

Curriculum Newsletter: Year 3

Our learning for the next half term...

Reading

We will continue to develop our work on becoming fluent readers. We will study a range of words and their etymology and create situation models to help us understand many genres of writing.

Writing

Building on our learning about narrative writing from the Autumn Term, we will learn about the narrator's viewpoint, exploring how a change in the perspective a narrative is told from, affects content, vocabulary and grammar.

Maths

Following on from our understanding of the 2x, 4x and 8x tables, we will be learning how to multiply and divide a 2-digit number by a 1-digit number with exchange and also remainders.

Science

Our third unit of Science will be a Biology unit on Organisms. We will build on our knowledge of the needs of animals we observed in Year 2 to look at what a balanced diet should contain, the nutritional needs of other animals and the human body.

History

We are going to be learning about Ancient Egypt including who it was ruled by, the people's beliefs, why mummification was used and the importance of the afterlife.



Design & Technology

We will be designing a product with a specific user and problem in mind in a school or home context.

Music

We are to compose a piece of music in a given style with voices and instruments to accompany a story.

Religious Education

In RE, we will find out what moral decisions are, the importance of the ten commandments and the views of other religions around the world.

PE

This term, we will be learning the different techniques and skills used in gymnastics and how they could benefit our bodies.

PSHE

We will be discussing the importance of looking after our bodies and minds through exercise and sleep.