

## What we will be learning the half term...

## English

- This half term we will be focussing our learning around the book 'Aladdin' by Philip Pullman. We will be creating our own fantasy stories.
- After this, we will move on to the short film 'Alma' and write our own diary entries and suspense stories.
- Our Class Novel is 'The Last Firefox'


## Maths

- We will start the term looking at place value of numbers and then Y 4 will go onto addition and subtraction and $\mathrm{Y} 5 / 6$ addition, subtraction, multiplication and division.
- We will continue to do our daily fluent in five arithmetic and spend some time working as a class on graffiti maths which is a group work approach to problem solving.


## Topic

- Our new topic for this half term is 'That's All Folks' which is a unit based around the History and development of animation and cartoon's. More info on dojo...



## Notices:

- P.E is on Monday- Please come to school in your P.E uniform.
- There will be no Forest School for Comets.
- Thursday afternoon is Swimming at Swanton Morley. Children must wear swimming hats.
- Spellings will be tested and go out on a Friday.
- Children will visit the school library on a Friday.


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## French

- In French firstly we will look at the unit 'The Date'. In this unit children will learn the days of the week, months of the year and numbers $1-31$ will be introduced, revised and consolidated. Secondly, 'Do you have a pet?' In this unit the children will have the knowledge and skills to present both orally and in written form about the pets they have and/or do not have in French.
- Our big question is ' Where do religious beliefs come from?'


## Homework

- Please read and listen to your child read as much as you can. Reading books, comics, magazine, newspapers are all great!
Please spend time on Times Tables Rock Stars. I will monitor progress for this. Spelling tests will be on a Friday More homework on dojo coming soon...

