

CLASSROOM NEWS SUMMER 1



This half-term's class text is 'Oliver Twist' by Charles Dickens.

This allows us to make a clear link between our English learning and our Victorian focus in our Local Area Study in History.

We will be using a mix of script and audiobook versions to give students a an opportunity to experience a different type of text

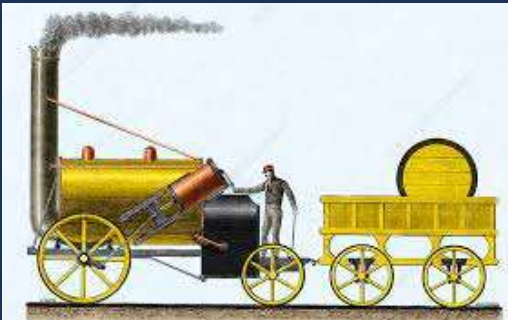
In Maths, we are continuing on our understanding of fractions, decimals and percentages. We'll continue to practice the methods and skills we need to solve a range of problems involving fractions, decimals and percentages in real-life contexts. We will also be starting to look at properties of shape towards the end of the half-term.



HISTORY & GEOGRAPHY

Our History and Geography sessions this half-term will focus on the local area. In our lessons, we will explore how the history of our local area has impacted on the country- and world- as a whole, and how it continues to shape our lives now.

We will also look at how the geography of the area affected the choices of where people settled and the jobs they would have done.



This half-term, we'll also be learning in many other ways, such as;

- exploring structures in Design & Technology
- Learning how to describe things and people in French
- Exploring different places of worship in RE
- looking at animals and their habitats in Science, including learning how plants and animals develop.

We are also incredibly lucky to be starting a series of theatre workshop run by Holly from Stockton ARC. Our class has been chosen to help Holly to devise and write a piece of theatre that will eventually be produced at the ARC. How exciting!