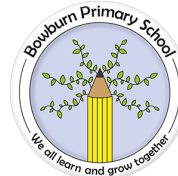


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What's On

Thursday 1st May—Mini-Tennis Festival—Meadowfield

Monday 5th May—May Bank Holiday—school closed

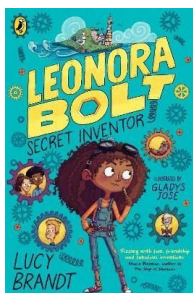
W/B 12th May—Mental Health Awareness Week

Wednesday 14th May—Trip to Centre for Life

Friday 23rd May—non-uniform day—bring a donation of a bottle of something

English

Our English writing will be based around the novel 'Leonora Bolt: Secret Inventor'. We will be writing a character description of evil Uncle Luther, and planning our own adventure story.



Maths

We are continuing our focus on Fractions and recapping our 2, 5, 10, 4, 8 times tables.



Science



This half term we will be learning all about Light.

What do we need to see?

How can we make things easier to see at night?

How can I make a shadow?

Can we change the shape of shadows?

Which is the shiniest?

PSHE/RSE

We are learning about Rights and Responsibilities.

We will also be reminded about the very important topic of Internet Safety, including how the internet is used, and how and where we can access information online.



History



During the course of the year we have Learned all about The Stone, Bronze and Iron Ages, as well as The Romans.

This half term we will explore the impact these periods of history had on the North East.

Computing

We will use desktop publishing software and consider careful choices of font size, colour and type to edit and improve premade documents. Our learning will help us to make our own template for a magazine front cover.



Art



We will be looking at rainforest animals and exploring their shape and their amazing colours and patterns. We will be creating a sculpture of a rainforest animal.

Music

Volcanoes!

Explore and compose music thinking about the related dimensions of music—dynamics, tempo and texture.



Reminders...

Children should bring a water bottle to school—filled ready for the day.

Please name any items of clothing or footwear that your child wears or brings to school.

Correct school PE kit must be worn according to school policy.

Any child with hair shoulder length or longer should have their hair tied up.

