



# Potions

## Year 4 Autumn Term (2<sup>nd</sup> half)

This curriculum map provides an overview of what your child will be learning across the curriculum this half term. Wherever possible learning will be linked to our focus topic - Potions



As **readers** and **writers**, we will be reading the story, 'Pugs of the Frozen North'. We will be using drama and role play to explore characters in extreme settings. We will be learning how to use inverted commas for direct speech; expanding noun phrases and continuing to explore use of paragraphs in writing.

As **scientists** we will be working scientifically to find out about states of matter. We will be conducting experiments about solids, liquids and gasses.

As **geographers** we will be studying the Arctic and Antarctic regions, time zones, including Greenwich mean time.

As **mathematicians** we will be developing our understanding of addition and subtraction, multiplication, length and perimeter

Each week we will practise counting and multiplication tables.

As **musicians** we will be working on using our singing voices as an instrument and developing our musicality through singing.

In **PE** lessons we will be outdoor adventurous activities/orienteering. Lions class will be swimming for 1 PE session.

In **RE**, we will be looking at where beliefs come from.

As **historians** we will think about medicine in British history.

In **computing** we will continue to develop our word processing skills and learn about online safety.

As **artists and designers** we will be developing our still life drawing skills.

In **Learning for Life** we will be focussing respecting each other and relationships.

In **French** we will be learning the language used within French classrooms.