



# Year 4 Summer Term 2 Newsletter

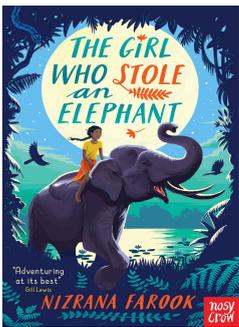
Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcome to the final term of this academic year. We hope that you have had a great half term so far. Now that we are into the final stretch, the final half term and a very busy one, we wanted to thank you for all your support during this academic year. Children worked extremely hard this year and they are certainly ready for Year 5. Here is an outline of the busy term ahead.

## Multiplication Tables Check

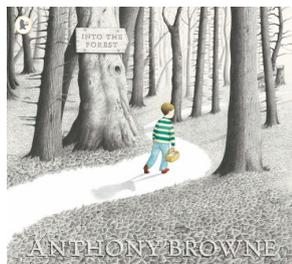
All Year 4 pupils will sit the Multiplication Tables Check (MTC) between **Monday 13th and Friday 24th June**. The MTC is statutory for primary schools in the 2021/22 academic year and children have been working hard all year to learn their multiplication facts.

## English



This term, we will start our English unit by writing a short narrative focusing on setting and character based on *The Girl Who Stole an Elephant* by Nizrana Farook. We will also

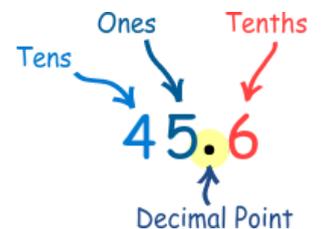
write a persuasive piece on protection of elephants. Our final writing project will be based on *Into the Forest* by Anthony Browne. Children will write their own twisted fairy tale. This term we will continue to work on choosing vocabulary for impact and using various sentence structures.



## Maths

$$\frac{1}{2} = \frac{2}{4}$$

We will continue to work on fractions and will cover simplifying, adding and subtracting fractions with the same denominators. We will also focus on solving word problems involving fractions. After fractions, we will focus on decimals. Children will learn how to count, order and record the decimals in different ways. They will be able to compare and order the numbers. Pupils will learn to continue linear number sequences as well as round decimals to the nearest whole number. They will also link tenths and hundredths with dividing by 10 and 100.

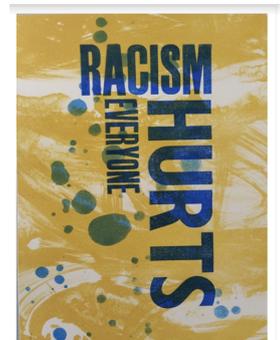


## Geography

Our project focus this term is geography. Year 4 pupils will cover key skills such as map reading, using grid references to locate places in a map and orienteering. We will study air pollution in our local area and a wider impact of air pollution on climate change and on polar regions.

## Art and DT

This term Year 4s will create a 'Protest Art' linked to our clean air module in Science and Geography. Children will study the art examples by Banksy, Theresa Easton and Douglas Emory.



## Year 4 Team

Mrs Sen, Ms Tanveer and Mrs Chaudhry