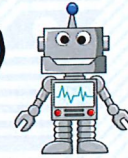
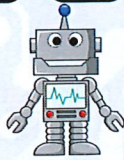


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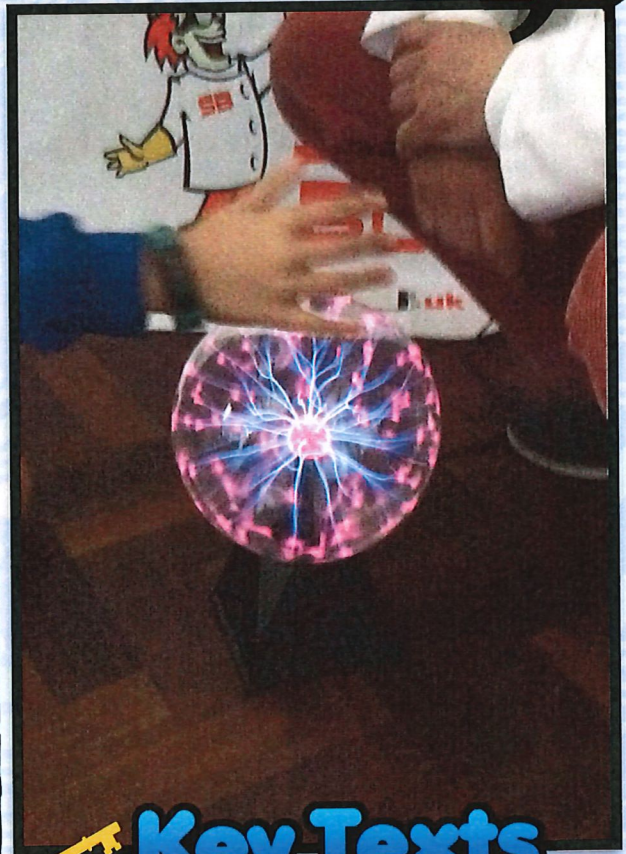
Where will your imagination take you?



Welcome to a brand new topic and with it comes a brand new topic brochure! These brochures will give you an opportunity to find out what you are going to be investigating about for this half term and what exciting opportunities you have to expand your horizons; make memories; and encourage your lifelong love for learning!

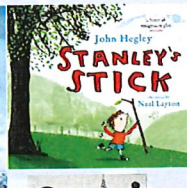
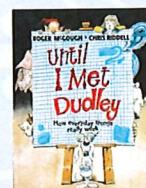
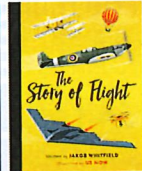
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A brand new year and a brand new beginning! Our topic for this term is very exciting as it lends itself to children developing and using their imaginations. The aim is to unlock their imaginations and guide them to using this creativity to add fun and excitement to learning.



Key Texts

As always, our learning will all stem from good quality texts here are some of the key books we will focussing on.



Key Artist

Robot Sculptures

Memorable moment: Science Museum TBC

Where will your imagination take you?

Topic

The topic for this term across the whole school is "Where will your imagination take you?" In Y2, children will have fun with the book, 'Iggy Peck, Architect' by Andrea Peatty and David Roberts.

We begin our literacy in Y3/4 with the book 'Until I met Dudley' and then move on to 'FaRther'. Both of these texts encourage creativity of thought and using the imagination. We will look at how everyday items work and how technology helps us. We will discover how important electricity is on our lives and how to be kinder to our planet.

In Y3/4 will read the "The Story of Flight" by Jakob Whitfields and children will be encouraged to discuss their ideas and opinions as we work our way through the book.

We are planning to take part in the BBC Bird Count in January and will be making some tasty snacks for the wildlife to them our forest.

Maths

In this Spring Term there is a great focus on multiplication and division across Y3/4. It is imperative that children are able to compute accurately and speedily and it is for this reason that we are spending a great deal of time on learning number bonds and times tables.

Science

We start off the term by looking at Electricity. In this topic we will look at renewable and non-renewable sources of power as well as safety with electricity.

Y2 will be looking at a variety of materials and learning to classify them according to their use and properties.

Y3/4 will also be looking at how sound is made, finding patterns between volume, pitch and the features of the object that produced it.

History

Britain has produced many famous inventors and we take a look at some of these people and see how their inventions have changed our lives.

We will also be looking at significant historical events and in particular, the legacy of Greek culture and the effect it has had on later periods in British history including the present day.

Art

This term we will be making robot sculptures which will definitely incorporate the imagination and creativity skill we have endeavoured to instil in children this term.

DT

We will be making tasty treats for the birds and other wildlife using pinecones and because National Pancake Day falls into this term, we will be making tasty pancakes for the humans!

RHSE and PE

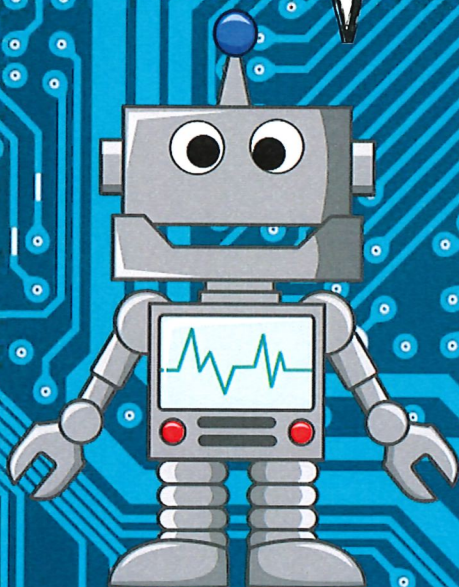
PE lessons will be taught twice a week with lessons focussing on movement, balancing and rhythm.

The RHSE lessons will refocus our attention on the core values of the school, being perseverance, independence, responsibility, motivation, creativity and confidence.

During this term we hope to enable children to work creatively and independently. To do this, they need to be able to read well as this allows them to access all areas of the curriculum. Please encourage your child to read as much as possible and take the time to listen to them.

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SPRING TOPIC

