



Autumn Term in Class 3

English

The children will have a variety of writing opportunities this Autumn term using our text, The Iron Man. They will create a character description, instructional writing and a monologue.

The children will also use the text, The Sandman and the Turtles by Michael Morpurgo to create a retell of the story from one of the main characters. They will also create a poem and a biography of Michael Morpurgo.

We are reading...



In reading, the children will read the text, Kaspar Prince of Cats by Michael Morpurgo alongside their own reading book.

They will practise the reading skills of prediction, retrieval, inference, explanation, summary and vocabulary.

Maths

Year Three:

The children will learn about place value in three digit numbers, add and subtract three digit numbers and multiply and divide numbers using the 2,3,4,5, 8 and 10 times tables.

Year Four:

The children will learn about place value in four digit numbers, add and subtract four digit numbers and know their multiplication and division facts to 12 x 12.

Science

In Chemistry, the children will be learning about Rocks, Soils and Fossils. They will learn about the appearance and physical properties of rocks, what soil is made from and how fossils are formed.

In Biology, they will be learning about skeletons and muscles. They will learn that humans and some animals have skeletons and muscles for support, protection and movement.

Art

The children will learn about the artist Pablo Picasso. The children will learn about Picasso's Blue and Rose periods and colour mix using primary, secondary, tertiary colours and white to recreate his colours.

The children will learn about Cubism and create self portraits using this style in pencil focusing on line and shape.

The children will add colour to their self portrait using primary, secondary and tertiary colours and white.

History/Geography

History: The Romans

The children will learn about Julius Caesar's attempted invasion of Great Britain in 55-54BC and its impact on Great Britain.

The children will learn about the chronology, why Julius Caesar was a significant person, the beliefs that led to the invasions and the consequences of them.

Geography:

The children will learn where the equator, the Tropic of Cancer and Capricorn are as well as the northern and southern hemispheres. They will also learn what lines of latitude and longitude mean.

RE

Religious Education:

Exploring living by rules:

The children will learn about commitment and identity, the Ten Commandments from the Christian faith, the Five pillars of Islam and create acts of kindness following the Golden Rule.

Religion in the home:

The children will learn about lifestyles and customs in their own homes, what happens in Christian and Muslim homes and what makes their homes special to them.

Music

The children will sing a variety of different songs.

The children will learn the song I've been to Harlem and invent an accompaniment and rhythm.

The children will begin to learn the recorder.

The children will listen to music by different composers.

PSHCE

The children will learn and explore keeping themselves safe and about helping each other to stay safe. They will explore working as a team. They will also learn about taking care of a pet

The children will be learning about budgeting money and taxes.

Computing

They will also be learning about the importance of and how to stay safe online.

DT/PE

Design and Technology:

The children will research what lever and linkage mechanisms are before designing, making and evaluating a page from an interactive book.

Physical Education:

The children will be learning different net and wall games, and developing their sport specific skills e.g. tactics and positioning.