

English

As readers, we will be focusing on reading fluently and with intonation. We will be using the context of the sentence to understand unfamiliar words and use inference skills to make predictions.

As writers, we will be working on descriptive sentences, time adverbials and figurative language.

Science

As scientists, we will be learning about animals including humans: we will expand our knowledge on food chains and learn about the digestive system, including the labelling of the body parts associated with the journey of food. We will also be learning about teeth, how they help with the digestion of food and how certain foods can affect the cleanliness of teeth.

Computing

In computing, we will apply knowledge and understanding of networks, appreciate the internet as a network of networks which need to be kept secure. We will learn that the World Wide Web is part of the internet and have opportunities to explore it for ourselves, learning about who owns content and what we can access, add, and create.

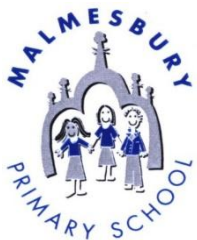
PSHE

In PSHE, we will be looking at what makes a good friend, the qualities of friendship and being respectful. We will also be looking at what a community is, who is a part of our local community and how we can be positive members of society.

Maths

As mathematicians, we will be learning about place value, looking at, reading and writing numbers up to 10,000 and will be representing numbers in a variety of different ways. We will partition numbers, and understand what happens to numbers when adding ones, tens and hundreds.





Home Learning

These activities are designed to extend your learning at home. Daily tasks are very important and try to complete an additional activity each week. You can record your learning in your home-school diary and we would love to see it in school! You can also email photos or documents to school@malmesbury.merton.sch.uk or upload your home learning onto Google Classroom to share with the class.

Books we are reading: *Anansi and the Turtle (and other Anansi stories)* and *Gregory Cool*

Daily Tasks

- ✓ 10 minutes of reading
- ✓ Practise for your next level of TTSS

Hello! Bonjour! Hola!

Research the different languages spoken around the world. Write some familiar words/phrases in a different language.

Independent Reading

Look at the reading wall in your reading journal. What genre will you read next? Try out some of the activities.



Writing

Create a travel brochure or guide for another country around the world, perhaps one you have visited before, one you know about through family members or somewhere from one of our stories!

Research an animal that is native to North America. What can you find out about their habitat and their diet? What other interesting facts can you share with the class? You

could make a slideshow and share it with us via Google Classroom.

Journeys

Research and plan a journey to a famous landmark in London. Work out:

- The cost of the journey;
- How long it will take in hours and minutes to the destination;
- The distance travelled in miles or kilometres;
- A map or sketches of the journey.

Arts and Craft

We will be learning about food chains.

- Use a coat hanger to build your own food chain labelling producers and consumers.
- Choose a predator and collage their prey inside their mouth like



Map Mayhem

In class we are learning about countries in North America. Find out what the flags of these different countries look like. Can you make a poster showing the different flags?

This half term, we will be looking closely at a world map and locating continents and countries. Try using Google Maps to locate different places North and Central America.

Can you see how long it will take to get there from the UK?

Cooking

Choose a recipe and make a meal for your family. Where in the world is the cuisine from? Take photos or draw pictures and write the recipe too.

Virtual Visit

Google 'Scuba Sam's World' and explore life under the ocean!

<https://kids.nationalgeographic.com/videos/scuba-sams-world/>