

English

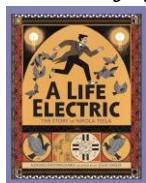
This week in English, the children have been writing character descriptions of the fearsome Minotaur. They worked hard to enhance their writing using similes and metaphors, prepositional phrases as fronted adverbials and dialogue to help readers learn more about the character and create a vivid image of the mythical beast.

★ Star Writer ★ -

✍ Handwriting Hero ✍ -

📖 Text next week: 📖

A Life Electric: The Story of Nikola Tesla



Maths

In Maths this week, we completed our **Place Value** unit, rounding to the nearest 10, 100 and 1,000. We then began our new topic of **Addition & Subtraction**, where the children practiced adding and subtracting 1s, 10s, 100s and 1,000s and began adding two 4-digit numbers.

Year 4

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RE

This week in RE, we continued our topic, **Creation and Covenant**. This week, we explored the theological virtues through the life of Abraham. The children learned how these virtues guided Abraham's decisions and identified organisations that continue to live out these values today. The children also reflected on their own lives, considering how faith, hope and love can help guide the choices they make each day.

St Francis of Assisi - Feast Day celebrations

For our Art this week, the children painted some salt dough animals to celebrate the feast day of St Francis of Assisi, who was known for his love of nature, particularly his love of animals.

Science

In Science this week, we explored food chains and learned about the important roles of producers, predators and prey. The children created and analysed a line graph showing changes in the snowshoe hare population over time, discussing possible reasons for decreases. Including predation by lynx, limited food sources and changes in weather conditions.

Spellings

to be tested on Thursday
8th October

poisonous	obvious
dangerous	curious
mountainous	
famous	diet
enormous	evidence
tremendous	sample
courageous	dung
serious	record

MTC

[Multiplication Tables Check
- 2026 - Timestables.co.uk](https://www.timestables.co.uk/)

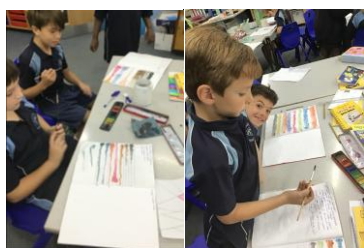
Please practice at home as
much as possible ☺

Gold Book

★ Glory ★

You have been contributing
beautifully during RE this week,
using your excellent oracy skills to
articulate yourself - well done! ☺

Photos



Homework

Maths - Atom Learning
TTRS

MTC practice

Spellings

Christmas card design -
returned by 12th October

RE - Peace & Creation - please
see information available on the
Year 4 Class Page - to be
completed and returned by 17th
October