

Our theme this term is:

UK and Beyond

Geography

We will be looking at the UK and beyond, using Atlases, Ordnance Survey maps and ICT. Using the Atlases, we will be comparing the capital cities of the UK, looking at human and physical features.

PE

The children will be developing their flexibility, rhythm and routines in dance.

Please ensure children have full PE kit. Girls may wear black leggings for dance as they will be easier to move in.

ICT

The children will be learning about e-safety and how to stay safe on the internet. We will also be using the computers to find and present information throughout Geography.

SEAL/PSHE

Children will have the opportunity to take part in P4C sessions linked to the curriculum.

Spanish

Children will be learning to express their strengths through songs.

Literacy

We will be looking at fables and how they teach us useful life lessons through morals. The children will gain a good understanding of using inverted commas for speech and will write their own fable with their own moral, improving these skills when writing a play script. Children will also study poetry through writing haiku's. We will focus on using punctuation correctly, as well as working on the quality of the children's handwriting and varied sentence structure.



Year 3 Overview

Maths

We will be consolidating our knowledge of place value and the four operations. The children will learn new strategies and develop mental recall.

The children will also be developing their knowledge of fractions, position and direction, angles, 2D and 3D shape, measures, data handling and problem solving.

Children will be given the opportunity to set their own challenges and targets within lessons.

Science

We will be looking at the importance of a healthy balanced diet. Children will begin by identifying the different food groups, their uses and which food belongs to each. Children will have a chance to investigate light and shadow and how things change throughout the year.

Children will carry out a number of scientific investigations to solidify understanding and understand the term 'fair test'.

Art/DT

We will develop our skills and understanding of the use of texture in art work. Using different mediums we will create our own work using inspiration of collages, prints and clay.

In DT we will be looking at construction. We will look at materials and their properties and which ones would be suitable to use.

Music

The children will be developing their singing voices, along with investigating pulse and rhythm through different styles of music.

RE

The children will learn about Jesus. They will learn about Christianity, by becoming familiar with stories, religious beliefs and events.