

Summer Term 2022



Year 3

Year 3 is taught by Miss Brook and support is provided by Mrs Rush.

English

Writing: the children will be writing reports, book reviews, diary entries and Roman myths. They will be expected to write using a variety of sentences organised into paragraphs or another format and use powerful words and phrases. The children will be linking all their writing to our current topics.

Reading: the children will continue to read a variety of texts and be able to answer questions using clues from the text, offer opinions and summarise texts. They will learn to make notes and scan from a text and use notes to write paragraphs.



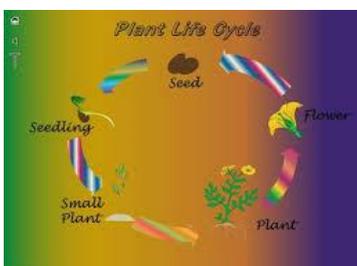
Maths

- Mental strategies continue to be very important, including learning times tables. Most children should know their 2,3,4,5,8 & 10 times tables by the end of Year 3.
- Numbers to 1000 and beyond
- Written methods for the 4 rules of number
- 3D shape and properties of angles
- Statistics and data handling
- Telling the time on analogue, digital and with Roman numerals
- Converting between units of measurement

Topic

The focus this term is the Romans in Britain, how they lived, what they built and their lasting influence. The children will also learn about the Roman invasions, Hadrian's wall, Gods & Goddesses, the Celtic Tribes and about the rebellion of Boudicca.

Science



Children will firstly continue to learn about forces and magnets, followed by studying plants - identifying and describing the functions of different parts of flowering plants: and

learning about the requirements of plants for life and growth (air, light, water, nutrients from soil, and room to grow) and how they vary from plant to plant before moving onto learning about different scientists and investigators.

French

The children will consolidate numbers and what they have learnt already and develop their skills by learning how to talk about animals, food and being at school.



RE

We firstly need to finish our topic of the joy and sadness of Easter before moving our focus onto the discussion and study of rules in Christian life, learning through the story of Moses. The children will also learn about Islam and Muslim family life. We will study the Five Pillars of Islam and the important features of the Muslim community.

Music

Children will explore sound signals and identify different signals and play them by ear. The children will become familiar with the genre and use their musical memory to recall and share other sound signals from personal memory. They will use Morse code signals and create an ostinato to be used as a composition tool.

PSHE

Studies this term will continue to focus on our HeartSmart values, and what makes us unique whilst focusing on being my best and my changing body through the SCARF scheme. We will also continue to focus on developing our own mental health.

PE

The first half term children will focus on running and agility skills. The second half term, the emphasis will be on throwing and catching.

Helpful information:

PE – Please check the Year 3 classroom window for confirmation

Week A: Monday and Thursday

Week B: Monday and Wednesday

(This is due to change after half term)

Homework – will be sent on a Friday and is due back the following Wednesday.

Reading – 15 to 20 minutes daily (with an adult – discuss text, opinions & preferences; **please sign the reading log book**). We expect children to change their book at least once a week unless agreed otherwise.

Mental Maths – 5 to 10 minutes daily practice tables, number facts, including measures facts (2, 3, 4, 5, 8 & 10).