



The Curriculum Newsletter Year 3

Term: Autumn 1

An Overview of the Theme

This half-term, our theme in Year 3 is tribal tales where we will be working up to answering our enquiry question:

What was life like in Prehistoric Britain?

English:

Your child will be writing;
They will:

- Practise writing words with capital letters
- Practise combining all 4 joins when writing sentences
- Practise printing using geographical vocabulary Join to letters with hooks, lines and loops ga, ge, gi, gl, go, gr, gs, gu, wh
- Use information from texts to describe different characters
- Use persuasive language to persuade someone to live in the stone Age

Mathematics: Your child will be learning about place value.
They will:

- Learn about number and place value. They will work with numbers to one thousand and know how to represent and order these numbers.
- Develop their knowledge of addition and subtraction of 3 digit numbers
- Have daily fluency lessons where we will focus on number bonds within 20.
- Have daily times tables practice of the 2, 5 and 10 times tables.

Trips and Visits

There will be dates to follow for our Stone Age related visit to Brackenhurst. We will send out a letter to parents/carers soon about this.

How Can You Help?

We value the support of all parents and carers. If you feel that you can help in any way with the work we are covering then please let us know or if you would like any further information regarding this term's curriculum please do not hesitate to contact school.

We also welcome parent helpers who can help listen to children reading. If this is something you are interested in, please contact the office.

Thank you.

Reminders

PE

ALL children must bring their PE kits on their allocated PE day.



The PE kit is:

A white or blue t-shirt or polo shirt.

Black or navy plain shorts, leggings, or jogging bottoms.

Our PE day for this term is Tuesdays.

Daily Reading

Please write in your child's diary each time you read or support in anyway at home. Each time a child has read 50 times at home they will get a token for our book vending machine!

Homework

Your child will bring home weekly spellings on a Friday, please practice these throughout the week, along with your Times Table Rockstars login to practise. Maths and English homework will also be sent home on a Friday.