

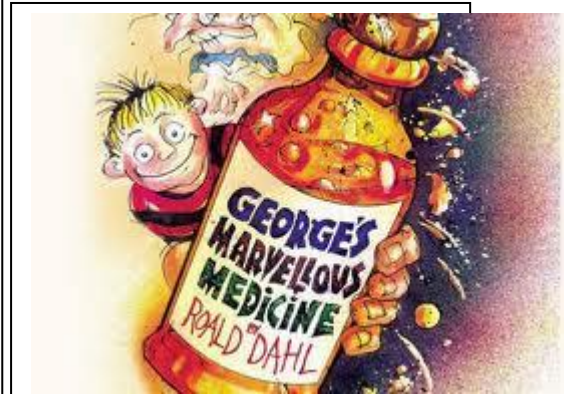
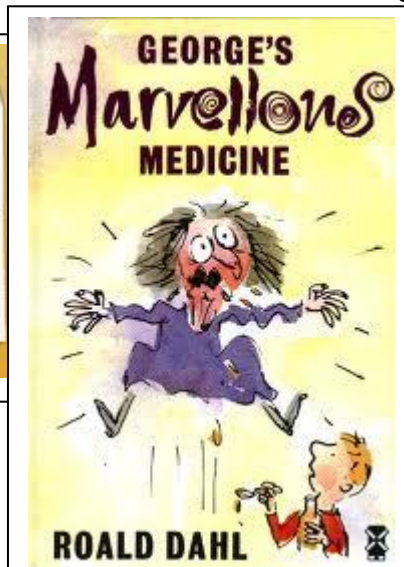


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George's Marvellous Medicine!



Maths – Calculation skills

English – Playscripts, reports, poetry

Science – Solids, liquids and gases

Computing – Photo editing; Google Classroom

PE – Dance and fundamental skills

RE – Christianity – the significance of the Nativity

Art – Line sketches, water colours and collage

French – Basic conversation and questions

Music – Singing, rhythms and violin

Year 4

Autumn Term 2 2021

Glossary

The key words we will need to be able to use, in both discussion and in our writing:

Word	Definition
solid	
liquid	
gas	
melting	
freezing	
condensation	
evaporation	
temperature	
The Water Cycle	
State of matter	
changes	
particles	
artistic	
artist	
character	

Please help your child to complete the glossary and be able to use and spell the words. Feel free to add any additional topic related vocabulary that you think of.

Over the next half term, your child will be working on the topic of GEORGE'S MARVELLOUS MEDICINE – there is lots to learn!

They will be taking part in a series of exciting activities:

- Investigating materials and their properties inc. identifying different states and changing states
- Mixing and separating materials
- Drawing in the style of Quentin Blake
- Creating a collage
- Reading 'George's Marvellous Medicine' by Roald Dahl as a class text.

**Your child needs your help and involvement!
Please continue to get involved by:**

- ☐ Take your child to the library and get a book about the topic
- ☐ Talk about times when you and your family have needed medicine
- ☐ Be scientists – mix different ingredients from your kitchen and make something weird!
- ☐ Be cooks – make some cakes (or dinner!) together and talk about what is happening as you mix, heat and cool.

What else is happening?

Values Education and Jigsaw

The whole school value for November will be 'Tolerance' and for December will be 'Democracy'. Our Jigsaw unit for the next half term is 'Celebrating Difference.'

Homework

Every Friday your child will bring home a class homework sheet. It is expected that ALL children read a **minimum of 4 times** per week and this is recorded in their home reading records.

Clubs

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Breakfast Club	Every morning 7.45 – 8.50am
Lower Site After School Club	Every day 3.15 – 6.15pm
Upper Site After School Club	Every day 3.15 – 6.15pm

Forthcoming Events

Friday 22nd October	End of Autumn Term 1
Monday 1st November	Start of Autumn Term 2
Tuesday 9th November	Nasal Flu Vaccination – Rec to Year 6
Wednesday 8th December	Aladdin – Pantomime – Nursery, Year 1, 2, 6
Thursday 9th December	Aladdin – Pantomime – Rec, Year 3, 4, 5
Tuesday 21st December	End of Autumn Term 2 – 2.15pm Finish
Wednesday 5th January	Inset Day
Thursday 6th January	Start of Spring Term 1