

## English and Reading

In English lessons we will be focussing on the story of 'Egyptology' by Dugald Steer with the intended outcome of writing our own Egyptian mystery and secret diary. Our reading is focusing on 'Fortunately the Milk' by Neil Gaiman where children will learn a variety of reading skills linked to VIPERS.

## Maths

During maths lessons this half term, we will continue looking at Mass and Capacity. After that, we will revisit Fractions and finish by exploring Money.

Children will also learn their times tables so that they can recall them instantly. It is vital that children know their 2, 3, 4-, 5-, 8- and 10-times tables before they finish year 3.

TTRockstars will be used to support this.



## PSHE

Our PSHE topic for this half term is 'Relationships'. We are going to be exploring family and friendship roles and responsibilities, how to be a good global citizen, how to communicate effectively and learn different tools to resolve conflicts.

## Grammar



Grammar will be focusing on the use of the forms 'a' or 'an' when the next word starts with a constant or vowel. We will also be looking at using inverted commas to show when a character is speaking. Our final grammatical focus is to be able to organise our ideas coherently into paragraphs and create a natural flow of writing.



## Year 3 Curriculum Overview - Summer 1

### Topic - Biome in a Box!



## ART/DT

In ART, we will be creating a collage using a range of different techniques and materials. In DT, we will be creating a biome in a box! Children will include a moving part in their design.

## Geography

In Geography, we will be looking at different Biomes and exploring the different human and physical features of a landscape. We will investigate a chosen biome and compare this with the UK biome.

## Science



In Science, we will be finishing looking at the topic of Light, exploring shadows and how light passes through different objects. After, we will move onto our new topic of 'Plants'. This topic will continue throughout Summer, where we explore the different parts of plants, how water is transported and plant reproduction.

## RE



In RE we will be learning about the different ways that people express their spirituality. We will focus on the following religions: Christianity, Islam, Sikhism, Judaism and Non-Religious.

## PE

In PE this term, children will be learning new skills in Tennis. They will learn the rules of tennis, correctly grip the racket, control the movement of the ball using one or both sides of the racket and engage in a short rally in a game situation.