



# The Royal Family



There have been Kings and Queens for 100s of years!

Can you order these monarchs?

Queen Elizabeth I

1558 - 1603

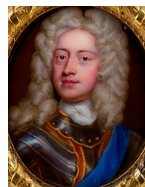


King William The Conqueror

1066- 1087

Queen Victoria

1837 - 1901



King George II

1727—1760

How many Kings and Queens of England can you name?

Find out about one you are particularly interested in and bring in some information to show the class..

## What do you know about the Royal Family?

In your lifetime there has been 2 monarchs.

The current Royal family are called the House of Windsor

Queen Elizabeth II

We say Queen Elizabeth the second.



Charles III

We say Charles the third.



## Key Vocabulary

Monarch - a king, or queen. The position is passed down from one member of the family to another.

Royal - being a king, a queen or a member of their family

Reign—period of time ruling as a king or queen

Line of Succession - shows who will be king or queen next

Coronation - a ceremony where a person is crowned king or queen

Roman Numerals -

One - I

Two - II

Three - III

Parliament - a group of elected people, MPs (members of parliament) who make the laws of a country

## Royal Residences

Windsor Castle



Can you see any similarities and differences between these buildings?

Buckingham Palace



## Book Talk—

In English we will be focusing on Reading for Pleasure and we will begin the term by enjoying Grimms Fairy Tales. Can you spot the differences between these versions and others you may have read? We will also be attempting to write the start of Little Red Hiding Hood. Finally, we will be continuing to practise our joined up handwriting.

## Science: Use of Everyday Materials

We are surrounded by materials. Everything we touch is made of a type of material. Some are **man made** which means they have been made by people. Examples of **man made** materials are plastic and glass. Other materials are **natural** which means they have been found in the world around us. Examples of **natural** materials are rock and wood.

Some materials are more suitable for jobs than others. China makes a wonderful teapot which keeps the liquid inside warm but chocolate would make a terrible teapot as it would melt.

Materials can be changed by squashing, bending, twisting and stretching.

Lots of materials can be recycled once they have been used so that they can be used again. This is really important to help the environment.

## RE: Islam Prayer at Home

An important part of a Muslims day is prayer. It is the **second pillar of Islam**. They pray five times a day for about 10 minutes. The times they pray are dawn, midday, afternoon, sunset and evening. As they pray they face towards Mecca which is a holy place to Muslims.

When they pray they follow the Salat Prayer Ritual which is a series of actions they undertake to make them feel closer to Allah.

### The Salat Prayer Ritual



## English Key Vocabulary

- adjective:** a word that describes a noun e.g. huge
- adverb:** a word that describes a verb e.g. quickly
- fact file:** a piece of writing that gives lots of information about a topic
- fiction:** a piece of writing that is made up by the author
- glossary:** a page in non-fiction books that explains the meaning of technical words
- non-Fiction:** a piece of writing that is completely true and is made with facts and information
- noun:** a person, place or a thing.
- paragraph:** a group of sentences that are about the same thing
- rhyme:** words that have the same sound at the end
- sub-heading:** a small title above a paragraph that tells you what the writing will be about
- verb:** a doing word e.g. walk

## Indoor PE: Gymnastics

We will be learning the core shapes and linking them together to make a short sequence.



## Outdoor PE: Hockey

The basic rules of hockey we will be learning are:

1. You must not touch the ball with your feet
2. You must only use the flat side of your stick
3. You can only score a goal from inside the 'D'
4. Only 1 person to tackle a player at a time

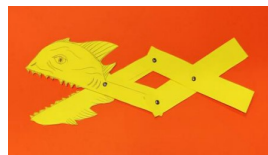


## Music

We have a very exciting term of music where we explore musical storytelling! Listening ears at the ready as we find out about tempo, pitch and dynamics. We will combine these skills and knowledge

## Design & Technology

We will be learning about making mechanisms with levers, pivots and linkages. Then we will use these to create moving monsters and creatures.



## PSHE

New Year, new goals? This term we will be setting ourselves realistic goals that we want to achieve and reflecting on how we can work together to achieve them.

## Computing

We will be learning how to use instructions clearly and then programming a floor robot with them.