

Year 3 Autumn Term Curriculum Map (Second Half)



ENGLISH

The children will be developing narrative and informative writing skills. They will continue to develop their understanding of spelling rules and the range of grammar needed. **Key Vocabulary: inverted commas, diary, paragraph, explanation.**

GEOGRAPHY

Children will learn about the UK and its features, and establish whether the UK is the same everywhere. **Key vocabulary: country, county, town, city, aerial view, human features, physical features, climate, topography, population, landmarks.**

COMPUTING

Children will develop their understanding of digital devices, with an initial focus on inputs, processes, and outputs. **Key Vocabulary: digital device, input, process, output, program, digital, non-digital, connection, network, switch, server, wireless access point, cables, socket.**

FRENCH

The children will be learning about animals.

Key Vocabulary: un lion, un oiseau, un lapin, un cheval, un cochon, une vache, un canard, un singe, une souris, un mouton.

MATHS

The children will continue to explore numbers to 1000. They will also learn to identify right angles. **Key Vocabulary: place value, addend, subtrahend, sum, commutative, bridging, equation, angle, polygon, diagonal, quadrilateral.**



MUSIC

The children will continue with weekly recorder lessons. They will develop their singing skills and will also experience composing music inspired by Carnival of the Animals.

Key Vocabulary: note, pitch, tempo, rhythm, melody, rounds, partner songs, Saint Saens.

RE

The children will learn what it is like to follow God.

Key Vocabulary: Noah, covenant, commandment, Old Testament, New Testament, promise, responsibility, evil.

SCIENCE

Children will learn about forces, with a particular focus on magnetism.

Key Vocabulary: magnet, force, push, pull, repel, attract.

PE

Children will develop technique and control when throwing and catching and apply this to competitive games using: Basketball, Netball, Dodgeball and/or Handball. **Key vocabulary: catch, throw, control, technique, defend, intercept, attack**

PSHE

Our PSHE units will focus on family & friends and anti-bullying.

Key Vocabulary: boundaries, empathy, disagreement, resolution, difference, friendship, bullying, bystander, cyberbullying, assertiveness, strategy.

DT

Children will learn how a shell structure is formed and then explain ways in which the structure can be reinforced and strengthened.

Key Vocabulary: shell structure, net, reinforce, evaluate, design, corrugated