



Curriculum Overview

Welcome back to the second half of Autumn Term! Our main subjects this half-term are Science, D&T and History, with our 'No Limits' Assignment being: **'STONES AND BONES'**. These topics are underpinned by our Aspirations focus: **'CURIOSITY AND CREATIVITY.'**

This topic will also include: English, Maths, Wellness, Science, Computing, Art, DT and PE. The children will also be continuing with Specialism days every other week where they will take part in: RE, Spanish, Music and PE

<p style="text-align: center;">English</p> <p>Our Writing learning journeys will be:</p> <p><u>Narrative (writing to entertain), which will focus on:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Inverted commas for speech - Subordinate clause - Fronted adverbials - Expanded noun phrases <p><u>Instructions (writing to inform), which will focus on:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Fronted adverbials - Imperative verbs - Rhetorical questions <p><u>SPaG focus this half term is:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Conjunctions - Word Classes - Homophones - Apostrophes for possession 	<p style="text-align: center;">Maths</p> <p>During our Maths Mastery lessons this half term, Year 3 will be focusing on:</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Place Value</u></p> <p>Identifying, representing and estimating numbers in different contexts.</p> <p>Recognising and using place value of 3-digit numbers in calculations.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Graphs</u></p> <p>Interpreting and presenting data using charts and tables.</p> <p>Solving one and two-step problems using presented information.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Addition & Subtraction</u></p> <p>Calculating using mental methods. Using formal written methods. Solving problems using a systematic approach.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">No Limits: STONE AND BONES</p> <p>Within our new, exciting History and DT focused No Limits topic STONES AND BONES, we will be time travelling back the Stone Age!</p> <p>We will be Learning how Britain changed during this influential period. For our final product we will be sewing a Stone Age bag and creating a pinch pot based upon the Beaker People who brought ceramics to the UK.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Science</p> <p>Our new topic is Animals: Food, Nutrition and Skeletons. Within this exciting learning journey, we'll be looking at the human body and learning the names and purposes of different bones.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Class Novels</p> <p>This half term we will be reading: 'Stone Age Boy' by, Satoshi Kitamura, 'Ug- Boy, Genius of the Stone Age.' by, Raymond Briggs and 'How to wash a Woolly Mammoth.' by, Michelle Robinson.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Wellness</p> <p>With a focus on diversity and society, we will be discussing how to be a Responsible citizen.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - To understand that a diverse range of people make up our community - The importance of respecting equality. - To work collaboratively towards shared goals. 	<p style="text-align: center;">Computing</p> <p>This half term the children will be learning how to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Log in to computer system as themselves and can find their (personal drive) - Open shared documents and pictures - Use a Search engine to find information given key words - Recognise which websites are useful.
<p style="text-align: center;">PE</p> <p>This half term's PE foci are: Gymnastics, Rugby and Yoga</p> <p>We will let you know which days children will need to wear PE kits into school each week on the weekly email.</p>		
<p style="text-align: center;">Homework</p> <p>Compulsory weekly homework will include:</p> <p>Reading: Your child should be reading 15 minutes an evening using their Accelerated Reader book from the school library.</p> <p>SPaG, Maths and Reading: Children will receive weekly homework on Google classroom which needs to be handed in.</p> <p>TTRS and SumDog: Your child can use these online platforms to practise their skills in Reading, Maths, SPaG and Times Tables.</p> <p>Enrichment Homework: Please see the enrichment homework poster for details. It will be based on our Stones and Bones topic.</p> <p>Children who do not complete the compulsory homework will attend lunchtime homework club to allow them to catch up.</p>		
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