

Ways to help your child...

We are sending home weekly reading books, please read with your child and record this in their reading records.

Your child will have termly homework challenges, try to complete one of these per week, any log-in details should be found in your child's reading record or homework book.

RE / PHSE

In RE we will be asking the Big Question 'How does the story of Rama and Sita inspire Hindus to follow their dharma?' after half term we will be looking at the symbols and stories from Judaism.

In PSHE we will be learning about Economic Wellbeing with a focus on financial capability – how we can save money for something.

Science

We will learn how to classify rocks and identify how they were formed. We will also look at the work of paleontologists to learn about fossil formation.

After half term, we will be learning about the human digestive system and the different types of human teeth.

Maths

In Maths we will be revisiting addition and subtraction: Year 4 will focus on using the column method.

We will then move on to multiplication and division – please help your child by practicing times table facts – you can do this via TT Rockstars.

Badger and Kingfisher class

Spring Term 2026



Wellbeing characteristic: Respectful

English

We will be writing our own story based on 'Stone Age boy' by Satoshi Kitamura. During this unit the children will look at using fronted adverbials to create a cohesive piece of writing. This will also help to solidify our learning in History last term.

Afterwards, we will be studying the poem 'I asked the boy who couldn't see' – Anon. and create our own poem.

Geography

We will learn about how food is grown, looking at how far the food you eat has travelled.

History

We will investigate the importance of the River Nile, ancient Egyptian gods and goddesses and their beliefs on the afterlife.

The Arts

In art, we will look at traditional and contemporary still life artists and create their own compositions.

In DT, we create simple circuits and switches.

In music this year, we have two specialist teachers who will be teaching students the ukelele.

Things to remember...

P.E. is on Wednesday and Thursday.

Ukelele music lessons are on a Monday – please remember to bring in their ukeleles.

Children should bring in their reading books and reading records every day.