

Year 3 Learning – Summer 2 2024

English:

We are reading...



We will be completing some extended pieces of writing based on these texts including setting descriptions, character descriptions and retelling the narrative. We will continue to write in paragraphs, using expanded noun phrases, adverbial phrases, prepositions, conjunctions and higher-level vocabulary to make our writing more interesting. Our spelling tests take place every Tuesday based on the spellings that were sent home.

Maths:

Our topics this half-term are time, shape and statistics. We will be learning how to tell the time on digital and analogue clocks and find the duration of time. We will then be identifying different types of angles, turns and lines. Education City and BBC bitesize have a variety of activities to support your children with their maths at home. The children will be completing a times table test every Thursday afternoon. Practising their times table facts at home on TT Rockstars will support them in this.



History

Researching and comparing natural disasters through time.

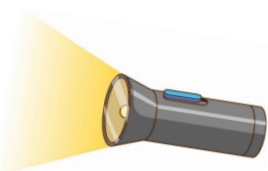
Geography – Angry Earth.

We are learning about how mountains are formed, why volcanoes erupt and the effects of other natural disasters such as tsunamis, floods and hurricanes.



Science – Light and Dark

- How does light travel?
- What is light and dark?
- What is reflection?
- How are shadows formed?



PE – Athletics

PE days are Tuesday and Wednesday. Children will need black shorts or jogging bottoms and either a white t-shirt or their team colour. Please ensure any earrings are removed and long hair is tied up.

Music

We will be having violin lessons with Mr Partridge every Monday afternoon. Some children have started their keyboard lessons with Mr Watts which will take place every Wednesday.

Curriculum

French: family members.

Computing: Programming – Scratch.

PSHE: Me and other people.

RE: Religious leaders.

Art: Land Art

Key dates:

17th – 21st June: Arts Week

27th June: Violin concert at Coton Centre

1st July: Sports Day

3rd July: Trip to Derby Open Centre

8th July: Class transition day

19th July: break up for summer holidays.

Homework

Please make sure your child is reading at home on a daily basis. We expect at least 3 reads a week in their reading record. Spellings and times tables should also be practised on a regular basis.