

This term Year 3 are learning about.....

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| <p>Maths</p>  | <p>In maths, we are looking at formal written method for multiplication and how to divide larger numbers. We will also begin to look at fractions- what they are, fractions of amounts and addition and subtraction of fractions with the same denominator. We will continue to test children weekly on their personal targets, so don't forget to practise these twice a week at home! In addition to this, we are completing weekly timed arithmetic tests and times table grids.</p> |
| <p>English</p>  | <p>We will be covering our grammar objectives in greater depth this term, with a focus on sentence structure and composition as well as how to use inverted commas. We will be using a variety of texts linked to our topics in order to support this, including during class reading sessions. We will also be writing a narrative piece based on the class text 'I'll take you to Mrs Cole' by Nigel Gray. Please ensure that your child continues to read regularly at home and have discussions about any new vocabulary that you come across in their books.</p> |
| <p>Geography</p>  | <p><u>Our wonderful world</u> We will become world explorers, with a focus on map and atlas work. This will include; learning the countries of the UK, the continents of the world (as well as the major oceans and seas of the world). We will investigate lines of longitude and latitude, climate zones and what makes places hot or cold.</p> |
| <p>Science</p>  | <p><u>Plants</u> This term we will be learning all about plants and what they need to stay healthy. This will include an investigation as well as looking at the reproductive life cycle of a plant. After half term we will be finding out about light and shadow.</p> |
| <p>Computing</p>  | <p>We shall be learning how to use word processing software. This will include learning how to type, format and edit text in Microsoft Word. We will also be teaching them how to take a screen shot and insert this into a document.</p> |
| <p>Art and DT</p>  | <p>Our art this term is looking at works of the artist Paul Klee. After half-term we will be designing and making 'Moving monsters' using a simple pneumatic system</p> |
| <p>As well as all of the above, there will be outdoor games, gymnastics, French, music, RE and much, much more!</p> | |

As always we welcome your support with offers of help, information, resources and expertise!

Mrs Fox and Mrs Watson