

English

From mystery to discovery – Summer 1



Our Tower
Joseph Coelho

15 sessions, 3 weeks

Extended fantasy narratives

Poems, setting descriptions, diary entries, dialogue, letters of thanks



Escape from Pompeii
Christina Balit

16 sessions, 3+ weeks

Newspaper reports

Setting descriptions, diaries, letters, thought bubbles, descriptions



The Thames Tide Club
Katya Balen

15 sessions, 3 weeks

Own version fantasy narrative

Persuasive letters and letters of advice, diary entries, weather reports, advertisements, dialogue



The Zebra's Great Escape
Katherine Rundell

15 sessions, 3 weeks

Own version 'great escape' narrative

wanted poster, letter, action scene, poetry, dialogue, setting description



Reading

Whole Class Reading is taught 3 times a week focusing on retrieval, inferencing, predicting and summarising. You can support this at home by using their comprehension book marks for questioning. Please make sure that reading records are completed, especially on a Wednesday evening for Buster Book Club!



Maths

This term we are focusing on:

- Mass and Capacity
- Fractions
- Money
- Time
- Shape
- Statistics

Times tables

The children will be continuing to learn their multiplication and division facts for 3,4,8s within our learning. Please continue to play TT Rock Stars regularly at home.

Homework

Homework is given out on a **Friday** and due in the following **Friday**. The homework tasks are always discussed before being sent home. We are happy to help children if they are unsure of any of the tasks.

Please don't hesitate to contact me, via telephone, Dojo or on the playground – I am always happy to try and help. I really do appreciate all your support!

Miss Thompson 😊

Lion Class Summer Newsletter

Science – Throughout the Summer Term we will be learning all about Plants. We will be planning our own investigation to observe the growth of Plants.

History – Term 5 Bronze and Iron age
Term 6- Rivers

Computing – Creating Media (Desktop Publishing)
Programming (Events and Actions in programs)

French – The children are learning lots of new vocabulary in French. This term they will be learning how to say 'I can' and continuing to develop their speaking and listening skills in French.

PE – Mondays with Mr Dickinson.
Fridays with Miss Thompson.

Country Dancing: 8th May

Forest School Dates:
24th April and Friday 15th

Art – Abstract Shape and Space
DT- Food Technology

Music – We will be continuing to use our Charanga lessons to explore rhythm and pulse.

RE – Why do people pray? How do family life and festivals show what matters to Jewish people?