# **Mountains and Earthquakes**

# 19th February to 28th March 2024



## Literacy

This half term we will complete our work relating to 'The Fastest Boy in the World' by Elizabeth Laird by writing a speech in role as Solomon. We will then write a non-chronological report on an imaginary marine creature.

### Maths

This half term in maths our focus will be decimal fractions. We will revise tenths and hundredths and use our times tables facts to multiply and divide decimals by whole numbers. The children will then move on to working with percentages. We will also continue with our work on revising arithmetic strategies and tackling reasoning problems.

#### Science

In science out topic is, 'Fossils, geological time and classification'. We will be learning about evolution and how we know it happened.

#### **Computing and E-safety**

In computing, the children will be using existing software to design 3D models and we will continue to focus on e-safety.

#### **Religious Education**

Our Concept Day this half term will be 'Resurrection' in the context of 'The Empty Cross'.

#### Geography

In geography, children will improve their knowledge and understanding of earthquakes and mountains and explain how and why mountains are more suited to tourists or locals.

#### **Physical Education**

PE for Class 4 this half term will be on Mondays and Tuesdays. Aspire Coaching will work on tennis skills on Mondays and on Tuesdays we will be learning to dance the Charleston!

#### **RHE** – Relationships and Health Education

Our key focus will continue to be 'Health and Wellbeing' and we will complete our learning about first aid and how to deal with emergencies.

#### French

Our unit in French this half term will be, 'Chez Moi'. The children will learn how to describe where they live.

#### Art

This half-term, the children will be exploring the work of chair designers and then constructing their own chair using the 'design through making' method.

#### Music

This half term our music will be taught by our new Hampshire Music teacher Mr Barrow. Class Four will be working on recognising musical notes, learning their names and understanding what they mean.