

ENGLISH

We will be reading 'Seal Surfer' by Michael Foreman. This is a fiction text about a young boy and a grandfather who see a seal pup being born and see the seal throughout the year. They will be writing letters to narrate and describe events in the story.

READING

In our reading lessons we will be reading 'The Sea Book' by Charlotte Milner. This is a non-fiction book about the sea. They will be learning about the layout of a non-fiction text and learning new knowledge about the sea.

HISTORY

What was important to the Ancient Egyptians?

The children will be learning about what was important to the Ancient Egyptian people, about the River Nile, the Rosetta Stone, Egyptian Gods and Goddesses, the mummification process and the Ancient Egyptian beliefs about the afterlife.

FRENCH

Moi (Me)

The children will be learning the key vocabulary associated with themselves. They will learn how to greet people, to say how they feel, to say their name, their age and their address, to talk about their family and to say the numbers 1-10 in French.

COMPUTING

Digital Citizenship and Online safety

The children will be learning to use technology safely, respectfully and responsibly. They will learn to recognise acceptable and unacceptable behaviour online. They will identify a range of ways to report content and contact.

Here are some of the books we will be reading this half-term:



Year 3



Curriculum Overview

Autumn Term 1

PSHE

Families and Relationships

The children will be learning about healthy families, friendship, conflicts, bullying, trust and respecting differences in people. They will also be looking at gender and age stereotypes.

MUSIC

Drumming

The children will develop their music skills in a weekly drumming session with a specialist music teacher, Mr Simpson.

MATHS

The children will be learning about place value. They will partition numbers up to 1,000. They will find $1/10$ / 100 more and less. They will compare and order numbers. They will learn how to do column addition and column subtraction of numbers within 1,000. They will also be learning the 2, 3, 4, 5 and 10 times tables. Children have a log in for Times Tables Rockstars.

SCIENCE

Skeletons and Movement

The children will be learning to name bones in the human body and in various animal skeletons. They will look at the function of the skeleton, animals with and without a spine and discuss if all skeletons are the same. Then they will look at joints, muscles and how we move.

ART

Drawing: Developing drawing skills

The children will be developing their shading skills and drawing techniques in order to create botanical inspired drawings. They will use simple shapes to sketch their drawings before using lines and marks to add texture and detail. They will use shading skills to add areas of light and dark (tone).

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

The children will be learning about the ABC's of PE; Agility, Balance and Co-ordination. Each class has two weekly lessons.

Y3S will have Mr Stevenson, a sports coach, for one session weekly.

3S – Wednesday and Thursday

3J – Tuesday and Thursday

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Creation/ Fall

The children will be learning about the Creation Story and about Adam and Eve. They will describe what Christians believe and do because they believe God is the Creator.