

Our Core Values

Resilient, independent, co-operative
confident and kind learners

Year 3 Summer

Our Motto

Have the Courage to Succeed

The Year 3s have an exciting curriculum planned for them this half term:

Music

As musicians, we will continue to explore and develop our playing skills using the glockenspiels. We will continue playing 'Lean on Me', focusing on improvising and composing with the song.



History

As historians, we will continue to develop our inference, research and enquiry skills to consider the growth of the Roman Empire and its lasting impact on Britain. We will learn about the key personalities of Caesar, Claudius and Boudicca, concentrating on the key concepts of causes and consequences.

Design Technology

As designers, we will learn about, analyse and evaluate electrical products. We will design and make a torch with an electrical circuit and working switch. We will test and evaluate the success of our final product.

Personal, Social & Health Education.

As global citizens, we will think about the importance of being responsible at home, in school and in the wider community. We will consider the importance of helping at home and in the community. We will also learn about empathy and equality.



R.E

As global citizens, we will be learning about different journeys through life from the perspective of Hinduism, Islam, Christianity and Judaism.



Our class author in Year 3 is:

David Walliams

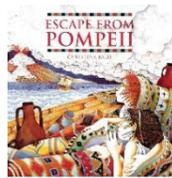


English

As readers, our whole class guided reading sessions will explore a range of texts, including information texts, all linked to wider curriculum areas.

In our book talk sessions, we will continue to read our class novels and still enjoy our weekly library visits.

As writers, we will link our writing to history and produce texts based on the Roman Empire. The children will be writing non-chronological reports on gladiators and produce a range of narrative texts based on the book 'Escape from Pompeii'.



Mathematics

As mathematicians, we will continue our fractions topic, focusing on comparing and ordering fractions with the same denominators. We will then move on to our mass and capacity unit. The children will be using scales and measuring objects using kilograms and grams. We will also continue with our daily fluency sessions focusing on the four operations.



French

As linguists we will be learning the names of some body parts. We will be singing some songs to practise and reinforce the new language as well as reading some authentic French stories together.



Science

As scientists, we will be finishing our light topic, investigating reflection and shadows. We will then start our plant unit. We will be identifying and describing the functions of different parts of flowering plants (roots, stem/trunk, leaves and flowers). We will also explore the requirements of plants for life and growth.

P.E

As athletes, we will explore a range of different activities to improve our ball skills, as well as skills of co-ordination and teamwork.

Computing

As digital citizens, we will develop our research, word processing, and PowerPoint making skills. We will then be using these skills across the curriculum.



Enrichment & special Events:

- KS2 sports day - 21st May
- Learn to ride with Bikeability - WC 7th May (applications on ParentPay)

Relentless Routines.

PE:

Monday 3VH

Thursday 3DS

Friday 3DM

Homework:

Set on Purple Mash on a Wednesday and due on a Monday.

Reading:

For 20 minutes every night.