

YEAR 3 AUTUMN 1 TOPIC LIST

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THEME – The Earth Around Us

Maths

Place Value

This half term, we will introduce maths by ensuring children have a strong and secure knowledge of place value, which underpins many other areas of maths. Children will have the opportunity to develop their mathematical thinking through investigations, problem solving and reasoning

Addition and Subtraction

Children will explore methods for addition and subtraction, appreciating when it is appropriate to use each operation. They will aim to have a solid understanding of both operations, so that they can apply these in other areas of maths.



PE

Swimming: Perform safe self-rescue in different water-based situations.

Health and Fitness: Circuit Training
What is a SMART goal? To develop flexibility, strength, technique, control, and balance.

English

Writing

We will aim to write a historical narrative using the class novel "The First Drawing" by Mordicai Gerstein. Children will build a varied vocabulary as well as include a range of sentence structures.

Grammar

We will begin the year by focusing heavily on revising key grammatical aspects, before we move on to applying these in our writing. We will also be expanding our use of conjunctions, punctuating direct speech and using the possessive apostrophe with the plural nouns.

Comprehension

Children will revise the basic skills needed when reading a text, such as how to skim a text, using key words to find information and briefly summarizing what we have read. We will focus on daily guided reading sessions to secure their learning.

Humanities

Our Humanities unit focuses on identifying changes from the Stone Age to the Bronze Age. Children will learn about how early man survived in a harsh environment, why Skara Brae was important for understanding life in the Stone Age and why Stonehenge was built. We will also aim to develop historical thinking, such as analysing sources of evidence and questioning their reliability.

Art



This half term, we will be learning how to make drawings that capture a sense of drama or performance using charcoal. We will also be looking into how we can use lights to make our subject matter more dramatic.

Science

In our Science unit, children will discover the different types of rocks and how they are formed. Children will compare and group rocks based on appearance and simple properties. They will understand how soil is formed, developing their scientific skills as they progress through the unit.



PSHE

Our PSHE 'Britain' unit is inspired by the idea that we live in a diverse, multicultural and democratic society and that brings many benefits. It aims to enable the children to identify that they should be respectful of difference. In this unit, children learn about British people, rules, the law, liberty and what living in a democracy means. They also learn about the importance of being tolerant of differences within their society.



QURAN

Memorisation: Surah Al Balad

Revision: Focus on revision of all previous surahs from surah Ash Shams to surah An-Naas

Recitation: Juz 27 , Easy Quran reading .different levels



Islamic Studies

- 1.Allah is My Creator
- 2.The Steps of Wudu (With practical)
- 3.Speaking the Truth (Hadith Study)
- 4.The Five Daily Prayers
- 5.Daily Etiquettes of the Prophet (saw) (Bismillah, Use Right hand, Saying Salam)
- 6.The Method of Salah (Practical) and Supplications of Salah

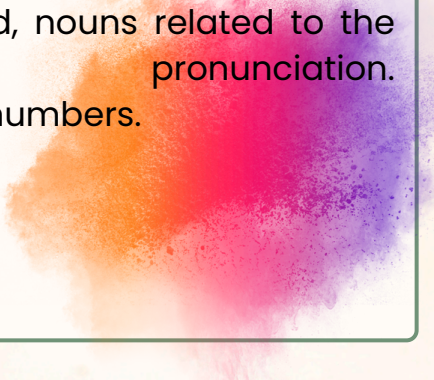


Urdu

Topic: Colours

Colours in the nature, colours of the rainbow, favourite colour.

Greetings, Urdu alphabet, name and sound, nouns related to the alphabet, pronunciation. counting numbers.



Computing

- Identify key components that make up the school's network.
- Explain the difference between wired and wireless connections.
- Identify parts of a website's journey to reach your computer.
- Recognise that routers connect to send information.
- Understand that data is broken into packets.

Arabic

This half term, Year 3 will learn basic greetings in Arabic, learn classroom vocabulary, days of the week and numbers to 10. We will be using Eric Carle's book 'The Very Hungry Caterpillar' (in Arabic of course!) as the base for our activities. In writing, we will explore which letters sit above the line and which ones hang below, and which cheeky letters don't want to join onto the next letter. Our learning will largely be through games, songs, role-play and art.

In Extra Arabic which takes place on a Tuesday, pupils will have the chance to explore Arabic on a deeper level and link it to Islamic and Qur'anic learning. This will include exploring stories of the Prophets and the vocabulary related to that.

Any homework set will be posted on Class Dojo and may often be set on an interactive online portal.