



Rowan Class
Year 3/4

Summer Term 2

Welcome back! We hope that you all had a fantastic half-term holiday and are feeling ready for an exciting final term for this academic year. This half term in Geography we are focusing on the USA.

As always, thank you so much for all of your support.

If you do have any questions/concerns please contact Miss Tuffin!

Geography: The USA

In geography this half term, we will be exploring the USA looking at where it is on a map what its states are and how they vary. Furthermore, we will also investigate some of the key physical and human features of the USA and why these are important,



English

Reading

This term in reading we are learning to retrieve from a text, make inferences and learn new vocabulary. Our guided reading texts will summarise all of the skills we have learnt so far this year.

Writing

In writing, we will be exploring how to build suspenseful atmospheres in our descriptive setting work. We will use a range of figurative language techniques to paint an image in our reader's mind.

We will also be applying our Geographical knowledge of American states when writing a persuasive leaflet.

Maths

Year 3

Year three will begin their unit on shape focusing on angles, horizontal and vertical lines, and recognising and describing 2-D shapes. We will also learn about pictograms and bar charts in our statistics unit.

Year 4

Year four will be starting the term with their multiplication tables check. Following this, we will complete units on shape, statistics and position and direction.

Science

In science we will be exploring the human body looking at how the skeleton and muscles work and what functions they have. Additionally, we will explore the differences between skeletons of different species.

Religious Education

This term we will be exploring the philosophical question: 'What does sacrifice mean?' We will discuss what it means to sacrifice things and how different religions may make sacrifices.

Physical Education

PE will continue to be held on Monday and Thursday. Please come to school in appropriate PE kit on Monday Thursdays.

Notes:

As the weather is becoming warmer, please send your child into school with sun cream and a hat. Children can reapply sun cream before they go outside for lunch time.

Please ensure your child continues to bring their water bottle (with fresh WATER), a lunch box if required and a waterproof coat (if needed).

If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact the school office. Thank you

Miss Tuffin