

Meet the Year Group Team		
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Spring 2
25th February – 5th April

Topic: Survival

English	<p><u>Reading</u> We are continuing to study the book Stig of the Dump by Clive King, and using this to practice a range of reading skills, such as inference, prediction, questioning and retrieval.</p> <p><u>Writing</u> We will be using our story 'Stone Age Boy' as inspiration to write a non-chronological report about the Stone Age.</p> <p><u>Spelling</u> We will be looking at spelling using a range of prefixes, including bi and re - as well as looking at homophones and near-homophones. We will also be recapping spellings from our Year 3/4 word list and having a go at correcting spellings from our own writing.</p>
Maths	<p><u>Measure</u> This half term we will be revisiting units of measure, focusing on length. We will learn how to order and compare units of measure, read different scales and solve problems involving measure.</p> <p><u>Geometry</u> We will also learn about the properties of both 2D and some 3D shapes, with a particular focus on different types of angles. We will also learn to use positional vocabulary when moving 2D shapes on a grid.</p> <p><u>Time</u> We will learn the difference between analogue and digital clocks and how to read them. We will practice using the correct vocabulary when telling the time and working out the length of time of different activities. We will also developing our understanding of time by solving problems.</p>
Science	<p><u>Animals Including humans</u> The children are going to learn how to classify different animals according to their characteristics and their diet. We will then be exploring how our diets keep animals and ourselves healthy and try to identify key body parts and locate them. This will culminate in an animal day where we will get to see some real-life animals!</p>
History	<p><u>British Prehistory (the Bronze Age and the Iron Age)</u> We are continuing our topic of British prehistory by moving on to learn all about the Bronze Age and the Iron Age. We will be finding out why metal was such an important material and how it led to changes in society that we can still see today. The children will be learning to look at different sources and explaining why different artefacts are important. Our trip to Butster Farm</p>

	will culminate this unit, where the children will learn first-hand how the ancient Britons really lives.
Computing	Webpages and Media
PSHE	<u>Healthy Me</u> We will be learning about how to stay healthy and why it is important.
RE	<u>Ceremonies</u> We will be looking at different ceremonies that are significant in different lifestyles and cultures.
Year 3 PE days are:	Tuesday morning (all) Monday PM (Y3AM) Wednesday PM (Y3RV)
Homework Routines	Spellings will be given out each Monday to practice for their test the following Monday. Homework will be set on Fridays and will be due in the following Wednesday. If children need more time to complete homework please let the class teacher know.
Easter performance	This term Year 3 and 4 will be taking part in a performance which will be shown to parents in the morning and afternoon of Thursday 2 April 2020. As we will need to prepare and practice for this it is likely that some areas of the curriculum will be superseded by performance practice. If you are concerned about this in any way please speak to the class teacher. We do hope that you will be able to watch the show!