



Year 6  
Spring 1

## How has Britain evolved over time?

### English

In this unit, the children will:

- Read the novel *Street Child* by Berlie Doherty.
- Study the author's choice of language and the impact this has on the reader.
- Understand how to use dialogue to convey character and advance the action within writing.
- Write for a range of purposes and audiences, including fiction and non-fiction texts.
- Study language through poetry.

**Key vocabulary:** shilling, workhouse, wealth, poverty, servant, cane, orphan, orphanage, gruel, carriage, hearth, infirmary, matron

### Maths

In this unit, the children will:

- Use simple formulae; generate and describe linear number sequences; and express missing number problems algebraically.
- Solve problems involving the calculation and conversion of units of measure, using decimal notation up to three decimal places where appropriate.
- Know and use the correct formulae to find the area, perimeter and volume of shapes and calculate, estimate and compare volume of cubes and cuboids using standard units.
- Solve problems involving ratios, using their knowledge of multiplication, division and fractions.

**Key vocabulary:** algebra, formulae, linear, sequence, metric, imperial, kilo-, milli- centi- metre, litre, gram, capacity, mass, length, perimeter, area, volume, 2D/3D shapes, ratio, multiple