

What are we learning  
this half term?



Lower Key Stage 2  
Autumn 2 Curriculum  
Overview

Visit to  
Barter  
Books

How did land use  
change in  
Britain with the  
growth of the  
first railway  
networks?

What were the  
impacts on  
society of the  
first railways?

Significant  
Individuals

Was Dr Beeching  
right to close lots of  
railway lines and  
stations in 1963?

Geography  
Railways in  
Britain

Vocabulary

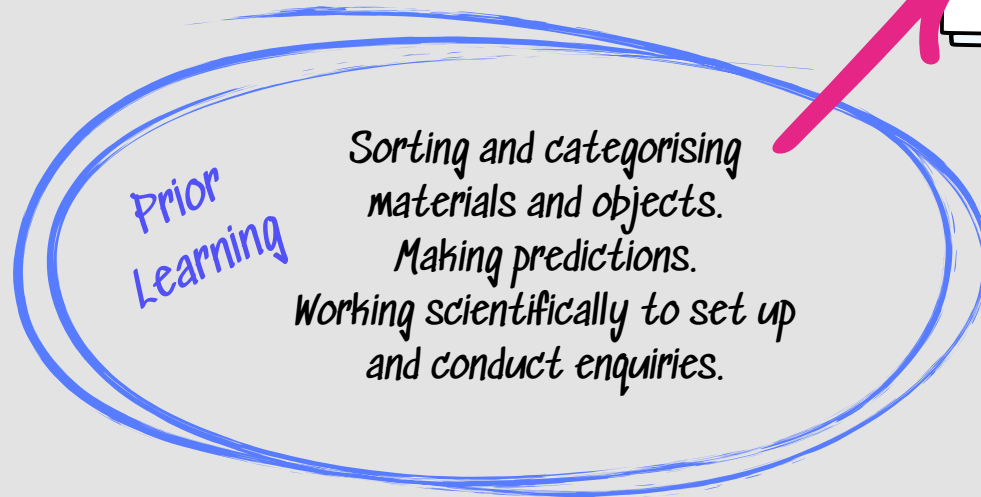
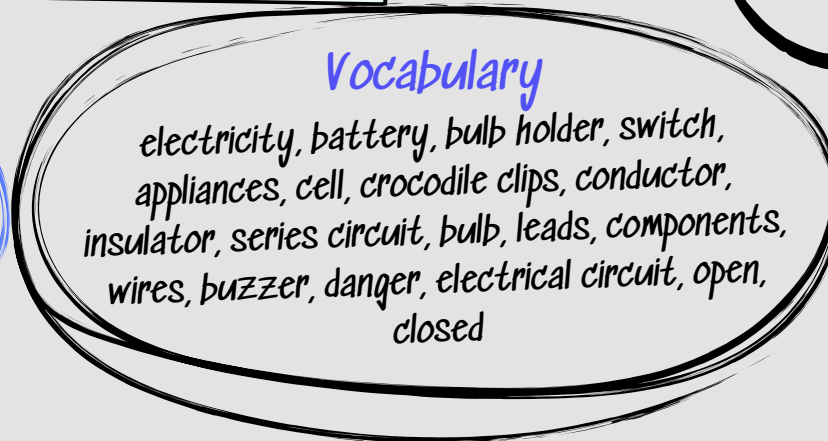
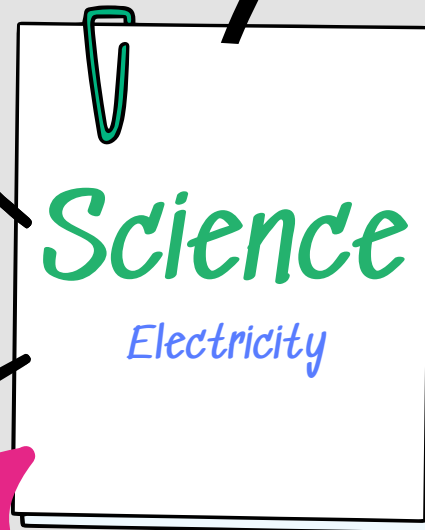
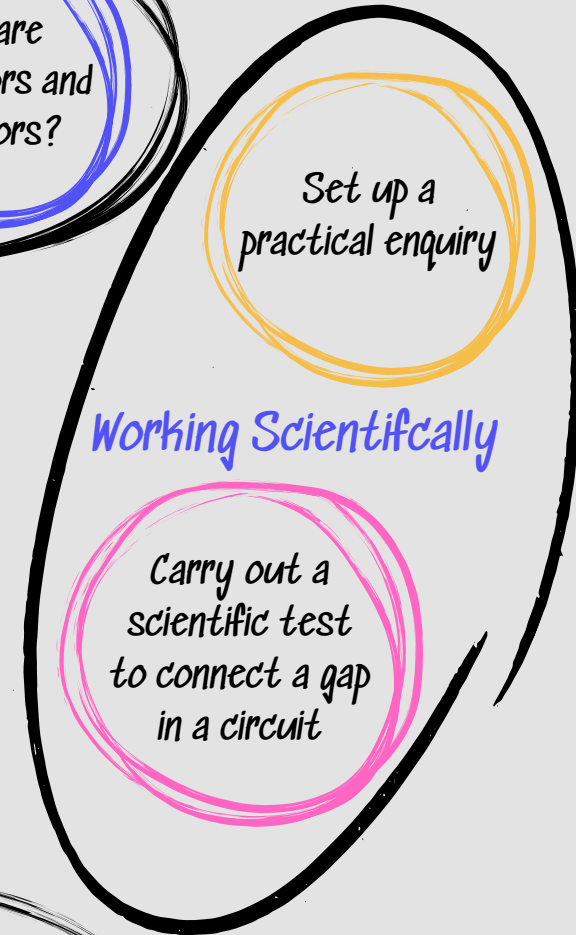
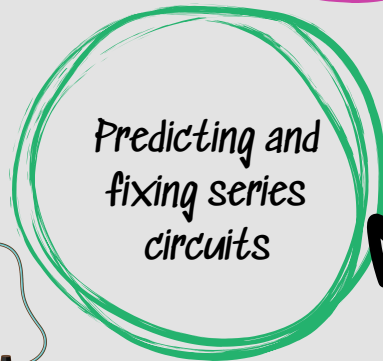
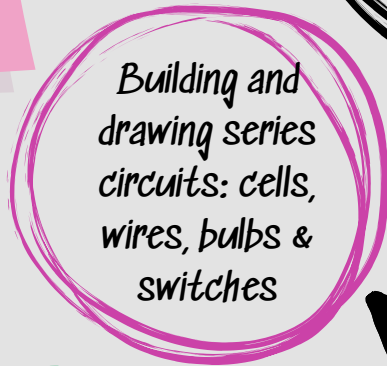
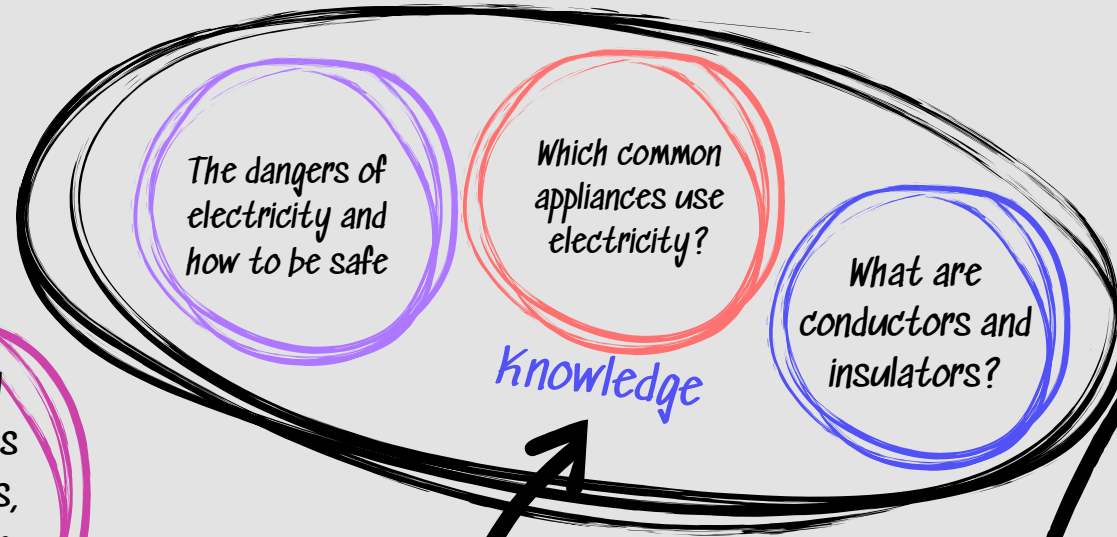
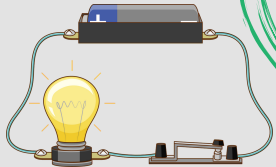
railway, network, society, human  
geography, The Beeching Axe,  
nationalised

Prior  
Learning

How did the development  
of the railway change  
people's lives?  
Visit to Aln Valley Railway



# Electrician class visit



## Design Technology

Make an alarmed treasure box  
Design and make a treasure box using the children's knowledge of circuits from science, so that when the lid is opened, the circuit becomes closed allowing electricity to flow and the alarm to sound..

## P.E.

NLF Coaching  
Modified team games  
Teacher-Led  
Rugby

## MFL

Classroom Instructions  
and Greetings  
Learning key phrases  
used in a classroom.

## PHRSE (Jigsaw scheme)

Celebrating  
Differences

## R.E.

Hinduism  
What does it mean to  
be Hindu in Britain  
today?

## Computing

Make a Banana Piano  
Write a program in Scratch  
that plays musical notes  
when an input is made, and  
connect Makey Makey so  
that the same note is  
played when a key (a  
banana) is pressed.

Anti-Bullying  
Week / Odd Sock  
Day  
Remembrance Day

## Music

Cinderella and Rockerfella  
Learning the songs for our  
Christmas production.  
Recorder Tuition - Maple

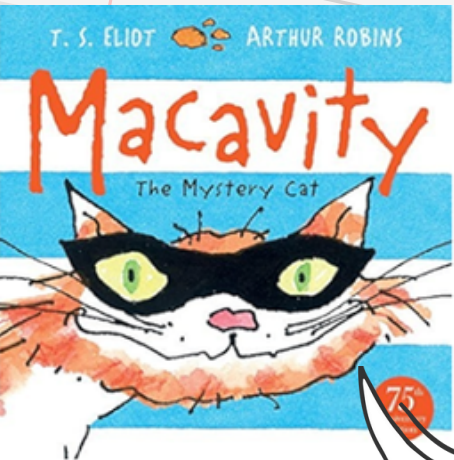


## English

This half term, we will be enjoying some poetry:

Macavity the Mystery Cat;  
Mungojerrie and Rumpleteazer; and  
Skimbleshanks, the Railway Cat by  
T.S.Eliot

And some Christmas themed books:  
The Polar Express by Chris Van  
Allsburg (Willow & Chestnut)  
Bah! Humbug! by Michael Rosen  
(Maple)



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**Prior Learning**  
Words and phrases for effect  
Performance poetry  
Read most words quickly and accurately  
Discuss words and phrases that capture the reader's interest

**Prior Learning**  
Adding & subtracting with 2 and 3 digits.  
2, 5 & 10 times tables  
3, 4 & 8 times tables  
Formal multiplication

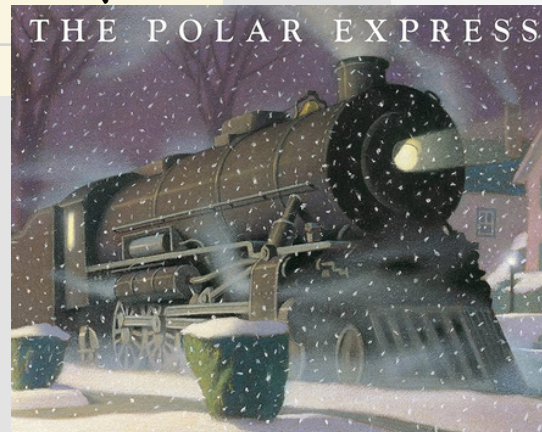
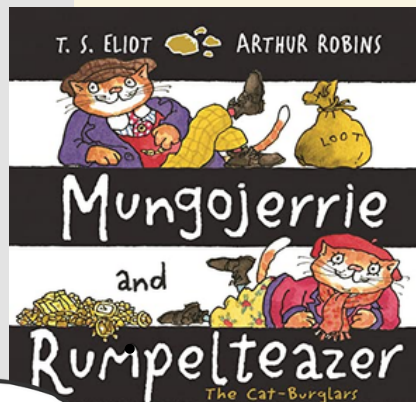
## Year Three Maths

### Addition & Subtraction

Add and subtract multiples of 1, 10 and 100; use different methods to add and subtract two lots of 3-digit numbers with and without exchanges; estimating and checking answers.

### Multiplication & Division

Exploring the 3, 4 and 8 times tables,  
Comparing statements and relating calculations.



## Year Four Maths

### Addition & Subtraction

Add and subtract multiples; use different methods to add and subtract two lots of 3-digit numbers with and without exchanges, estimating and checking answers.

### Measurement (Maple)

Understand what area is; use squares to calculate area, draw and compare shapes..

### Multiplication & Division

Explore the 6, 7, 9, 11 and 12 times tables; compare statements and relating calculations; multiply and divide by 10, 100, 1 and 10 and multiplying 3 numbers and factor pairs.

