

Curriculum Overview

What we are learning about in **Year 3** during **Autumn Half Term 2**



Multiply and divide by 4

- Formal method for multiplication (2 digits by 1 digit including carrying)
- Divide by sharing (2 digit by 1 digit for 2s, 3s, 4s and 5s)

Measurement : Time

- O'clock, half past, quarter to and quarter past
- AM and PM with 24 hours

Fractions

- Make equal parts
- Recognise and find non-unit and unit fractions
- Count in fractions
- Tenths (counting and tenths as decimals)

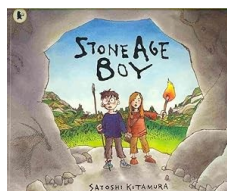
Geometry: Shape

- Recognise and describe properties of 2D and 3D shapes
- Recognise angles

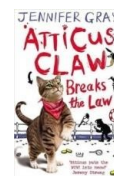
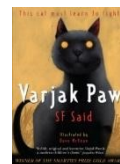


Our book for this half term in English will be **Stone Age Boy** by Satoshi Kitamura.

We will be focusing on writing to inform and producing a postcard from the character in the **Stone Age** as well as writing to entertain where the outcome will be an adventure story featuring themselves.



Our books for this half term in Reading Skills will be: **Varjak Paw** by S.F Said, **Picture Perfect** by Serena Patel and **Atticus Claw breaks the law** by Jennifer Gray. The skills we will focus on are: **vocabulary, inference, prediction, explaining, retrieval and summarising.**



In our D.T unit, pupils will learn about products with lever and linkage mechanisms. They will explore a range of books and other products with these mechanisms and will learn how the mechanisms work. This will lead to planning and creating their own product using these mechanisms.



Our focus in RE this half term will be finding out what it means to be a Hindu living in Britain today.



In computing, we will be focusing on digital devices to create media, and how we can create stop-frame animations.

Our focus in PE will be:
Basketball, Fitness and Dance.



Wider Curriculum



In Geography, we will be looking at '**record breaking**' features, such as longest rivers, tallest mountains and tallest buildings. Pupils will consider locational knowledge of the UK and the wider world.



In RSHE, we will be looking at the themes of:
Do families always stay the same?

Are all families like mine?



In Art this half term, we will be focusing on collage techniques and understanding how to use a variety of materials to create a collage.



Our focus in Spanish will be nouns including school equipment and counting to 20.

Our focus in music is storytelling through music leading to compositions. 