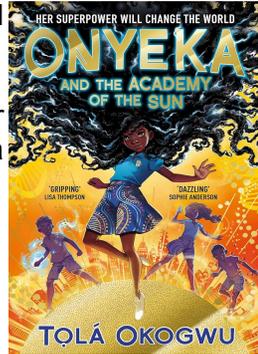




Literacy and Reading



In Literacy, pupils will develop their reading and writing skills through a range of high-quality texts. Using *Varmints* by Helen Ward, children will write a non-chronological report and a persuasive argument, exploring themes of environmental change. They will learn how to write using formal tone, organisational features and persuasive techniques. Alongside this, pupils will explore poetry from Valerie Bloom's *Hot Like Fire* collection, focusing on rhythm, imagery and voice, and will create their own poems inspired by her distinctive style.



In reading, pupils will continue to develop their comprehension skills through reading the text *Onyeka and the academy of the sun*.

Maths

In this unit, pupils will develop fluency and accuracy in multiplying and dividing large numbers. They will learn to multiply 3-digit and 4-digit numbers by 1-digit and 2-digit numbers using the formal column method, building on their understanding of place value and known number facts. Pupils will also learn to divide 3-digit and 4-digit numbers using short division and introduced to long division where appropriate. Throughout the unit, children will apply these written methods to solve problems and explain their reasoning using precise mathematical vocabulary.



Science - Earth and Space



In this unit, pupils will explore Earth and Space, developing their understanding of the movement of the Earth, Moon and Sun. They will learn about day and night, the phases of the Moon, and the relationship between the Earth and the Sun. Children will use scientific vocabulary, models and observations to explain how these movements affect life on Earth, while developing skills in questioning, recording and explaining scientific ideas.

RE



In RE, pupils will learn about Lent and Holy Week, exploring their significance within the Christian faith. They will reflect on the themes of sacrifice, forgiveness and salvation, and examine key events leading up to Easter, including Jesus' actions and teachings. Children will be encouraged to make connections between biblical stories, Christian beliefs and their own values and actions.



Computing

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Pupils will learn to use spreadsheets to organise and calculate data, create charts, and present information clearly, developing their problem-solving and digital skills.



Geography

In this unit, pupils will be learning about Oceans exploring the role they play in trade and climate. They will investigate how ocean currents affect weather and human activity, and examine issues such as ocean pollution.



PE

In this unit, pupils will develop their fitness, strength, and stamina through a variety of circuit activities.



PSHE

In PSHE this term, the children will be participating in a Brain Buddies workshop promoting mental health and wellbeing.

Geography



In this unit, pupils will develop their cooking and nutrition skills by learning how to prepare and cook a healthy spaghetti bolognese. They will explore ingredients, follow step-by-step recipes, and apply food safety and hygiene practices. Children will also consider nutritional value, taste, and presentation, reflecting on their finished dishes and evaluating how to improve their cooking techniques.

Music

In music, pupils will be learning how to play the clarinet .



History

In this unit, pupils will explore the Viking period in Britain, including Viking raids, settlements, and their influence on Anglo-Saxon life. They will study key figures, such as the Lady of the Mercians, to understand leadership, power, and everyday life in the Anglo-Saxon kingdom. Pupils will learn to use spreadsheets to organise and calculate data, create charts, and present information clearly, developing their problem-solving and digital skills.

Homework

Homework is sent home on a **Friday** every week, which includes comprehension, spellings and a maths task.

Trips

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