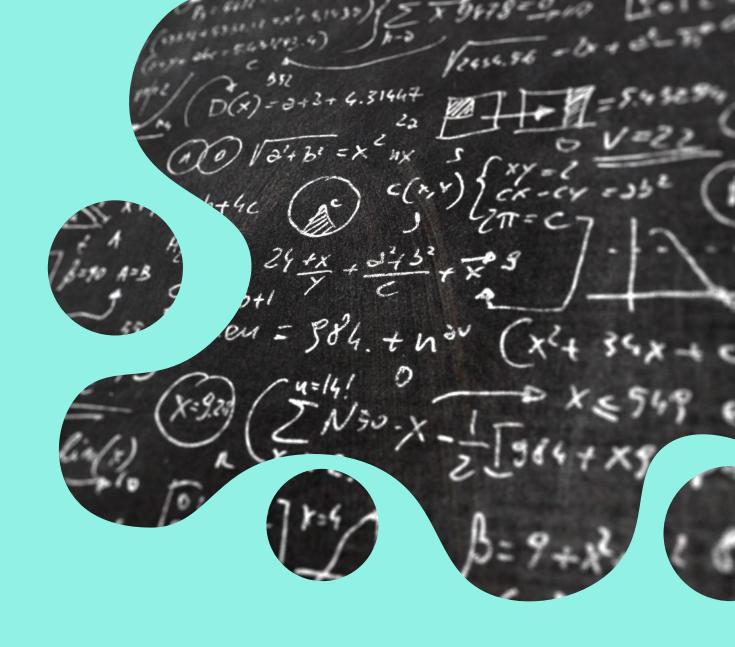
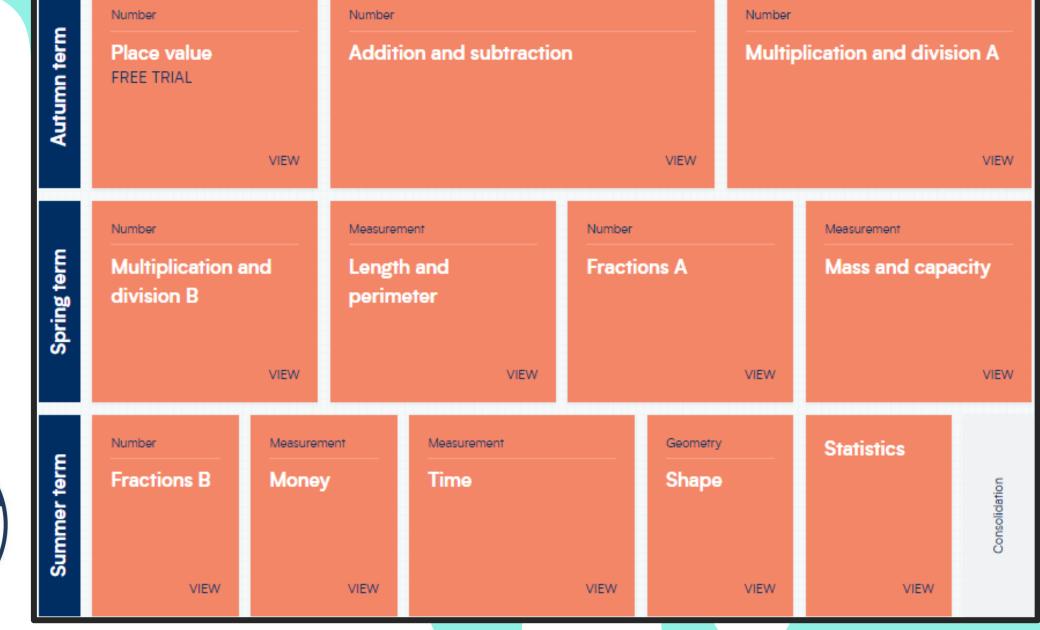
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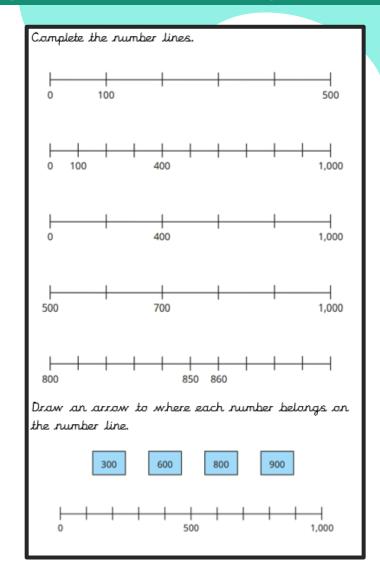
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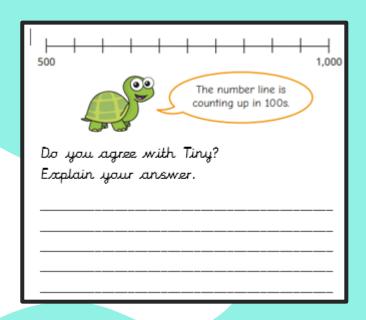






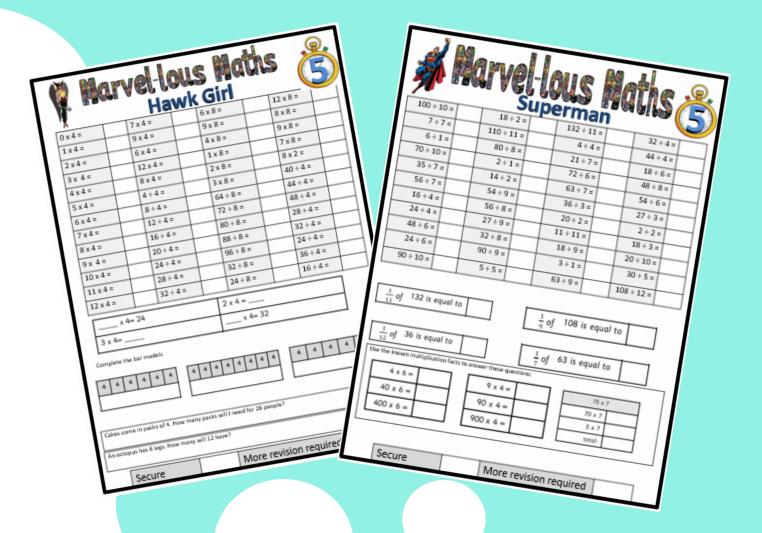
Fluency, reasoning & problem solving





Marvellous Maths

Children complete these superhero tests once every half term. Children are awarded a certificate if they defeat that hero. Each child will work on the 'superhero' matched to their ability. They can only move onto a new superhero when they defeat the previous one and tests are capped per year group.



Year 4 Times Table Test

Information from the government website

The multiplication tables check (MTC) is statutory for all year 4 pupils registered at state-funded maintained schools, special schools or academies, including free schools, in England.

The purpose of the MTC is to determine whether pupils can recall their times tables fluently, which is essential for future success in mathematics. It will help schools to identify pupils who have not yet mastered their times tables, so that additional support can be provided.



Times Table Rockstars



Times Tables Rock Stars is an award-winning maths learning platform where children can practise their times tables like a rock star!

Their question-based games automatically adapt to each child's unique learning needs, helping them to recall their times tables in record speed. Accessible on any device, via the app or browser, children can play anytime, anywhere.

TTRS Homework

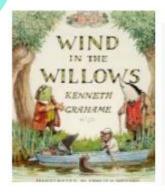
15 minutes per week – garage session

English



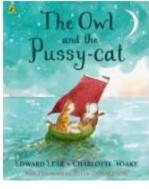
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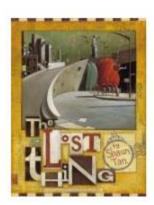


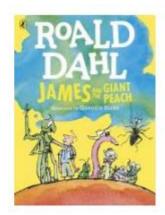
In class, we will write with different genres, so children get the opportunity to demonstrate their skills.

This may include

- narratives
- poetry
- newspaper reports
- letters
- diary entries

Summer





Spelling

Spellings are set on Spelling Shed every Friday. Children are expected to complete 10 games. 1 token for every 10 games.

Spelling sheets will be handed out on a Friday to support at home and there is no expectation for these to be handed back in.

Tests are taken on a Friday morning.

Reading



Children are expected to read 3 times a week and write a comment in their diary's.

Records are checked on a Monday. 1 token for every 3 entries.

Comment ideas

Explain what happened.

Would you recommend the book? Who to — gender, age, interests etc. Make a prediction (what might it be about, what might happen next and why)

Who is your favourite character and why?

How does the main character feel and how do you know?

Why did the character do that?

If you could ask the character something, what would it be and why? What is the theme of the book (good vs evil, friendship, love, death, power, courage, honesty etc.)?

Is it fiction or non-fiction? How do you know?

Accelerated Reader

Children take a reading test at the start of each half term.

Reading range is allocated on their Star Reader results (reading based test).

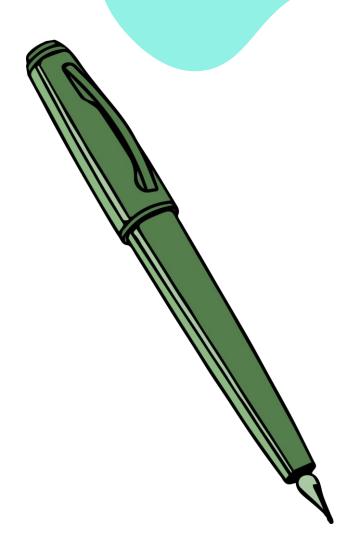
Children are provided with their own 'code' which helps them to select a book suited to their reading range.

These books have a quiz attached to them which children access on the iPads in school. These quizzes are monitored, highlighting % passed, time taken, type of book etc.

When children complete their reading quiz, they can pick a new reading book. 80% is considered a pass.



Pen Licence



Pen licences can be earned from Y3.

Your child will receive a certificate for achieving this.

How to earn a pen:

All letters are to be joined.

All letters should sit on the line.

Tall letters should be twice the size of smaller letters.

Finger spaces between words.

Write with fluency and good pace.

PE

Outdoor kit — red t-shirt, trainers, black hoody and black joggers, socks Indoor kit — red t-shirt, black shorts, plimsols, socks

Trialling

- Children wear their kit home on a Monday.
- Return for a Friday
- Children wear kit home on a Friday
- Return for the Monday



Swimming

Summer Term

Mrs Marsden — Year 3 Monday 20th April-

Friday 1st May

2026

(Weeks split by

Easter break)

13:15 - 14:00pm

Billingham Forum



Homework

New homework will be issued weekly in an orange homework folder. It will be handed out on a Thursday and please could you send it back in the

following Tuesday.

Reading — 3 comments a week Spelling Shed — 10 games TTRS — 15 minutes

