### Science

Our topic in Science this term is States of Matter. We will be looking at solids, liquids and gasses. We will explore what particles and properties these materials have. We will also explore how materials can change their

state of matter. (e.g. liquid water becomes gas when boils or becomes solid when freezes)

Three States of Matter

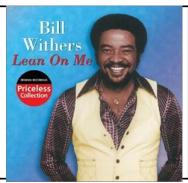






### Music

Our song this term is 'Lean on Me' by Bill Withers. This is a soul song written in 1972 it is still famous and used often today. We will be identifying the pulse and rhythm of the song and explaining the difference between them.



## **Notifications**

- In Basic Knowledge this term, we will be focusing on doubling and halving up to 50, multiples of 5 to 1000 and all multiples of 50 to 5000. We will also practise our spelling words daily.
- Children must read their Accelerated Reader book and complete a quiz at least twice a week.
- PAYMENT FOR TRIP IS DUE BY MONDAY 6TH MARCH.
- PE day is on Thursday.

### Homework

 Weekly Freckle Maths and Spelling Sheet in Homework book DUE ON THURSDAYS, GIVEN OUT ON FRIDAYS.

# Year 4 Term 4 Misty Mountain, Winding Rivers



Skylarks and Kestrels
Miss Brown, Mrs Kooner,
Mrs Rushen

### **Mathematics**

We will start of the term learning about fractions.

This includes:

- Mixed numbers
- equivalent fractions
- adding and subtracting fractions with the same denominator.

After this, we will be moving onto study decimals.

This will include

- Tenths and hundredths as decimals and fractions
- Tenths and hundredths on a place value chart
- Tenths on a number line
- Dividing 1 or 2 digit numbers by 10 and 100

Weekly homework on Freckle will reflect this learning. Please continue practising times table check on mathsframe.co.uk







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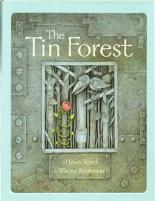
### **Topic**

Our topic this term is Misty Mountains, Winding Rivers. This is geography based. We will focus on the features of a river and how physical processes in the river change the landscape over time. We will also research rivers and mountains of the world.

We look forward to our River Study Day at Horton Kirby Environmental Centre on Friday 10th March.



# **English**



In English we will be exploring 'Tin Forest' by Helen Ward and Wayne Anderson. We will be learning about interpreting illustrations, describing settings and writing in role as a character, using descriptive language features (expanded noun phrases, fronted adverbial, alliteration, repetition, extended sentences, adverbial phrases). This will include writing diaries, descriptions, letters and recounts. We will be focusing on cursive handwriting and punctuation use/variety.

# SPAG

The term we will be focusing on determiners, word families, prepositions, inverted commas and use of tense.

We will also be reminding children of their foundation grammar skills such as; Capital letters, full stops and word types.



### RE

In RE we will be learning about Salvation.

Our big question this term is 'Why do Christians remember the events of Holy Week every year?'

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We will be discussing and exploring

- The key events of Holy Week
- The narrative of The Last Supper
- The significance of Maundy Thursday
- Symbolism at Easter
- The significance of Jesus's death

