# On Our Doorstep: how has Southbourne changed?

## PE

This half term we will be developing our cricket skills. We will also be focusing on the physical cog focusing on the knowledge of when to apply different skills with control.

# **English**

In English, we will start by reflect on the learning we have done so far in Year 4 to help us to write our reports. We will then be writing a persuasive piece based around the idea of shopping locally to support our community.

#### Science

In science, we will be investigating the living things found in different habitats and begin thinking about how these can be classified into categories based on their different characteristics.

# Geography/History

How has our local environment changed?

The children will investigate the use of land in Southbourne, discovering what has changed and what has stayed the same.

We will investigate how our local area has changed in Southbourne. We will also look at how the event of WW1 changed our local area.

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# <u>Music</u>

We will be using our knowledge of structure to compose a rap about our local area. Then we will be learning how to harmonise when singing.

# Computing

We will be using our knowledge of everything we have done this year to create a backing track for our Music rap using different programs.

#### Maths

This half term we will continue our learning about fractions. We will specifically be focusing on fractions greater than 1. Towards the end of the half term we will begin to focus on symmetry in 2D shapes.

## Art

In art, we will be focusing on the skill of observational drawing. We will focus on the impact that perspective has on still life images. Fortunately, we have a great outdoor space so we will spend time drawing the amazing nature in our own school grounds.

# <u>RE</u>

We will be investigating the similarities and differences in places of worship for a range of religions.

#### DT

With a focus on fastenings, we will be designing and creating book sleeves for our reading books.

## **PSHE**

We will be reflecting on our role in protecting and caring for the world we live in from our local area to the wider environment.

## French

Our focus will be on learning different flavours of ice creams and explaining our likes and dislikes.