

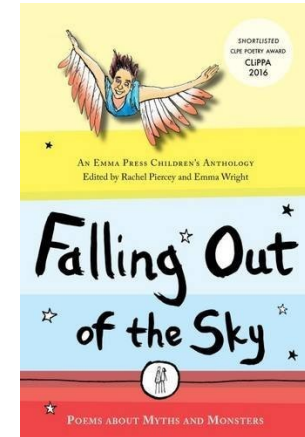


Core School Value	Curriculum Concept	Trips, Enrichment Days and Visitors	Parental Involvement	Pupil Led Learning
Honesty	Cause and effect	A trip relating to Ancient Greece	Show and share	Continuous Provision

Beech — Term 5

English	The children will be exploring our class text 'Falling Out of the Sky'. This is a collection of poems and we will be looking at how we can relate poems to narratives. The children will be writing their own poetry and narratives throughout the term. We will also be exploring different genres of poetry and how poetry can link to story telling in different forms.
Maths	Year 3 - The children will be developing their knowledge of fractions to count up and down in tenths. We will also learn about unit fractions and non unit fractions. We will then move on to 2D and 3D shapes. Year 4 - The children will be making links between fractions and decimals. We will also be learning to interpret and present data using graphs.
Science	This term we are going to be studying sound in our science lessons. We will be learning about what sound waves are and how sound is produced. The children will also be learning about frequency and pitch, the amplitude of sound and how scientists design objects that use sound. The children will also think about some of the uses of sound.
History	The children are going to be learning about Ancient Greece. We will think about how Ancient Greece was organized and what the Golden Age of Ancient Greece was. The children will be exploring what the Ancient Greeks believed and who the Ancient Greek philosophers were. We will think about the Peloponnesian War and why Alexander was so great.
Art/DT	The children are going to be exploring the element of crafting through a range of different activities in art this term. We are going to learn about creating mood boards, we are going to explore tie dying and even look at paper weaving. The children will continue to develop their sketchbooks and begin to explore new artistic techniques.
Music	During this term the children will continue to develop their skills in playing the recorder with Mrs Armour from Kent Music. During these sessions the children will learn a variety of music related skills including recognizing musical notes and being able to perform confidently to an audience.
Computing	This term the children will be learning about the skill of touch typing. We are going to learn about the use of our fingers when typing and how we can use our hands to type efficiently. The children will also learn effective techniques and skills to aid touch typing and to make typing on keyboards and screens a quicker and easier process to help them in life.
RE	In RE this term, the children will be exploring the Kingdom of God through looking at the impact of the Pentecost when Jesus left. We will make clear links between the story of the Day of Pentecost and Christian belief about the Kingdom of God on Earth. The children will also give examples of what Pentecost means to some Christians.
PE	The children will be learning about the skills needed in the game of tag rugby. Coach Ashley will be developing the children's understanding of the game from the rules to the techniques needed when throwing and catching the ball effectively. The children will also get to explore playing tag rugby matches as a class!

Core Books



Falling out of the Sky is a treasury of poems which retell classic myths, legends and fairy tales from across the world in fun, often tongue-in-cheek ways. Hansel and Gretel's witch takes us behind the scenes of the construction of her gingerbread cottage, and Medusa explains how the snakes on her head rule out a lot of options in everyday life wearing a hat, for example. Full of alternate viewpoints and spirited new versions of old stories.