

English

Reading for pleasure: Melvin McGee: Zombie Hunter

Purpose: writing to inform and/or instruct

Children will:

- Use fronted adverbials accurately to add detail.
- Use a comma after fronted adverbials.
- Use a range of conjunctions, including *when*, *so*, *but*.
- Use a range of determiners.
- Use a range of prepositions.
- Create and use a range of expanded noun phrases.
- Use paragraphs to group ideas.

Design and Technology – Structures (Pavilions)

Children will:

- Design a stable structure pavilion.
- Build frame structures that have support and are stable.
- Select appropriate materials for the task.
- Evaluate, edit and improve a design.

Computing – Programming

Children will:

- Identify different parts of a computer and describe their role.
- Learn the structure of coding language in Logo.
- Input simple instructions in Logo.
- Use 2Logo to create letter shapes.
- Use and build procedures in Logo.

Music

Children will:

- Develop skills on the ukulele.
- Play simple chordal accompaniment to familiar songs.
- Sing in two parts.
- Compose music in reaction to a stimulus.

PSHE

How to treat each other with respect.

Children will:

- Know how our behaviour can affect others.
- Understand what is meant by a right.
- Understand what it meant by responsibility.

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Why are festivals important to religious communities (continued)

Children will:

- Identify a range of different celebrations, across a range of religions.
- Describe what happens in these celebrations.
- Compare and contrast religious celebrations.

Mathematics

Number & Place Value

Children will:

- Add up to four digits without exchanging.
- Add up to four digits with exchanging.
- Subtract up to four digits without exchanging.
- Subtract up to four digits with exchanging.
- Use strategies to check the reasonableness of an answer, including the use of estimation.

Geography – Rivers

Children will:

- Identify where major rivers are located.
- Identify what erosion, transportation and deposition are.
- Look at why rivers, including the Volga River are important to people.
- Identify how rivers shape the land around them.

Science - Teeth and Digestion

Children will:

- Understand the function of teeth.
- Investigate what damages teeth.
- Explore the digestive system.
- Build a model of the digestive system.

PE

Children will:

- Pass and receive the ball and know how to travel in tag rugby.
- Create and apply attacking tactics during a game.
- Know how to apply the basic rules of tag rugby and be able officiate and manage games.

Dance

Children will:

- Move in time to a piece of music.
- Create a series of dance moves to complete a sequence.

Stunning Start

Our term will start with making props in preparation for our dance learning.

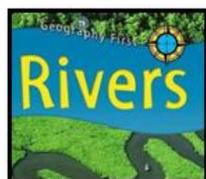
Fabulous Finish

Our term will end with us making links to our Charlie and the Chocolate factory learning. We will investigate chocolate, link our learning to nets of shapes, then design and create our very own chocolate boxes.

Visits, Visitors and Important Dates

Events – Autumn Term 2 2025

EVENT	DATE
Start of Term	Monday 3 rd November
New Year R (Intake 2026) Open Morning	Tuesday 4 th November 9 -10:30am
Achievement Assembly	Thursday 6 th November at 9:15am
Remembrance Day Assembly	Tuesday 11 th November
New Year R (Intake 2026) Open Evening	Wednesday 12 th November 6-7:30pm
Children In Need – Dress Down for Pudsey	Friday 14 th November
Be Bright Be Seen – Road Safety Week	Monday 17 th November
Individual School Photographs	Tuesday 18 th November
Odd Socks Day	Wednesday 19 th November
Anti-Bullying Theatre show	Wednesday 19 th November
Book Fair in Library	Monday 24 th – Thursday 28 th November
New Year R (Intake 2026) Open Morning	Wednesday 26 th November 9-10:30am
New Year R (Intake 2026) Open Afternoon	Thursday 4 th December 1:30pm-3pm
Christmas Fair	Saturday 6 th December 11am - 2pm
Christmas Church Service KS1& KS2	Tuesday 9 th December
Christmas Jumper Day & Christmas Lunch	Friday 12 th December
CRIBS Theatre in School - EYFS, KS1 & KS2	Monday 15 th December
Christmas Church Service for Parents	Tuesday 16 th December 6-7pm
Last Day of Term	Friday 19 th December



TEETH & DIGESTION

STRUCTURE

How you can help...

We hope this guide will help you to get further involved in your child's education. You could:

- Visit the **local libraries** for information and research purposes
- Search the internet and **discuss any of our topics**
- Look out for **TV programmes/ podcasts to watch** and/or record
- Find **story books, poetry books, song books or newspaper articles** related to topics
- Support your child **learn their spellings** and understand the meanings of these spellings
- Practise **tables and related division facts** on a weekly basis
- Use mathematics based websites to **play games** and support the topic your child is learning
- **Listen to your child read** on a regular basis and discuss their text
- Encourage your child to **bring in research from home** to share with the class/discuss their own personal experiences



Times Tables Rockstars:

Times Tables Rock Stars is a carefully sequenced programme of times tables practice with a rock star theme. It helps create confident and competent maths learners by securing the foundation of quick multiplication and division recall. Encouraging children to take part regularly will help them in doing this.

Log on at <https://ttrockstars.com/>