

## English

This half term we are studying the texts, *Shackleton's Journey* by William Grill, *Winter's Child* by Angella McAllister & Grahame Baker Smith and *The Story of Tutankhamun* by Patricia Cleveland Peck Through these texts the children will be given the opportunities to write for a range of audience and purpose.

## Reading

Applying all reading skills to a range of contexts including, fiction, non – fiction, poetry and media.

## Science

Rock Cycles – children will learn how igneous, metamorphic and sedimentary rocks are formed. They will learn how to identify different rocks and how rocks on our Earth's surface changes. Children will also learn the steps of the rock cycle.

## R.E

Angels/Shepherd's Story – children will learn about different angels, considering different images and artist impressions. They will explore what some faiths believe about angels.

## PSHE

Celebrating Difference – children will explore their families and their differences. They will think about family conflict and bullying and how to deal with it. They will also think about how words can be hurtful.

## Music

Glockenspiel Stage 2 – this learning is focused around exploring and developing playing skills through the glockenspiel



# Whiston Willis Primary Academy

## Year 4

## Curriculum Map Autumn 2

## P.E

Invaders – children will learn how to dribble a ball, change direction and maintain control.

Bootcamp – children will understand how to prepare the body for exercise and to understand what fitness means.

## Computing

Spreadsheets – children will use the symbols more than, less than and equal to, to compare values and use 2Calculate to collect data and produce a variety of graphs.

## Maths

Children will continue to multiply 2 and 3 digit numbers with remainders and understand commutativity. They will then learn to draw and read picture, line and bar graphs. Children will then move on to counting in hundredths and writing mixed number fractions. They will find equivalent fractions and learn to simplify mixed number and improper fractions. They will then learn to add and subtract fractions.

## History

Prehistoric Britain – children will learn what life was like in the Stone Age and the tools that early humans used. They will study a Stone Age settlement and learn why bronze was used tools and weapons. They will then study Skara Brae and other Stone Age sites.

## French

Animals – children will learn a range of animals in French and be able to talk about their favourite animal.

## Art and Design

Henry Moore – children will research the artist Henry Moore before designing, making and evaluating their own piece of sculpture.

