



English



As Readers, we will be reading stories like the Iron Man and Stone Age boy, thinking about how characters are built and developed throughout the narrative. As Writers, we will begin the year by focussing on the basic skills we need to build sentences. This will help us to become more secure in our sentence structures, punctuation and grammar, before using these skills to write a letter from the perspective of the Stone Age boy.

Year three

What are we learning about this half term?

History

As Historians, we will be learning about the Stone Age. We will be thinking about how people lived in the Stone Age, and the inventions that they had that made it such an important time in history!



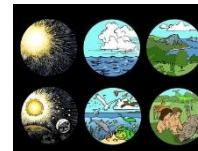
Computing

In Computing, we will explore e-safety and how we can keep ourselves safe on the internet. We will discuss some of the dangers that we may encounter online, and how we can deal with these if they arise. We also look into the precautions we can take to avoid these risks, like not sharing personal information or reporting things that make us uncomfortable.



RE

In RE, we will begin the year with a focus on Christianity. More specifically, we will explore the story of creation, and what we can learn from this about the beliefs of Christians.



PE

In P.E. we will be focusing on Invasion Games, where children work in teams to achieve a joint goal. This half-term, we are specifically developing our skills in Tag Rugby, where the children will need to learn to dodge to avoid their tag being taken.

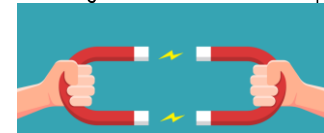


Maths

As Mathematicians, we will be revisiting basic skills that we need to use throughout the year, such as layout or work accurately, to avoid mistakes. We will then explore place value, introducing the children to thousands, so they can begin to use bigger numbers in their sums. After that, we focus on addition and subtraction. We will build on their knowledge from year 2, whilst using more formal written methods like the column method, to solve trickier problems. We will then begin to apply these skills to worded problems to help us solve these.

Science

As scientists, we will have a physics focus, as we look at magnets. We will discover how magnets work, and how they are used in modern inventions. We will be doing a few experiments to test out which objects are magnetic, and try to classify these into categories based on their properties.



Art

As artists, we will be developing our drawing skills using a range of techniques to create our desired effect. We will be exploring a range of mediums, including charcoal, to work towards our final piece of cave art- just like in the Stone Age!

Design & Technology

In D&T, we will be using a range of skills to build scrapyard grabbers! We will look at the different parts needed to make them function, then replicate these with cardboard.