



MATHEMATICS

Fractions: Recognise, find, name and write fractions $1/3$, $1/4$, $2/4$ and $3/4$ of a length, shape, set of objects or quantity.

Write simple fractions for example, $1/2$ of $6 = 3$ and recognise the equivalence of $2/4$ and $1/2$.

Length & Height: choose and use appropriate standard units to estimate and measure length/height in any direction (m/cm); appropriate unit, using rulers and other measuring vessels.



ENGLISH

- **Narrative (Author Study):** Children will learn about the life and work of the author, Timothy Knapman. They will look at some of his famous Mungo stories and will then create their own versions of the stories.
- **Report Writing:** Children will look at the key features of report writing and will write their own based on what they have learnt about Mexico.
- **Spelling, Punctuation and Grammar:** Children will look closer at the rules that need to be applied when adding suffixes to spell longer words, including *-ment*, *-ness*, *-ful*, *-less*, *-ly*.
- Children will look at how the grammatical patterns in a sentence indicate its function as a statement, question, exclamation or command.



TOPIC

Mexico

- **Computing** – The children will complete their Tortilla Recipe PowerPoints
- **Geography** – The children will be completing their learning about geographical similarities and differences between Mirfield and a village in Mexico called Tocuaro.
- **Science** – The children will be learning about the life cycle of a Painted Lady Butterfly.
- **Music** – What's the score?
- **PE** – Circuits and Bat and Ball Skills.
- **RE**- Sacred Places.
- **Art** – Sculpture: children will sculpt and paint their own 'Day of the Dead' mask.
- **Design & Technology:** Mexican Tortillas, children will design, make and evaluate their own Mexican inspired tortilla.
- **PSHE** – Growing up and Changing: Health and Well-Being.

WAYS YOU CAN HELP AT HOME

- *Listen to your child read regularly.*
- *Read and discuss lots of different text types with your child.*
- *Practise spelling weekly using both pencil and paper and Spelling Shed.*
- *To know by heart number bonds to 10, 20 and 100.*
- *To practise 2x, 5x and 10x tables and to know their division facts off by heart.*
- *Play maths games on the TTRockstars and Topmarks websites.*
- *Practise telling the time to 5 minutes using an analogue clock.*

