

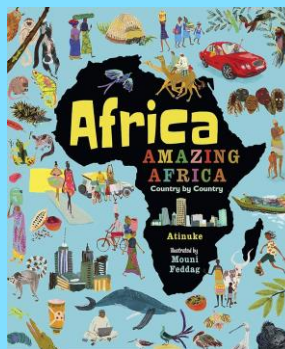
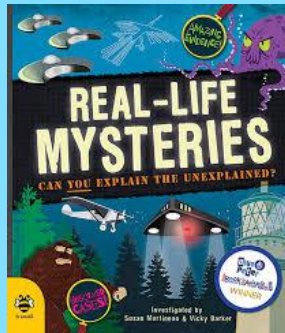
Year 4 Knowledge Map – Lent 1

English

We will be starting this term by reading Real-Life Mysteries which will inspire us to write our own newspaper reports.

Next, we will be diving into Africa, Amazing Africa and creating persuasive travel leaflets.

We need to focus on using fronted adverbials to make our writing interesting and informative.



Fronted Adverbials

An adverbial word or phrase that normally comes after the verb may be moved before the verb: when this happens, we say it has been 'fronted'.

The lion **roars loudly**.
verb adverb

Loudly, the lion roars.
adverb verb

Time	Afterwards, Already, Always, Immediately, Last month, Now, Soon
Frequency	Often, Again, Daily, Weekly, Fortnightly, Yearly, Sometimes, Rarely, Every second
Place	Above the clouds, Below the sea, Here, Outside, Over there, There, Under the ground
Manner	Badly, Slowly, Happily, Awkwardly, Bravely, Silently, As quick as a flash, Without a sound
Degree	Almost unbelievably, Much admired, Nearly asleep, Quite understandably, Really happily, Perhaps



5 Ws

Who
What
Why
Where
When

opening inverted commas spoken words closing inverted commas

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"If we follow the tunnel," Isa suggested, "we'll get a closer look."

Class Novel

We are reading Jamila Gavin's **Blackberry Blue: And Other Fairy Tales**. A collection of six enchanting fairy tales for us to get lost in!



Maths

We will be learning about measurement, geometry, decimals and fractions. As always, we will be practising our times tables daily and learning the formal multiplication method.

÷ 10	÷ 100	÷ 1,000
millimetres	centimetres	metres
× 10	× 100	× 1,000
	kilometres	

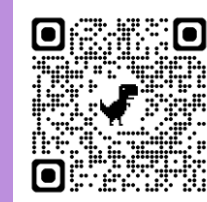
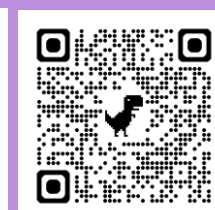
Shapes

triangle	square	circle
hexagon	pentagon	rectangle
oval	heptagon	octagon

Units of Time

60 seconds = 1 minute
60 minutes = 1 hour
24 hours = 1 day
7 days = 1 week
52 weeks = 1 year
365 days = 1 year
12 months = 1 year
Decade = 10 years
Century = 100 years
Millennium = 1,000 years

It's time to learn.



Halves, Quarters and Three-quarters as Decimals

Year 4 - Number - fractions (including decimals)

= 1/2 = 0.5
 = 1/4 = 0.25
 = 3/4 = 0.75

Spelling Keep working on the year 3 and 4 spelling list!

accident(ally)	caught	describe	enough
February	heard	important	interest
often	remember	though/ although	thought



Science

Living Things And Their Habitats

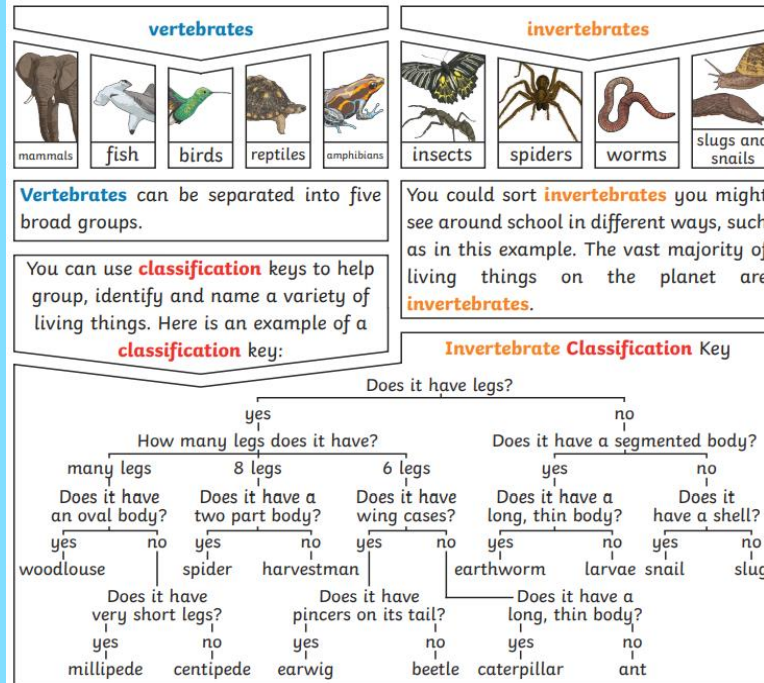
Plants and animals rely on their environment to give them everything they need.

Therefore, when habitats change, it can be very dangerous to the plants and animals that live there.

Changes to an environment can be natural or caused by humans.

Natural: earthquakes, storms, floods. Draughts, wildfires, the seasons.

Human-made: deforestation, pollution, urbanisation, the introduction of a new animal or plant species to an environment.



RE

CST

We will be looking at the Catholic Social Teaching principle 'Solidarity and Peace' where we will explore Fairtrade products.

Community

We will be learning about the importance of communities in Christian lives. Christian life is about journey with Christ and sharing his way of life. There are various roles called ministries which people can undertake to build up the local community of the parish.



Art

Collage – Hannah Höch

Hannah Höch was a German artist born in 1889 and died in 1978. Höch was one of the key artists who started an art form called photomontage.

Photomontage is a type of art where images that already exist are cut up and rearranged to make a new image.



History

London Olympics

The first Olympic Games was held in 776 BC.

London became the first city to host the modern Olympic Games three times.

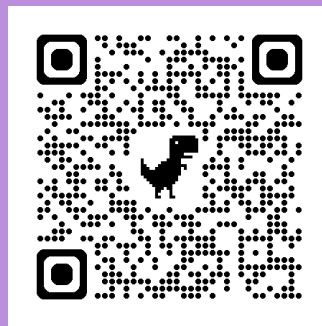
London also hosted the 1908 Summer Olympics, 1948 Summer Olympics and the 2012 Summer Olympics.

Nine cities had submitted bids to host the 2012 Olympics. These cities were Havana, Istanbul, Leipzig, London, Madrid, Moscow, New York, Paris, and Rio de Janeiro.

Athletes from 204 National Olympic Countries took part in the 2012 London Olympics.

The 2012 Summer Olympics event had 26 sports.

The Olympic games happen every 4 years.



Music

This term, we will be learning how to play the djembe drums!



RHE

With the underpinning knowledge that we were handmade by God with our parents' help, children will go on a journey to discover how life is created in the womb.

Lord, thank you that I am awesomely and wonderfully made!

Swimming

We will be swimming on Wednesday afternoons this term. to come to school in full school uniform. Don't forget your swimming kit Children are!