

ENGLISH

This term our English work will be focused on folk tales and the story Mufaro's Beautiful Daughters'. We will analyze how two or more texts can address a similar theme. The children will retell the story using story maps and act out the story using Green Screen to record. The children will develop their writing skills by using more descriptive phrases and will eventually write their own version of the story. Leading up to Christmas, we will be analysing a wide range of poem and exploring how each poet has used poetic devices to create images and atmosphere.

MATHS

Children will recall multiplication and division facts for multiplication tables up to 12X12. They will learn multiply and divide two and three-digit numbers by one-digit numbers using the formal written methods. Mental maths and problem-solving skills will be developed and improved. Units of measurement and the perimeter of rectilinear shapes will also be studied this term.

P.S.H.E.E.

Through our story of Mufaro's Beautiful Daughters, we will analyze and discuss acts of kindness and selfishness as well as feelings of jealousy and anger. This will support our focus this term on anti-bullying. We will discuss and question beliefs about what bullying is and how it can be dealt with.

ESPAÑOL

Lengua Castellana: Gramática, Ortografía, Vocabulario y comprensión lectora estarán presentes en este período.
Ciencias Sociales: Sistema Solar.
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Year 4

Autumn Term 2



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MUSIC

This term we will be singing a variety of Christmas and winter holiday songs. We will also be exploring the use of percussion instruments and learning some simple dance steps.

ART

Children will explore the paintings of Miró, noting key techniques, style and influence. They will explore how ideas and emotions can be expressed through abstract art and create a series of experimental paintings. Christmas arts and crafts will also be enjoyed.

TOPIC - HISTORY

The focus of our topic lessons will involve mapping skills and contrasting localities. The children will continue to develop their mapping skills by creating their own maps with keys. Children will learn more about the climate, landscape and culture of the African continent and be able to locate Zimbabwe, where Mufaro's Beautiful Daughters is set.

COMPUTING

The children will continue to use their ipads safely, respectfully and responsibly, using a range of applications to enrich their learning in other subjects. This term we will learn how to record using Green Screen and iMovie.

SCIENCE

Our science focus this term is Electricity, which will involve constructing simple electrical circuits. We will identify and name the basic parts of the circuit, including batteries, wires, bulbs, switches and buzzers. The children will build their own circuits and design a game involving the use of an electrical circuit. Using interactive resources, the children will discover electrical dangers around the home and develop their awareness of electrical safety.

P.E.

Our PE this term is focusing on Athletics. We will be exploring a range of activities such as long jump, high jump, throwing and races. Children will record and compare scores and video each other's performances using the ipads.