## Year 4 Autumn 1 Curriculum Leaflet

## **ENGLISH**

In writing, we are consolidating the skills taught in Year 4 and building fluency. We are focusing on handwriting letter formation.

We have some interesting texts to explore, from Hansell and Grettel to The Magic Finger.

## RE

In RE. we will be looking at Judaism and think about what the most important part of Jewish tradition is. We will also be looking at religious artefacts such as the Torah, as well as Pesach and the story of Exodus.

## **GEOGRAPHY**

Geography this term is all about The Americas!

We are learning about Route 66 and where it goes, what is runs though and the different landscapes. We look at different places within North America in detail and start to understand the physical and human characteristics of given locations.

Children will be doing a lot of research and map work.

## **PSHE**

In PSHE, our topic is 'Being Me in My World'. Our lessons will involve teamwork activities, getting to know each other better, and building a class charter. This will be a set of rules we will agree to follow all year long.



In Art, we are going to be looking at plant art. We will be discussing our feelings and viewpoints about pieces of art, and then begin to work towards creating depth, tints and hues within our artwork. We will then recreate different pictures of plants as artworks.

### Mr Degan Teacher 4HD



# Mrs Cartwright



#### Mr Vawer Teacher 4IV



#### Miss Brazier TA



## **MUSIC**



Mr Degan's class will be learning new notes using the glockenspiel and musical theory about pitch, rhythm and melody. Mr Vawer's class will be learning to play the ukelele with Wolverhampton Music Service.

## SCIENCE

In Science, we will be looking at living things. We are going to be learning about how living things can be grouped and classified in different ways. We will also be classifying animals and plants within the classroom.

## **MATHS**

In Maths, we will be looking at how to:

- Read and write 5-digit numbers.
- Round numbers to the nearest 10. 100 and 1000.
- Read, write and convert between fractions and decimals.
- Solve maths stories for + x ÷
- Compare and convert between units of measure.
- Solve money and measure word problems.
- Solve + and stories using negative numbers.

## **COMPUTING**

Our computing lessons are about programming. We will be using the programme 'Scratch' to code a simple time tables based game. This will involve building a complex set of instructions which will keep track of scores and celebrate success.

## **INFORMATION**

PE is every Monday afternoon. Children should wear PE kit all day on Monday.

Swimming begins on Tuesday September 17<sup>th</sup>. Swimming is every Tuesday afternoon for both classes.