

At Hendal we strive to enable children to...



British Values/SMSC

A school where children are encouraged to develop a sense of belonging to both a thriving local community and a national and international community where responsibility goes hand in hand with discovering who they are and where they fit in the world.



A school where children are encouraged to see the world as full of endless opportunities to develop skills and knowledge, that enables them to lead full and meaningful lives.



A school that aspires to give all children the very best start to their academic lives through a stimulating, supportive and challenging curriculum.

Zebra Class Reminders

- Swimming Kit – Wednesday
- Outdoor PE Kit – Friday
- Reading books – *Everyday*
- Homework and Spellings to be returned by *Thursday*



Year 4 Curriculum Overview Autumn Term 2 2018-19



Hendal Primary School
Belong, Aspire, Achieve.

This half term our topic is
Natural Disasters



Why Natural Disasters?

To learn how natural disasters have an effect on the earth and living things.

As readers and writers we will be...

Writing letters home as citizens from Pompeii and publishing our own newspaper reports using a range of writing skills. We will be reading a range of fiction and non-fiction texts on natural disasters.

As mathematicians we will be...

Learning to multiply and divide. Then we will be applying our knowledge of the four operations to problem solve and reason.

As scientists we will be...

Exploring electricity to decide whether some materials are better conductors of electricity than others. To explore this further, we will be visiting Magna.

To develop our understanding of religion we will be...

Finding out what it means to belong in a religion and how Hindu's show their faith.

To bring our topic to life we will be...

Going to Magna science museum. We will be taking part in a volcano workshop and exploring the reason why a volcano erupts.

As explorers we will be...

Discussing a range of natural disasters and their causes. We will look into natural disasters and discuss the ways the damage can be reduced by people on earth.

As creative learners we will be...

Designing our own volcanoes. In groups, we will make volcanoes out of paper mache and use our scientific knowledge to make it erupt.

As computer technicians we will be...

Using purple mash to practise our coding skills. We will focus on algorithms and input data into a computer to create our own game.

As sports people we will be...

Developing our invasion game skills in bench ball. We will learn a range of strategies to develop our knowledge of defence and attack to score points in the game.