

Parent leaflet: Summer 1



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How do the achievements of past civilisations impact on us?
What are rivers and how are they used?

Our learning this half term:

- To develop reasoning and problem-solving skills.
- To learn to tell the time (24 hour)
- To learn about decimals.
- To solve problems involving money.
- To enjoy excerpts from a range of texts.
- To write in a range of genres including; a narrative and a script
- To research living things and changing habitats.
- To learn about classification of living things
- To learn about rivers, their features and uses., using maps and photographs.
- To continue to explore the use of French language in simple conversations.
- To develop historical skills, researching using a range of sources to find out about the lives of the Ancient Mayans.
- To learn and develop musical techniques on a brass instrument.
- To explore mark making using different pencils to draw landscapes.
- To create a shell structure for our chosen animal's habitat, focusing on strengthening techniques and the use of 3D shape nets.
- In R.E -to explore -Why do Muslims call Muhammad the 'seal of the prophets?

Ongoing learning:

- Individual and guided reading sessions
- Learning common exception word spellings
- Handwriting - letter formation / fluent cursive script.
- Multiplication; times tables learning up to 12x table
- Grammar - to develop sentence structure and increase vocabulary using a range of grammatical structures

Key Dates or things to remember:

Please come to school in PE kit on Wednesday. This should include black shorts, a white T shirt, trainers and tracksuit trousers. Long hair should be tied back and earrings removed or covered.

Learning Outside the Classroom

Wednesday 29th April 2026 Maple Class
How a river flows from source to sea.

Thursday 30th April 2026 Beech Class
How a river flows from source to sea.

Further information will be provided via Parent Mail.

Reading Challenge: 5 minutes 5 times a week, giving your slip in for the draw on FRIDAY.

Maths: TT Rockstars is a great resource to use for learning times tables facts. Purple Mash challenges to reinforce learning from our maths lessons.

English: Individual spelling lists are in the yellow leaflet. Spelling patterns can be practised on Purple Mash.