Year 3

Spring Term 2 2025

Topic:

Comparing Locations. Would you take a trip to Cardiff Bay?

As geographers we will be looking at the use of land within Immingham and nearby. We will look at the role of Immingham Docks and understand why this is important.

We will then be 'travelling' to Cardiff Bay and comparing the land use there to the land use in Immingham. We will use maps and research to support us in identifying similarities and differences between Immingham and Cardiff Bay.





Maths

Fractions

- To recognise unit fractions
- Be able to compare and order unit and non unit fractions.
- Know and identify equivalent fractions such as those which are equivalent to $\frac{1}{2}$ (2/4, 3/6, 4/8) or 1/3 such as (2/6, 3/9, 4/12)
- Be able to place fractions on a number line.
- Add and subtract fractions
- Find fractions of quantities

Money

- Recognise value of coins and notes
- Find totals of amounts
- Give change

Geometry

- Recognise right angles and identify them in shapes
- Recognise parallel and perpendicular lines and find them in shapes.
- We ask that children practice their **times tables** regularly at home. The children need to be fluent with their 2, 5, 10, 3, 4 and 8 times tables by the end of year 3 and know the division facts related to these.
- This half term, we have a really exciting opportunity and we will be attending Taiko Drumming music lessons at the Civic Centre on a Thursday afternoon (except 13th March)
- Please send children to school in their PE kit on a <u>Tuesday</u> and <u>Friday</u>. PE kit should be black shorts, joggers or leggings, a red or white t-shirt, trainers and children should wear their red school jumper or cardigan.
- Children will bring home a reading book. Reading is really important so please try and listen to your child **read** at least three times a week, this does not have to be a whole book, just 5 minutes or a few pages each time.
- Please regularly check the website and Class Doio for up-to-date letters and information.

Literacy

We will be looking at the book, 'Town is by the Sea' by Joanne Schwartz.

This terms writing focus will be to:

- Narrative text
- Recount text
- Persuasive text
- Know and use different the structural features of the above texts

This terms spellings focus will be:

- continuing to learn common exception words
- words /s/ sound coded s, ss, c, ce, se, sc
- hip homophones; mist/missed, accept/except, scene/seen
- prefixes; dis & mis

This terms reading focus will be:

- Understanding the meaning of words in different contexts.
- Making inferences and using the text or images to support inferences.