



Pinehurst Primary School

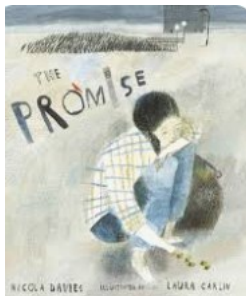
Year 4 Curriculum Newsletter Spring 1 2026



The information on this sheet will give you a brief overview of some of the activities we will be doing this half-term across the curriculum. Please feel free to contact your child's class teacher if you have any questions, or can offer any support.

English

This half-term, we are exploring *The Promise* by Nicola Davies. This picture book focuses on our ability to change the world through kindness. Throughout this unit, we will focus on improving our writing through expanded noun phrases, prepositions and inverted commas. We will have two exciting big writes this half term. Our first big write is a dilemma narrative. Our second big write is a non-chronological report.



Maths

In maths this half-term, we will be completing our further multiplication and division topic. We will focus on multiplying 2-and 3- digit numbers and short division. Our next topic is graphs. Pupils will learn how to interpret picture graphs, line graphs and bar graphs. We will then move onto our topic of fractions, including reading, comparing and adding and subtracting fractions.

We have a basic skills session every morning.



Computing

In computing, we will be learning:

How to create our own audio for a specific purpose. We will begin by exploring the history of the music industry and how technology is used in our favourite songs. We will then explore different musical software and create our own individual piece of audio.



P.E.

In Pe this half-term, we will develop basic running, jumping and throwing techniques in Athletics. We will think about how to achieve our greatest possible speed, distance or accuracy and learn how to persevere to achieve our personal best.



R.E.

This term, we will be focusing on the question 'Why is Jesus inspiring to some people?'.

Through a series of lessons, we will discuss the works of Jesus and how he inspired many people around him.



P.S.H.E.

Our PSHE topic for this half-term is Dreams and Goals. We will be discussing our hopes and dreams and looking at steps of how to achieve our goal. We will also explore strategies for overcoming disappointments.



Visits and Visitors (Building our Cultural Capital) -

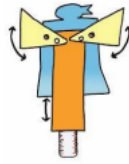
PE is every Tuesday and Pinehurst PE kits should be worn to school on this day.

As an Artist...

As an artist, we will be learning:

All about Frida Kahlo.

We will begin by studying and analysing Kahlo's work and how she expressed emotion through her work. Our final art piece will challenge us to create a self-portrait in the style of Frida Kahlo.



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As an explorer...

In Geography, we will be learning:

All about natural resources. We will

Discuss renewable and non-renewable resources, identify access to natural resources and gain an understanding of how they are unevenly distributed around the world.



As a Linguist...

As a linguist, we will be learning:

All about the weather. We will learn how to ask and answer questions to describe the weather around the world.

Hola!

We foster a love of learning
through our school motto of
'Experience, Excel, Enjoy'.

As a Scientist...

As a scientist, we will be learning:

All about electricity. We will identify common appliances that run on electricity and construct a series of simple circuits. We will learn to identify the different parts of a circuit and explain their purpose. We will also explore a range of conductors and insulators.

