



# Primary 4

Miss Ainsworth

## Term 3 Learning Targets



### Literacy

#### **Reading**

P4 will continue to develop their comprehension skills through using the Active Literacy strategies (prior knowledge, metalinguistics, visualisation, inference, main idea and summary). Our next novel is 'James in the Giant Peach' by Roald Dahl.

This term we will recognise and discuss the difference between fact and opinions in a variety of texts.

#### **Writing**

This term pupils will be focusing on Instructional and Personal writing, as well as covering other genres through our I.D.L topic.

#### **Grammar and Punctuation**

Some of our new learning will include antonyms, homonyms, homophones, identifying and understanding speech marks and past tense.

#### **Phonics into Spelling Programme**

There will be 2 weeks focus on spelling then 2 weeks on phonics in rotation (same as last term).

#### **Listening and Talking**

Children will be asked to prepare and deliver a speech on an area of their choice from our 1970s topic. A letter will be sent home with more information regarding this.

### Numeracy

Numeracy will continue to involve a mixture of concrete, pictorial and written methods to reinforce learning and deepen understanding. We will continually revise and consolidate areas of prior learning as well as focusing on the following new areas of learning:

- Time
- Data Analysis
- Expressions and Equations
- Patterns and Relationships

P4 are currently in the middle of a block of learning on Money.

'Number Talks' - pupils will continue to develop a range of mental maths strategies through Number Talks.

## **Health & Wellbeing**

### **P.E.**

Athletics

### **Health**

This term, we will have our Relationships, Sexual Health and Parenthood - more information on this can be found by accessing the school blog.

We will also cover a block on 'Substance Misuse' which will include learning about medication and how substances (e.g., berries, bleach etc) can affect our health and wellbeing.

## **Social Studies**

P4 will be learning about the 1970s as part of our whole school 'Through the Decades' topic. We will cover a range of topic areas including:

- Significant events
- Technological developments
- Toys
- Fashion
- Music

## **Technologies**

Through our block on data analysis, P4 will learn how to interpret as well as create a range of charts and graphs using excel.

We will also look in more detail to 'Cyber Resilience and Internet Safety'.