

Curriculum Overview

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



Multiplication and Division

- Comparing calculations
- Missing number problems
- Related calculations
- Scaling
- Divide 2 digits by 1 digit

Money

- Add and subtract money
- Give change

Statistics

- Pictograms, bar charts and tables

Measurement: Length & Perimeter

- Measure lengths (cm, m)
- Equivalent lengths (mm & cm and m & cm)
- Compare lengths
- Add and subtract lengths
- Measure and calculate perimeter

Measurement: Time:

- Telling the time to 5 minutes
- Converting between analogue and digital
- Finding the duration



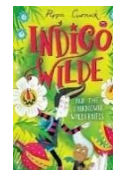
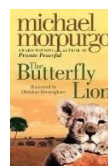
Our book for this half term in English will be **The boy who grew dragons by Andy Sheperd.**

We will be focusing on writing to persuade and producing an advert for a dragon fruit plant and writing to entertain by producing an additional chapter to the book.



Our books for this half term in Reading Skills will be: **The Butterfly Lion by Michael Morpurgo, Indigo Wilde and the unknown wilderness by Pippa Curnick and The Street Beneath my feet by Charlotte Guillain.**

The skills we will focus on are: **vocabulary, inference, prediction, explaining, retrieval and summarising.**



In geography we will be focusing on **'What is beneath my feet?'**

We will be looking at:

- Mountains and their environment and human geography
- Contours and height on maps and the structure of the earth
- Volcano formation
- Tectonic hazards
- Physical processes of earthquakes



Our focus in RE is to explore different reasons why Jesus is considered an inspiring figure by Christians– and by many other people too.



In computing we will be focusing on the concept of understanding what a branching database is and how to create one.

Our focus in PE will be: Hand-ball and tag rugby.



Wider Curriculum



Our Science topic for this half term will be **:Plants**

In this topic we will learn:

- What do different parts of plants do?
- What does a plant need to stay alive?
- How are new plants made?
- What is the life-cycle of a plant?

The scientific skills we will cover are:

observation, measuring & making predictions, recording data, and interpreting and communicating data.



In RSHE, we will be looking at the themes of:
Os) Friendship Online.



Our focus in music will be rhythm and texture.



In Art this half term, we will look at the work of the artist Patrick Caulfield and develop our techniques linked to observational drawing.



Our focus in Spanish will be Spanish phonics and applying these when joining in with stories and songs while also recapping numbers, animals and colours.