












# Newsletter – Summer 2 – Year 4

 <p>ENGLISH</p>	<p>We will focus on <b>The Feast</b>; this is a short Disney animation about a dog. We will use it to inspire narrative writing. The children will be finding out about adverbial phrases, dialogue, prepositions, repetition and use of conjunctions.</p>	 <p>MATHS</p>	<p><b>Shape:</b> Children will learn to understand angles as turns. Identifying, comparing and ordering, different types of angles.</p> <p><b>Position and Direction:</b> Describe position using coordinates and plot coordinates. Draw 2d shapes on a grid and translate them.</p>
 <p>SCIENCE</p>	<p><b>Electricity.</b> Construct simple series electrical circuits, naming cells, wires, bulb, switches and buzzers. Identify whether a lamp will or will not light due to complete/incomplete circuit.</p>	 <p>COMPUTING</p>	<p><b>Internet safety.</b> We will learn how to keep ourselves safe when using the internet.</p>
 <p>HISTORY</p>	<p><b>Benin.</b> We will learn key facts about the ancient Benin Kingdom, in Africa (such as definitions of Ogiso, Edo etc.) as well as important dates in history and their significance.</p>	 <p>DESIGN &amp; TECHNOLOGY</p>	<p><b>Fastenings.</b> There are a number of fastenings that you can use to bring two pieces of fabric together. To make a 2d net, to fold and fasten into a 3d book cover.</p>
 <p>FRENCH</p>	<p>We will be learning to speak and write French with the 'Date' scheme of work. We will learn the days of the week and the months of the year. To revise and consolidate the numbers to 31.</p>	 <p>MUSIC</p>	<p>This term will focus on performing with song and accompaniment. Children will be performing with the Halle Orchestra.</p>
 <p>P.S.H.E</p>	<p><b>Money Matters-</b> Understanding what a bank is and the way people pay for things. Discussing spending and saving decisions.</p>	 <p>RELIGIOUS EDUCATION</p>	<p><b>Does the Language of scripture matter?</b> Looking at transition from oral tradition to written scripture. Investigating how the use of written language can change over time in different religions and why some languages are used in scripture.</p>
 <p>P.E</p>	<p><b>Rounders and Orienteering.</b> We will be building skills of batting and fielding through learning how to play rounders on Tuesdays. We will take part in Orienteering lessons on Mondays, developing map reading skills and following routes around the school grounds.</p>		