



## Curriculum Overview

Welcome to the second part of the Summer term! Our No Limits Assignment this half term is based around the Shakespeare play- **A Midsummer Night's Dream** and is underpinned by our Aspirations focus: Fun and Excitement. Within this learning journey, the children's activities will involve Drama, Speaking and Listening, Music, Art, Wellness and Computing, all in preparation for our final No Limits Showcase Event, a performance! The children will also be continuing with Specialism days every other Tuesday where they will take part in Life Skills, Spanish, Music and P.E.

English	Maths	No Limits
<p>This half term, we will be reading Shakespeare's famous magical comedy: <b>A Midsummer Night's Dream!</b> From their reading, children will complete various writing tasks, including:</p> <p><b>Biographies (writing to inform)</b>  <b>Poetry (writing to entertain)</b></p> <p>Children will also undertake a range of SPaG such as:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-Pronouns</li> <li>-Possessive apostrophes</li> <li>- Relative clauses</li> <li>-Subordinate and Coordinate conjunctions</li> <li>-Fronted adverbials</li> </ul> <p>In spelling, we will continue to focus on Year 4 National Curriculum words.</p>	<p>Throughout this half term we will cover:</p> <p><b>Unit 12: Position and direction</b>            Describe positions and movements and plot specified points and lines on a 2-D grid.</p> <p><b>Unit 13: Reasoning with patterns and sequences</b>            Read Roman numerals and understand a brief history of the number system; recognise and use square numbers and their notation; understand negative numbers to -100.</p> <p><b>Unit 14: 3D shape</b>            Identify 3-D shapes from 2-D representations.</p> <p><b>The Year 4 government multiplications test commences on the week beginning 13<sup>th</sup> June.</b></p>	<p><b>ALL THE WORLD'S A STAGE!</b></p> <p>With a predominantly Drama and Performance focus, this half term we will be learning all the skills needed to bring Shakespeare's 'A Midsummer Night's Dream' to life in the modern world. The children will be applying their music and performance skills to put on a performance of 'A Midsummer Night's Dream'.</p> <p>We will also be using our Art skills of sculpture to make props for the performance, looking in particular and creating wire trees.</p> <p>Using our historical skills, we will learn all about the world Shakespeare came from and how leisure and entertainment habits have changed through the ages! We will also be comparing modern life to life in the 60s, performing A Midsummer Night's Dream through a 60s lens.</p>
<p><b>Class Novel</b></p> <p>We will be reading '<b>A Midsummer Night's Dream</b>' by <b>William Shakespeare</b>.</p>		
<p><b>Computing</b></p> <p>This half term's focus in Computing is Digital Literacy.</p> <p>We will be exploring how to create engaging presentations, as well as creating our own blogs.</p>	<p><b>Wellness</b></p> <p><b><u>Relationships Education (EMOTIONAL WELLNESS)</u></b></p> <p>It statutory for all children to partake in age appropriate Relationships education.</p> <p>This half term we will focus on:            Growing and Changing, how our bodies change, keeping clean, and how our lives and feelings change as we grow up.</p>	<p><b>PE</b></p> <p>This half term's PE foci are: <b>TENNIS, CRICKET AND ROUNDERS</b></p> <p>Children need to bring their PE kits to school every Monday and leave them in their locker all week. PE kits will be sent home every Friday to be washed.</p>

## Homework

**Compulsory weekly homework will include:**

**Reading:** Your child should be reading 15 minutes an evening using their Accelerated Reader book from the school library.

**SPaG, Maths and Reading:** Children will receive weekly homework on Google classroom which needs to be handed in.

**TTRS and SumDog:** Your child can use these online platforms to practise their skills in Reading, Maths, SPaG and Times Tables.

**Enrichment Homework:** Please see enrichment homework poster for details.

**Children who do not complete the compulsory homework will attend lunchtime homework club to allow them to catch up.**

To contact your child's class teacher, please see them at the Year 4 door after school or email them via [office@oakhill-aspirations.org](mailto:office@oakhill-aspirations.org)