

## Computing

*In computing we are going to create instructional movies. We will create a story board and script for our films and experiment with different camera techniques and shots for filming. We will then move on to develop editing techniques and add titles, credits and visual effects. We will then publish our videos, understanding how to conduct ourselves safely online.*

## Physical Education

*This term the P.E lessons on Tuesday with the coaches, will be focussing on net and ball games.*

*Swimming will begin every Monday for 4G and every Friday for 4B. Please ensure your child brings appropriate kit including a swimming hat to take part.*



# Grazebrook Primary School



## Curriculum Information Spring 1



## Religious Education

*This half term pupils will be studying Hinduism. They will be looking at Hindu beliefs about God and the role of different Hindu Gods in explaining the nature of the 'One Supreme God'.*



## Please Remember

*Maths home learning will go home on Fridays of every week. Home learning must be returned to school on Wednesday in time for marking.*

*The children will also receive a 'Home Learning Passport' at the start of each half term with different activities to complete for both English and IPC.*

# Year 4

## Active Planet



## IPC Topic

*This term in our topic Active Planet, we will be learning all about earthquakes and volcanoes.*

*In Geography, we will begin with finding out about types of volcanoes and how they are formed. We will investigate the causes and effects of these natural disasters and use map skills to discover where they occur in the world.*

*In History, our focus will be the devastation of Pompeii and what we have uncovered from the event.*

## Reading

*Classes will continue to read books independently for Accelerated Reader, with tests being taken in class when they have completed a book. There is also allocated DEAR (Drop Everything and Read) time in timetables, where pupils will be encouraged to read for pleasure.*

*Children are expected to bring their reading book to school every day. Journals will be marked every Tuesday.*

## Mathematics

*This term will start with an opportunity to consolidate knowledge and conceptual understanding of times tables up to 12 x 12. We will be investigating the connections and patterns within and between different multiplication tables, before focusing on the nine times and seven times table.*

*We will then move on to a unit on fractions, revisiting from previous learning what a fraction is and how it can be represented. We then progress to equivalent fractions, mixed numbers and improper fractions.*

## Writing

*This term we will be focusing on instructional and discursive texts, exploring the different features of both styles.*

*We will be linking our writing techniques to our IPC topic, writing safety instructions for an earthquake and balancing arguments for living in volcanic areas in our discursive writing.*

## How can you help me at home?

**Help me practise my times tables at speed. By the end of the term children should be confident with all their times tables up to 12x.**

**Help me practise my spellings. Spelling tests will happen every Thursday from the weekly set that is given at the start of the term.**

REMEMBER OUR IPC

PERSONAL LEARNING GOALS

Adaptability

cooperation

RESILIENCE

enquiry

morality



communication

respect

thoughtfulness