



Year 3 Summer Term 2024

English

This term, we are writing to inform. The children will be writing a non-chronological report about pangolins whilst using skills such as subheadings and subordinating conjunctions. We will then use these skills to write a non-chronological report about an animal of their choice. In guided reading, we will be reading *The Boy Who Grew Dragons*.

Maths

In maths, we will be learning all about length and perimeter, thinking about cm, m and mm where they will be comparing, calculating and measuring lengths. We will then be moving on to look at mass and capacity.

Relationships and Health Education

In RHE, our unit is 'Keeping Safe'. Within this we will learn about risks and hazards, safety in the local environment, familiar and unfamiliar places. **Key vocabulary:** hazards, safety, hygiene, bacteria, germs, risks, unfamiliar.

RE

In RE this half term, we will be learning Christianity. Our key question- 'What kind of world would Jesus want?' Within this, we will be looking at parables and gospels from the Bible. We will be thinking about the story of The Good Samaritan and unpicking the phrase Fishers of Men.

History

As historians, we will be learning all about the Ancient Greeks. We will be looking at what life was like as an Ancient Greek and how the Ancient Greeks have contributed to modern life. This will include looking at how they were governed as well as the Olympic Games.

PE

The focus for PE in the summer term will be swimming (Little Horses up until half term and then Dolphins after half term). Swimming is an important life skill for the children to learn particularly when we live so close to the sea so it really is a fantastic opportunity for the children to take part in.

Science

As scientists, we will be learning about animals including humans. We will start by looking at bones and muscles before moving on to think about what is needed to survive and stay healthy.

Art

As artists, Year 3 will be inspired by artist 'William Morris'. We will be looking at his designs and learning how to use foam blocks to print our designs.

Modern Foreign Languages (MFL)

In Spanish, we will be learning about pets. As part of this, we will be learning animal's names and descriptions of the animals too.

Music

In Music, we will be listening to and learning the song *Bringing us Together* which is a Disco song about friendship, peace, hope and unity. We will also be preparing for Ellacombe Musical Extravaganza!