

Juniper Class 2025/26

Summer 1

Topic: Journeys

Maths:

We will be using the White Rose 'small steps' to cover the following topics during Summer 1:

Year 4:

Money, Time and Shape.

Year 5:

Position and direction, and decimals

English:

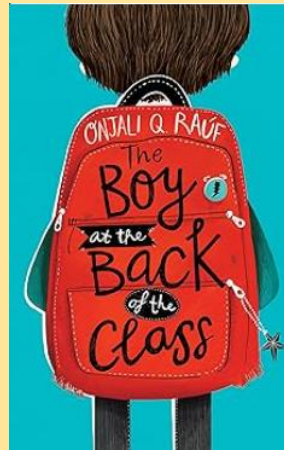
Our focus text for Summer 1 is 'The Boy at the back of the Class' by Onjali Q Rauf.

We will be looking at different writing outcomes over the term including character and setting descriptions, diary entries, poetry and more.

In WCR, we will be looking at a variety of examples of texts with cross curricular links. To support WCR, we will be using VIPERS to help deepen our understanding of the text and build reading skills with confidence.

Art:

We are going to be looking at craft and design: Architecture
In this unit, we will look at observational drawings, print making and building design.



History:

This term, we are going to focus on Journeys. We are going to explore why people make journeys in their lifetime. We are going to explore Kindertransport, refugees, the voyage of the Titanic and Empire Windrush. We are going to explore the push/pull factors that might influence a person to make a journey. This unit links well to our focus text this term.

Science:

In Science, we will be exploring scientific ideas, planning and carrying out experiments to understand light. We will explore effect of how light travels, understand what reflective materials are and how they can help us, as well as understand light sources. During this unit, we will continue to develop our scientific enquiry skills.

French:

In Summer 1, Juniper will be studying pets in French.
We will build on our existing knowledge of key vocabulary as well as introducing new vocabulary.

PSHE:

During Summer 1, we will be learning about economic wellbeing. We will look at value for money, monitoring money, keeping money safe as well as career choices and workplace stereotypes.

Music:

In Summer 1, Juniper class will study notation: Ancient Egypt

R.E:

We are going to be exploring the question - Kingdom of God. For Christians, when Jesus left, what was the impact of Pentecost? We will explore the story of Pentecost and how Christians today understand this story.

P.E:

During Summer 1, Juniper will participate in Athletic lessons, taught by both the class teacher and our specialist-led program ATLAS.

Computing:

In Summer 1, we will be recognising the role of HTML in a web page and altering the HTML to change the text and images.