



Torridon
Primary School

Reading

This half term, we will be applying taught reading skills to answer comprehension questions in daily reading lessons. The children will continue to develop their retrieval, inference, vocabulary, prediction and explanation skills. They will also develop their ability to justify their opinion using evidence.

Writing

In writing, the children will be developing their descriptive and creative language skills inspired by our core text 'Odd and the Frost Giants'. The children will produce two outcomes this half term including: a character description and a narrative.

Mathematics

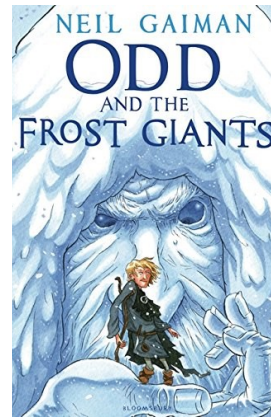
This half term, the children will deepen their knowledge of decimals and relate their understanding to money. We will also be converting between pounds and pence. Children will continue to practise daily times tables but please ensure you are supporting the children with their times tables check online at home.

Meet the Team!

Year Group Leader: Lizzie

Teaching Staff: Lizzie, Keisha, Sarah

Vicious Vikings



Supporting Your Child's Learning

Please ensure your child logs onto their www.timestables.co.uk, Mathletics, TTRS and spag.com accounts. Activities are set every Friday. It is important that the children learn their spelling words weekly, as this will really help with their reading and writing. Spelling Tests are every Friday. PE kits need to be worn on Mondays and Fridays.

Year Four

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Science

In Science we will be learning about Electricity. The children will learn how to be safe with electricity, identify conductors, construct simple circuits and predict and test what happens when a circuit is open or closed. We will investigate the effects of changing circuit components and batteries.

History

In history, the children will learn who the Vikings were, where they came from and where they invaded. They will also explore Viking Gods. The children will develop their understanding of chronology.

PSHE

In PSHE this half term our focus is Relationships. We will look at what makes a positive relationship, identify how our actions affect others, learn about wanted and unwanted physical touch and listening and responding to people's views.

PE

Year 4 will have dance lessons on Mondays, and PE on Fridays (tennis).

Dance

During this term in dance, we will be using props and historical events to create and perform dance choreography. We will explore Nordic Myths and Gods to create original dance ideas.

Music

Year 4 will be learning a Viking based song with harmonies. They will work on musical compositions based on the Viking seafaring history. They will also learn about musical intervals.

French

In French this half term, The half term, we focus on introducing ourselves. We will learn formal and informal greetings, ask and answer "Comment ça va?", "Comment tu t'appelles?" And "Quel âge as-tu?"



ça va très bien



ça va bien



comme-ci, comme ça



ça ne va pas



Art

Year Four will be consolidating and refining their print learning this term, by exploring the technique of collagraph. They will construct their own block and take prints. They will learn more about the history of printing from Chinese and Indian cultures and look at the work of British artist Eileen Cooper.

DT

In DT lessons this half term, we will be revisiting switches and circuits and the associated vocabulary, exploring different types of switches and how they are used as well as creating a simple game involving an interruption in a circuit.

RE

In RE this half term our focus religion is Islam. The children will be focusing on the importance of prayer to Muslims, pilgrimages and how Muslims live a good life.

Computing

This term in computing we will focus on programming. We will identify why accuracy is important, create a programme in text based language, become familiar with the 'repeat' tool and create a programme using count controlled loops.