

English

We will learn about story telling and sequencing, Recount writing, Explanation texts,.

We will focus on:

Consolidating and extending the children's knowledge and understanding of sentence structure, punctuation and word classes.

Science

Rocks Pupils will learn to: Compare and group together different kinds of rocks. Describe in simple terms how fossils are formed. Recognise that soils are made from rocks and organic matter.

Animals, including humans

Pupils will learn to:

Identify that animals including humans need the right types and amounts of nutrition and that they cannot make their own food. Identify that humans, and some other animals have skeletons and muscles for support, protection and movement.

Geography

United Kingdom

We will learn to name and locate counties and cities of the United Kingdom, geographical regions and their identifying human and physical characteristics. This will include land-use patterns and understanding how some of these aspects have changed over time.

We will be learning about geographical similarities and differences through the study of human and physical geography of the South East of England.

Art

We will be exploring a famous artist Henri Rousseau and the techniques he used as a painter. Focusing on his picture 'Surprised', we will try to emulate some of these techniques in our own art work.

DT

DT work over the next two terms will be linked to the Stone Age. We will be looking at survival skills of that period and work as a team to create and evaluate a water proof home.

PSHE

We will be having regular circle times to explore the following themes. Following the Jigsaw scheme of work, we will be looking at 'Being Me in My World' and 'Celebrating Difference'.

Mathematics

This term we will be covering the following units:
Place value
Addition and subtraction
Multiplication and division
Measurement
There will be focus on times tables and quickly recalling the facts and knowing inverses.

History Ancient Egypt

Stone Age to Iron Age

We will learn about changes in Britain from the Stone Age to the Iron Age. This will include a study into hunting, gathering and early farming.

The children will learn about Bronze Age religion, technology and travel. We will then learn about Iron Age hill forts, technology and travel.

RE— Christianity

Christianity, symbols and religious expression

We will be exploring the Lord's Prayer, the role of prayer and worship. This will include the elements and symbols of a church service.

Christianity beliefs in action

We will look at the work of Christian organisations and individuals current and historic, such as Save the Children.

Computing

The children will learn to use sequence, selection and repetition in programs; work with various forms of input and output. We will also be using the computers to word process and create images in other curriculum areas.



Year 3 Curriculum

Terms 1 and 2

Theme—Take one Picture ('Surprised') Stone Age

PE

Invasion Games (Lacrosse and Football) - the children learn to outwit opponents and attack and defend. Develop skills in finding and using space. Use basic court set-up using a variety of equipment.

Indoor PE will be terms 3 and 4.

Music

This term we will have an introduction to the samba drums and will be exploring rhythm and patterns.