

# Spring Term Year 4 – End of the World

## In English we are learning:

We are learning to write effective stories through the use of picture books. Year 4 are looking at using fronted adverbials followed by a comma and extending our sentences further with a range of conjunctions.

We are also seeing how we can improve our own writing by editing which helps us to see what does a great piece of writing consist of.



## Our class text is:

The Boy at the Back of the Class

## In other subjects we are learning:

- Art – The Art of Display / Exploring Still Life
- DT – Building Moving
- Miniature Playgrounds
- French – Habitats / In the Classroom
- Computing – Computing systems and networks and multimedia
- PSHE / RSE – Keeping myself safe and Rights and Responsibilities
- RE – Islam
- PE – Gymnastics
- Music – Glockenspiels and singing

## In Maths we are learning:

Year 4 are learning how to effectively solve multiplication and division problems using formal written methods. We are also focusing on knowing our times tables up to 12 x 12 in preparation for our Times Tables check in the Summer. Another unit we are learning is about fractions. This covers equivalence, fractions of amounts, simplifying and linking this to decimals.

## In Science we are learning:

This term, our topics are animals, including humans and states of matter. In our animals, including humans topic, we are learning about our digestive system and the names and functions of each of our teeth. In our states of matter topic, we are learning about solids, liquids and gases and their different states of matter and the water cycle.