Hamworthy Primary Schools
Curriculum Overview

Year 3

Summer 2 2025

English

In English this half term our learning is based around the text 'The Wild Robot'. We will write our own chapter of the book, using inverted commas to show speech and paragraphs around different themes. After this we will create our own alternative ending to the story. We will consolidate some prior knowledge including conjunctions and adverbs.

How you can help at home: Read at home at least 3 times a week.

Maths

In Maths this half term we will be learning about angles. We will learn about parallel and perpendicular lines and how to find angles within shapes. We will also learn how to tell the time to the nearest minute and explore duration and months of the year. Finally we will move on to data, represented as bar charts and pictograms and measure capacity in litres and millimetres. **How you can help at home:** Practice times tables using TTRS.



Science



This half term we will be learning about rocks. We will learn how to identify if a rock is sedimentary, igneous or metamorphic. We will learn about the properties of rocks e.g. sandy, chalky, absorbent, how rocks are formed and the process of fossilisation.



Humanities



In History this half term, we will learn about the importance of the River Nile and how life surrounded it. We will learn about how the population lived around the Nile and how they used the land to survive e.g. fishing, bathing and transporting goods.

DT



In DT this half term we will be linking our learning to our Ancient Egypt topic. We will make our own Shadufs, using a lever and pivot to operate it. The children will learn the importance of Shadufs in Ancient Egypt and how they used them.

PE & Sports



Monday – Swimming (Anemones & Octopuses) & PE (Sea Stars & Sea Dragons)

Thursday Afternoon – PE Lessons



RE

In RE this half term we will be learning more about Buddhism. We will learn three Buddhists stories and how these help Buddhists lead a good life.

PSHE



In PSHE our learning is based around Growing and Changing. The children will learn the names of the body parts for male and female and how bodies change on the inside and outside in preparation for adulthood. We will also be learning about hazards and risks within our community and environment.

Computing



In Computing this half term, we will be learning how digital devices work in more detail. We will learn about input and output, how a network works and what a server is.

Other Information about this term:

Homework is handed out every Monday to be completed by the following Monday.

Year 3 Dorchester trip – Wb 8th June

