



## Dear Parents and Year 4 AUTUMN 2

Here is our topic for this half term. learning.

### As Citizens we will:

Learn all about our question which is 'How do we treat each other with respect?' as well as our right, 'The right to be heard'.

We will also continue to follow our PATHS scheme of work.

### As Authors we will:

Be focussing on our new writing novel which is a story called 'Leaf by Sandra Dieckmann.' We will be writing a narrative based on the storyline of Leaf.

### As Mathematicians we will:

Be learning about:

- \*Mental multiplication of all the 12 x 12 facts.
- \*Mental division facts
- \*Written multiplication and division.
- \*How to calculate area and perimeter.

### As Scientists we will:

Investigate where electricity comes from and how different circuits work. We will look at circuits and their components and investigate which materials are good insulators and conductors.

### As ICT technicians we will:

Be learning about how to stay safe when we are online. We will discuss areas of safety including our digital footprint, safe information to share, how to avoid SPAM and other viruses, and lastly we will learn and follow our SMART rules to help us navigate the online world.

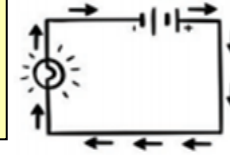
# How do our light bulbs work?

### As Team Players we will:

Will develop and improve our skills in gymnastics and dance. Children will be given opportunity to create their own routines and evaluate their performances.

### As a Designer:

We will be designing and making a Christmas card which has an electrical circuit inside.



### As musicians we will:

Play and perform brass instruments in solo and ensemble contexts. Appreciate and understand a wide range of music drawn from different traditions and great composers.

### As Readers we will:

Increase our familiarity with adventure stories retelling some orally. Read, listen to and discuss a range of stories including Leaf, The lion, the witch, and the wardrobe, and Why the whales came.

### As Historians we will:

Be investigating how the Anglo-Saxons arrived in Britain and how they lived. We will also be discovering how the Vikings arrived in Britain and what impact they had on the Anglo-Saxons.

