

Parents' Guide to the Curriculum: Year 3, Spring 2

Notices For This Half Term

Coffee Morning: Met Police

Wed 28th February 2024

Parent consultation

Mon 4th March 2024

Celebration of learning

Thu 14th March 2024

Coffee Morning:

Toothbrushing and Healthy Eating

Wed 20th March 2024

Half term

- SCHOOL FINISHES: Thursday 28th March 2024 at 1:15
- CHILDREN RETURN: Monday 15th April 2024

P.E: Wednesday and Friday Library : Thursdays

How Parents Can Help

Please read with your children for 15 minutes each day and sign their reading journals

Support your children with completing home learning.

Please make sure that children have the correct uniform and their house colour P.E tops every Wednesday and Friday.



MATHEMATICS

- Children will continue to learn about measuring length and Perimeter
- Children will then begin learning about fractions, revisiting what they know about half, quarter and third. They will learn to count in fractions on a number line, including tenths, and to find fractions of a group of objects.
- They will also learn about mass and capacity.



PHYSICAL DEVELOPMENT

- Children will be focusing on tennis.
- They will be learning a range of serving techniques as well as learning how to correctly hold and use a racquet. .

TOPIC

- In History, children will learn about the Ancient Greek civilisation.. They will focus on culture, language and beliefs.
- In Geography, children will learn about agriculture. They will recognise that agriculture is the way farmers produce our food, understand the terms arable and pastoral
- Design and Technology, children will learn about mechanisms. They will learn about rotational mechanisms and will use scientific knowledge of forces to choose appropriate mechanisms for their own Greek chariot.



COMPUTING Coding

- Children will learn the language and skills of simple programming, using algorithms.
- They will learn to design, write and debug a program to produce an animation.
- Children will review and improve their program, based on feedback.



MUSIC

- Children will be learning The Dragon Song by Joanna Mangona and Pete Readman. They will be working together as a class, create their own performance of this song. Instruments they will use this term are the glockenspiel and recorder.



SCIENCE

- Children will learn about animals, including humans. They will learn about the nutrition required by animals and humans.
- They will identify that animals, including humans, need the right types and amount of nutrition, and that they cannot make their own food; they get nutrition from what they eat



RE

- Children will learn about the religion of Judaism, particularly how stories from the Hebrew Bible have shaped the religion.



PSHE and RSE

- Children will explore Planet Resilience and Planet Happiness.
- They will learn why resilience is an important life skill and how we can learn from mistakes.
- They will learn about the Rights of a Child.



ENGLISH

- Children will be reading the story 'Magic Finger' written by Roald Dahl. They will write a diary entry.
- They also learn how to debate for and against animal rights.
- They will learn to write a character description about the Persian leader called Darius linking it to their learning in Ancient Greece topic in their History lesson



SPANISH

- Children will continue to develop their recall of Spanish vocabulary, applying this in simple role play of real-life situations.
- They will learn about different fruits and vegetables.