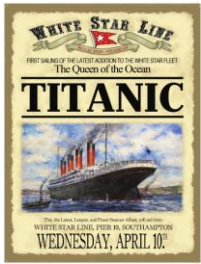


Badgers Factsheet

Summer 2

Values

*Hope and
Happiness*



Our final topic will take us back in time to explore **The Titanic.**



English

As a reader we will explore 'The Snorgh and the Sailor' by Will Buckingham. Using inferences and deduction skills, we will identify key characters in the story and use evidence in the text to justify our points.

As a writer we will use persuasive language to write an advert for the Snorgh's house and introduce a new character into the story. Following this, we will write our own adventure story based on an unknown creature. We will also write newspaper articles dating back to 15th April 1912 to explain how and why the Titanic sank.

As a speaker we will act out scenes from the text, considering how the Snorgh might act and behave. We will also practise our leavers' day speeches in preparation for the Leavers' Evening.

We also have our own reading and writing targets, which we will get regular opportunities to practise.

Maths

As a mathematician we will:-

- Use formal written methods to divide
- Solve word problems for all 4 operations
- Convert fractions into decimals
- Find the perimeter of 2D shapes
- Calculate the area of rectangular shapes
- Interpret and present data in a range of ways

We also have our own targets to practise using our number cards. These targets will be regularly reviewed and changed when the target has been met.

PE

As a sportsperson this half term we will experience a range of athletic activities. We will evaluate and develop our ability to run at different distances, throw a range of objects and jump in different ways. We will practise a variety of races in preparation for Sports Day and learn our dance for the Opening Ceremony. We also have our annual Sports Week planned for the week commencing 26th June. This year, children will learn and experience different Paralympic sports.

Children will have PE on a Thursday afternoon, but children should have their **outdoor** PE kit in school every day, which is clearly labelled. This should include a jumper and a pair of trainers.

Topic

As historians we will look at artefacts found on the Titanic and how they have helped us build a picture of life 1912. We will also compare the lives of the rich and poor on board the ship.

As a Geographer we will plot the route of the Titanic and discuss why people may have wanted to move to New York.

MFL

As a French speaker we will be looking at the story 'Autour du monde', learning about transport, countries and holiday vocabulary.

Homework

Homework will be given out every Thursday and handed in the following Monday.

The children will take home their reading book every day and are encouraged to read regularly at home. We would ask you to comment in their reading diaries when they have read to you. The children are able to change their individual reading book every morning as they come into school.

They will have weekly spellings in a yellow folder to learn which will be checked on Mondays in school. Children will also bring home their Maths Target Tubs to practise their number work. Please feel free to comment in their target book.

Science

As Scientists we will look at the different states of matter. We will group materials into solids, liquids and gases and explore how some materials can change from one to another. We will learn about the water cycle and the process of evaporation and condensation.

Computing

As a computer user we will use Excel to input data from our 'Walk the Wonders' challenge. We will use formulas to help us add up the total amount of steps and explore different ways to present our data.

RE

As religious learners we will explore Judaism. We will discover the origins of this faith through the lives and teachings of Moses and Abraham. We will also learn about the festivals, customs and traditions celebrated by Jewish families and identify any similarities or differences with our own lives.

If you have any queries please feel free to discuss them with me after school.

As always, thank you for the support you have provided over the years.

Yours sincerely,

Mr. Burnett

