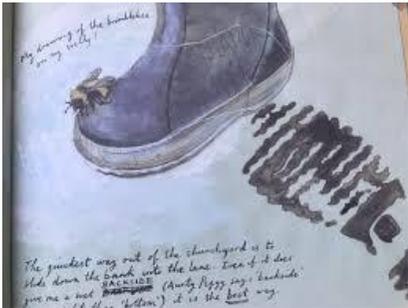
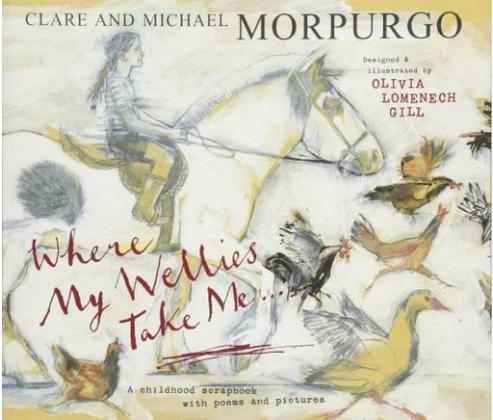


**Where My Wellies Take Me - Summer Term Topic.**

<p><b>Enquiry Question - What if our local environment changed?</b></p> 	<p>Dear Year 3 and 4 Parents,</p> <p>Here is our topic web and enquiry question for this half term. We are using the amazing book 'Where My Wellies Take Me' by Clare and Michael Morpurgo.</p> <p>We will be creating our own journal and seeing where our own wellies take us. We will also be looking at our own identity and doing lots of learning in our wonderful outdoors.</p> <p>We will be working on 8 independence and enabling the children to develop greater independence in their learning. Please support them with this too.</p>	
<p>As AUTHORS we will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Read 'Where My Wellies Take Me' by Clare and Michael Morpurgo</li> <li>• Create our own writing Journals</li> <li>• Plan our writing beginning to think about our author intent</li> <li>• Focus on the basics of sentence structure and handwriting to build confidence in writing.</li> <li>• Develop craftsmanship in our writing looking at creative word choices.</li> <li>• Edit and improve our writing</li> </ul>	<p>As MATHEMATICIANS we will:</p> <p>Year 3</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Extend our knowledge of place value securing our knowledge of the value of each digit in a 3 and 4 digit number.</li> <li>• Revise addition and subtractions</li> <li>• Begin to learn how to divide using short division</li> <li>• Learn about fractions including thirds and fifths</li> </ul> <p>Year 4</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Extend our knowledge of place value to include decimals</li> <li>• Continue to learn about division strategies</li> <li>• Learn about fractions including adding and subtracting fractions</li> </ul>	<p>As SCIENTISTS we will:</p> <p>Year 3</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Learn about what is under our feet</li> <li>• Learn how rocks are formed</li> <li>• Compare and group different rocks</li> <li>• Learn how soils are made from rocks and organic matter</li> </ul> <p>Year 4</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Learn living things and their habitats</li> <li>• Recognise how living things can be grouped in a variety of ways</li> <li>• Learn how environmental change can threaten living things</li> </ul>
<p>As READERS we will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Read Where My Wellies Take Me by Clare and Michael Morpurgo</li> <li>• Read lots of poetry and learn about different forms of poetry</li> <li>• Learn to recite poetry effectively</li> <li>• Develop knowledge of new vocabulary</li> </ul>	<p>As GEOGRAPHERS we will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Learn about our own personal geography</li> <li>• Explore our school grounds using our geography skills</li> <li>• Revise compass directions</li> <li>• Map out our school grounds</li> </ul>	<p>As ARTISTS we will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Learn different sketching techniques</li> <li>• Observational drawings of our outside spaces</li> <li>• Add drawings to our journals to illustrate our writing</li> </ul>

Please come and ask if you would like to know any more information about your child's learning this half term. We will still have our weekly Spanish lessons with Maria, Music lessons with Mr Mott and our PE slots with Curtis on Wednesday and Thursday.