

Year 3

Autumn 2 Learning Jigsaw

Writing

In our writing lessons, we will begin by writing a character description of George's Grandma from George's Marvellous Medicine. We will look at examples from similar stories for inspiration. We will then be writing a persuasive advert linked to Christmas treats. The children will learn how to write persuasively by using a range of descriptive language features.

Reading

Individual reading

- Decoding Skills
- Fluency & expression
- Recognising and fluently reading new tricky words.

Group reading

- Retrieving key information from the text.
- Using evidence to support our answers.

Maths

In Maths, children will be introduced to the column method to add and subtract 3-digit numbers. We will also focus on applying this knowledge to solving word problems and reasoning tasks. This half term, we will continue to focus on times tables with the aim of consolidating the 2, 5 and 10 times table.

DT

This half term, we will learn about pulley systems and work towards making a pneumatic monster with a moving mouth!

RSHE

Our topic is all about 'Celebrating Difference'. Our lessons will consist of lots of discussions about the things that make us special, using kind words and problem-solving.

Music

This half term, we will continue to have weekly ukulele lessons taught by a visiting music teacher.

PE

We will be learning gymnastics skills like balancing, moving in different ways and creating sequences.

Geography

In Geography lessons, we will be learning all about earthquakes. We'll find out why they occur, how they affect people and look at some famous case studies.

Computing

In our Computing lessons, we will be animators. We will carefully plan out a storyboard which we will then create using stop frame animation techniques on the iPads.

Science

Our Science topic is 'animals including humans'. Building on our knowledge of bones and skeletons, we will learn what vertebrates and invertebrates are. Our research skills will be put to the test to find out about amazing animals and their muscular-skeletal systems. We will present our findings to the rest of the class.

Religious Education

Our focus is Judaism. We will learn about different traditions and festivals that are important to Jewish people.

French

The children will learn some simple vocabulary to talk about themselves and their families.

