

Spring Term



Maths

In Maths the children will be learning the skills of multiplication and division. The children will be using this knowledge to develop their understanding of the 3, 4 and 8 times tables as well as multiplying 2 digit by 1 digit numbers. You can help at home by encouraging the children to use TT rockstars to practise their times tables.

English

The children in Year 3 are learning how to write a non-chronological report and a newspaper report as well as narratives after half term. The focus for these texts will be volcanoes. They will be continuing to learn how to use complex sentences as well as using new skills such as using a formal tone. Please ensure you are reading at home with your child often.

Science

The half term we will be exploring the biology topic of organisms. The children will be learning about different food groups and a healthy balanced diet as well as learning about the diet of other animals. We will also be looking at the human body by naming bones in the skeleton and naming organs and learning about their functions.

Geography & History

We will be exploring the Volcanoes in Geography. They will be learning about the layers of the Earth, tectonic plates, how volcanoes are formed and their types of Volcanoes. In History this term Year 3 will be learning about Ancient Egypt. We will be exploring who the Ancient Egyptians were, why Pharaohs were so powerful and mummification.

PSHE & RWV

Children will be learning all about keeping safe online as well as in 'real life'. We will be looking at how to keep ourselves safe in a number of different situations. In RWV we will be looking at how people make moral decisions and how does that compare to Christian beliefs then moving on to where Islamic beliefs come from.

PE

PE day will still be a Monday in Year 3 and the children will need to attend school in tracksuit bottoms, black/dark trainers, school polo top or t-shirt and a navy jumper. Please ensure they have a bottle of water too.

