



**Rowan Class
Year 4 and 5
Spring Term 2023**

Creative Curriculum Focus: Geography

The Creative Curriculum unit this term is 'Raging Rivers'. As part of this unit, children will explore the question 'What effects do rivers have on the world around them?' In addition to this, the children will use Ordnance Survey maps to develop basic map reading skills, while exploring the physical and human features of Europe.

Religious Education: The R.E. unit this term is based around the question 'Should believers give up things?' This will link to Lent and Ramadan.

English:

To connect with our Geography unit, the children will be reading and writing engaging story setting descriptions based on rivers and the book 'Wind in the Willows' by Kenneth Grahame. To link with our Science units, they will then be exploring a range of riddles and writing their own animal-themed poetry.

Raging Rivers



Mathematics:

The term will start with the children learning formal written methods for multiplication and division. The children will then move onto exploring fractions of shape, amount and number. The term will end with a unit on converting between fractions, decimals and percentages.

Science:

The first Science unit will be 'Animals including Humans', where the pupils will learn about the digestive system. This will be followed by 'Living Things and their Habitats', which explores classifying animals.

PSHE:

In Term 3, the children will explore ways to keep themselves safe, while in Term 4, they will be taught about their rights and responsibilities.

Physical Education:

This term, the children will complete a Gymnastics unit, focusing on shape, balance and control. After half-term, they will further enhance this through a Dance unit called 'The Circus'.

Computing:

Linking with internet safety day, the children will learn how to stay safe online and make responsible choices. They will also be learning the skills associated with data logging.