



Hawthorn Community Primary School

LKS2 Forecast Sheet

Term 3 2026

This term our theme is: Wonderful Water
This term our value is: RESILIENCE

Reading

Book Studies: The Iron Man, The Danger Gang, Information text on The Yangtze River and The Amazon River.

During these lessons, the children will be focusing on developing their fluency, retrieval skills and basic inference skills.

Writing

Genre: Warning Story and Information texts

Toolkit: Dialogue and information

We use the Talk for Writing approach which supports the children in developing their writing toolkits. They will develop their skills through short-burst writing, linking to their reading skills, looking at a modelled text and using drama. At the end of each unit, the children write a final draft to showcase their writing skills.

Maths topics this term: Multiplication and Division and Geometry

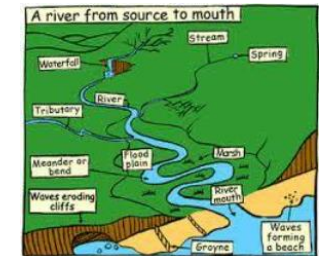
Y4 will be having a xtable focus in their Maths groups.

All children will be encouraged to go on TTR for 5 – 10 minutes a day.

Year 3 Maths Teachers – Ms Butler, Ms Brookes and Mr Lewis

Year 4 Maths Teachers – Miss Niki and Mrs Tinto
The Nest – Mrs King, Miss Drummond and Mrs Prior

The children are taught Maths in pure year groups using the Effective Maths programme. They have 5 Maths lessons and an additional fluency lesson per week which is designed to support the children's Mental Maths and efficiency skills.



RE – How and why are people welcomed into different communities?

DT – Pneumatics – making a moving toy.

Music – Jazz

French – Je Peux...(I can)

PSHE – Dreams and Goals

PE – Gymnastics and Netball/ Swimming (Silver Birches only)

Science

States of Matter

The children will learn to compare and group materials based on whether they are solid, liquid or gas. They will also measure the temperature at which materials change state. Children will learn how to explain evaporation and condensation and link this to temperature.

Geography

Children will learn to describe the water cycle. They will be able to name and describe the main features of a river from source to the mouth. They will discuss how land is used and how it changes over time.

Later in the year, they will identify the physical features of Slade Brook.

LKS2 need to continue reading to an adult. This should be x5 a week. Please record this in the Reading Journal.

PE Days

Willows – Tuesday and Friday

Silver Birches – Tuesday and Friday (swimming)

Redwoods – Monday and Thursday