



## Being a Reader



The theme of migration and movement is a thread through our reading text, 'Fly Me Home' by Polly Ho-Yen. During this unit, the children will be using the context to find the meaning of words, make inferences and justify their views based on the evidence within the text.

## Being an Author



Through the text 'The Arrival' by Shaun Tan, the children will also be exploring the themes of migration and movement. During this unit, the children will be recapping grammar and punctuation from the previous year and securing their knowledge of verb forms and the use of the comma, colon and hyphen. They will also have the opportunity to write diary entries and letters linked to the text.

## Being a Philosopher



In RE, we will be studying Islam and how, why and where Muslims pray. We will move on to learning about the five pillars of Islam and how they show a commitment to God.

## Being a Linguist



À l'école – Our unit in French this half term will focus on learning school subjects in French and sharing our opinions.

## Being a Mathematician



Place Value – This term in maths we will be exploring the place value of numbers up to 10 million. We will then move onto the four operations: addition, subtraction, multiplication and subtraction. As always, we will be teaching these concepts through a range of fluency, reasoning and problem-solving tasks.

## Being a Scientist



In this unit we will focus on classifying living things based on similar and different characteristics. We will learn about different living groups such as microorganisms. Using classification systems, the children will name and classify different animals and plants from local environments and from around the world.

## Being an Athlete



Wednesday – swimming      Friday – netball  
Please bring in your swimming kit on a Wednesday and come into school in your P.E. kit on a Friday.

## Being a Musician



In Music this half term, we will be focusing on finding and keeping the beat to a variety of different backing tracks including the swing groove. The children will then improvise and compose a variety of different pieces.

## Being a Historian



This half term in History, we will be learning about the Vikings. We will learn where they came from and how they travelled to Britain. We will consider how they struggled for power against the Anglo-Saxons and know key dates and events leading up to the end of the Vikings' rule in Britain.

## Being an Artist



In Art, we are going to study the work of artist Frank Auerbach who created lots of self-portraits. Using his work as inspiration, we will consider how a wide range of lines can express emotion and create tone before creating our own self-portraits.

## Being a Citizen



In P.S.H.E will consider the following question 'How do friendships change as we grow?' We will consider what makes a good friend and how this changes as we get older.

## Being a Computer Scientist



Our unit this half term is based on web page creation. The children will be introduced to web page creation using Google Sites. Throughout the process, the children will consider what makes a good web page including the information used and the aesthetics of the layout.