

English

Using text 'The Journey' by Francesca Sanna and poetry, the children will then create their own narrative pieces in the same style. We will also explore the grammatical devices used in letter writing to create one on behalf of a fairytale character.

Maths

We will continue to practice arithmetic and reasoning questions, using all four operations. We will expand our knowledge of geometry, the properties of shape and statistics. Problem solving will be practiced across all areas of maths.



Computing

We will be learning about the history of computers.

We will revisit privacy and security when online. We will also discuss the pressures technology can place on someone and how the individual could manage this.

Foundation Subjects

In RE, we will learn why Hajj is important to Muslims and use digital media in art. As historians, we will consider evacuees experiences in Britain during WW2, take part in fieldwork in geography. Through DT, we will learn about food to fork and develop a three course meal.

Sycamore Class Curriculum Newsletter

A message from Mrs Brocklehurst

This is a very busy final term for Sycamore Class with SATs, a residential trip, sports day, a summer production and a leavers trip. For the first half term, there will be no Forest School but after the SATs. 11th-14th May, this will restart. I know this time of year can feel overwhelming with thoughts of leaving primary school, but I will do everything I can to support the children's wellbeing and make their final term at Thornton Primary as fun and memorable as possible. If you have any questions, please speak to me at home time.

Science

We will explore the classification systems, diagrams and terminology used by scientists to identify living things. To end the year we will look at all the science units covered during KS2, choose our favourite and create a presentation, leaflet or game for younger children.

PE

Each Thursday, Mr Sharp will teach us for PE. He will help us develop our tactics, striking and fielding skills in rounders. Later we will develop our understanding of athletic events, improving our techniques within a range of events.

Homework

Homework will be set each fortnight and include a writing task to be completed in your child's orange book and specific Spag or Maths activities will be set if additional practice is required. The book should be returned by the date given. It is important that the children make the most of these extra revision opportunities at home.