

Spring 1

Year 4 - 2023

Geography: Can you come on a Great American Road Trip?

- Using Maps to distinguish between cities and states
- Identifying key regions of American continents
- Distinguishing between continent, country, state and city

Science: Sound

- To observe and name a variety of sounds.
- To identify how sounds are made.
- To identify patterns in data.
- To use results to form conclusions.

MATHS

Fractions

- Explore representations of fractions
- Equivalent fractions
- Mixed number and improper fractions
- Add and subtract fractions with the same denominator

Time

- Analogue to digital, 12- hour and 24-hour
- Convert between units of time

Multiplication and division

- Using short division.
- Calculating with multiplication.

English

'Book study'

The Day the Crayons Quit

Play scripts – Exploring how to read and write play scripts, using colons and brackets for stage directions.

Persuasive letter writing – Letter writing structure, punctuation, persuasive language.

DT

Mechanical posters – Exploring the mechanisms that allow objects to move and apply this to create moving picture posters.

PSHE

PSHE- Valuing differences

Keeping safe
Anti-bullying
Friendship
Citizenship (Difference and Diversity)

Computing

Spreadsheets-
collecting and
presenting
information using
software.

PE

Tennis – Developing skills in using rackets and ball control.

Football – Developing co-ordination and ball control. Teamwork and passing the ball.

RE- Buddhism

Learn about the key beliefs of Buddhism.
Can the Buddha's teachings make the world a better place?

MUSIC

Compose with your friends – exploring how to compose music and perform using the glockenspiels.

French

Gone Shopping
Learning French vocabulary used when shopping and practising speaking in sentences.