

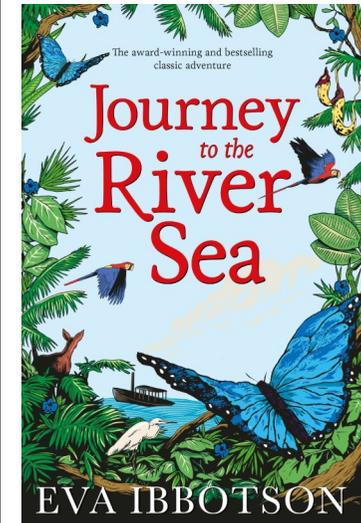


Core School Value	Curriculum Concept	Trips, Enrichment Days and Visitors	Parental Involvement	Pupil Led Learning
Honesty	Ecology and Evolution	A trip encompassing rivers and plants	Show and share	Continuous provision

Beech—Term 2

English	This term we will be focusing our writing around our new class text 'Journey to the River Sea'. This text allows us to learn about new adventures, alongside aiding our geography learning around rivers. We are going to describe settings as we work through our new text and then we will move on to writing newspaper articles about events in our story.
Maths	Year 3 - This term we are going to develop our addition and subtraction knowledge, thinking about two numbers and crossing 10 and 100. Year 4 - We will be learning about adding and subtracting larger numbers than the children have previously looked at. We will learn about adding and subtracting two 4 digits numbers including exchanging.
Science	Over the next term, in science, we are going to continue our science learning around plants. We are going to explore the process of germination in more detail as well as thinking about how water and food move around a plant. We will extend our knowledge by learning about the features of non-vascular plants and we will look at extraordinary plants too!
Geography	In Beech Class this term we will be exploring rivers in our geography learning! We are going to learn about where the world's rivers are and how the rivers shape the land across the world. We will also learn about what a landform is and how a river can create a landform. Rivers are important to people across the world and we are going to learn why this is.
Art/DT	In art this term we are going to develop our sculpture and modelling skills by creating flying minpin birds. We will begin by exploring sketchbooks and techniques used in these resources. We will then develop our drawing techniques using Quentin Blake's drawing exercises. These tasks will develop our skills to create our flying minpin birds and our designs.
Music	During this term the children will have the opportunity to develop their Djembe drumming skills with Mr Winston during their music lessons. The children will be encouraged to explore sounds and techniques used to play the drums alongside composing their own music and performing their pieces to the rest of the class.
Computing	We are going to explore online safety in our computing sessions this term. The children will think about passwords, why they are important and why it is important to choose a safe password and keep your passwords safe! The children will begin to understand how the internet can connect people and how this can bring risks if not used correctly and safely.
RE	This term we will be learning about Sikhism and we will be thinking about what is important to Sikh people. The children will have the opportunities to explore what is important to Sikh people and how these things impact their lives. We will also learn about what Sikh people believe about God and we will learn about the 5K's and why these are important too!
PE	In PE this term the children will be exploring football and hockey. The children will have the opportunities to explore the fundamental skills for each of these sports alongside learning the rules involved in participating in games. Our sports coach will also give children opportunities to participate in matches to develop their understanding of the skills learned.

Core Books



It is 1910 and Maia, tragically orphaned at thirteen, has been sent from England to start a new life with distant relatives in Manaus, hundreds of miles up the Amazon. She is accompanied by an eccentric and mysterious governess who has secret reasons of her own for making the journey. When Maia arrives, however, the family is far from welcoming and she is saddened to see that they have blocked out all evidence of the rainforest from their stuffy home. Both soon discover an exotic world bursting with new experiences.