

English

We will be starting a new writing scheme. We will be reading the book 'The Promise' and taking part in various writing activities. We will be writing a newspaper report and a recount.

Maths

We will be learning about;
Area and perimeter – finding area and perimeter of shapes.
Multiplication and division – we will learn how to multiply and divide 4 digit numbers by up to 2 digits.
Fractions – recap of year 4 fractions in preparation for next half term.

Science

We will be learning about 'Properties of Materials'. We will learn about solids, liquids and gases. We will learn how to change states of matter and separate mixtures using a range of techniques.

How can you help?

Read with your child daily and sign the planner.
Ensure your child has a good night's sleep.
Ensure your child is on time for school each day.
Help your child with their spelling homework.
Thank you

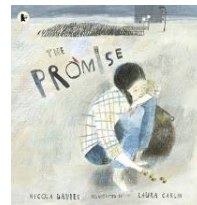
Spring 1

Maple Class



Key Books:

The Promise by Nicola Davies



If you get a newspaper, it would be helpful for children to look at the layout of newspapers.

History/Geography

We are learning about Vikings. We will learn about their victories, losses, cultures, habits, artwork and much more. We will also look at the impact the Vikings had on our lives today.

Art and Design / Design Technology

We are learning about 'sketching'. We will learn how to use shade in sketches and how to use pencil pressure to sketch amazing Viking art work.

Computing

We are learning about how to create our own algorithms using Scratch. We will also edit and debug existing codes.

RE and PSHE

We are learning how local and national institutions, including government, can support us in our community.
We are learning about forgiveness.

Physical Education

We are learning the skills needed to play High Five Netball e.g. throwing, catching, footwork, game rules and teamwork.

Modern Foreign Languages

We are learning about getting to know people.