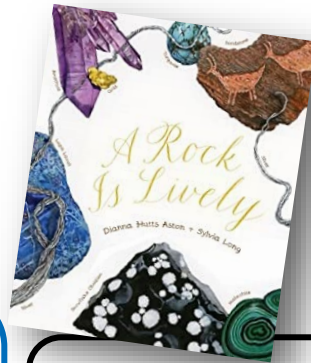


# Rocks and Soils

## Guided Reading

We will be reading the book 'How to Live Forever'. We will be completing a range of activities related to the skills of retrieval, inference, vocabulary and summarising.



## Launch Day

We will investigate our own meteor shower in the school grounds and use our observation skills to identify different types of rocks.

## PSHE

Our PSHE topic is *Ups and downs in relationships*. As part of this, we will be considering what makes a good friend. We will discuss making good choices in our friendships and how to speak out if we do not feel comfortable in situations.

## Maths

In Maths, we will be learning place value of numbers with up to four digits. We will also be learning formal written methods of addition and subtraction.

## RE

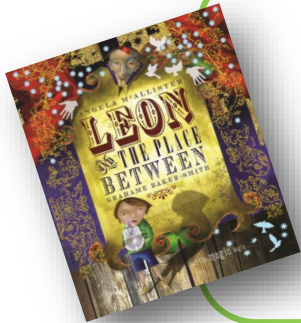
Our RE topic is based around the concept of changing emotions. We will contextualise this within the events of Holy week.

## Exit Point

We will be performing our Samba concert and sharing our work on Friday 4<sup>th</sup> April starting at 9am.

## English

This half term we shall be reading 'Leon and the Place Between' and creating our own narrative. We will be learning to use inverted commas efficiently.



## Science

In this unit we will compare and group together different kinds of rocks on the basis of their appearance and simple properties. We will also learn how fossils are formed and recognise that soils are made from rocks and organic matter.



## Physical Education

Our PE day will be Monday. On this day we will be learning how to play tag rugby and improving our fitness. Learning the advantages of keeping fit and how it helps our body.

**Please make sure your child wears appropriate PE kit on Monday.**

## Music

This half term we will be continuing to learn to play Samba with our specialist music teacher.

## French

We will be learning about time, including days of the week and numbers.

## Art

We will examine the work of John Tenniel, an illustrator who illustrated the poem Jabberwocky. We will experiment with drawing and painting techniques to create depth and shadow. We will experiment using different media such as ink, charcoal and watercolour paint.

