# Room 4 - P6/7

## Term 1 August - October 2024

#### Literacy

We have been enjoying reading Kensuke's Kingdom by Michael Morpurgo, which also links with our Japan topic. We have been using the novel to develop our reading strategies such as summarising, visualising, and predicting, along with lots of great discussions.

In writing, we have been utilising visual stimuli to create imaginative stories. We have enjoyed reading peers work to gain inspiration and give feedback.









### Health & Wellbeing

Together we created our class charter by discussing our values and rights and agreeing our class expectations. We also listened to and discussed the meaning behind the song 'We're all made of stars'. This is reminding us to believe in ourselves and continue to be resilient and work hard each day to achieve our dreams.

We have also been exploring the importance of a Growth Mindset. We have utilised our comparing skills to discuss the difference between Fixed and Growth Mindset. We have also explored the power of 'yet' and we are working hard to use this language in day-to-day activities.

### Numeracy

This term we began consolidating our whole numbers knowledge. We then began developing it further by extending our knowledge of place value, addition, subtraction and rounding.

We have also developed our measuring, accuracy and drawing skills through our angles topic. The children have successfully transferred this knowledge to measure and explore angles within the environment.





## Learning Across the Curriculum

We have been exploring the country of Japan and Japanese art. We developed our accuracy and drawing skills through creating our own Anime characters.

We have also developed our problem solving, constructing and communication skills through our STEM challenges. We have had a fantastic time creating our own marble mazes and testing these. As a class, we provided constructive feedback to one another to improve on our creations.



