

Curriculum Newsletter

Year 3 - Spring 1

Reading

In Spring 1 we will be reading fairy tales and traditional fables to develop our ability to retrieve and summarise key information.



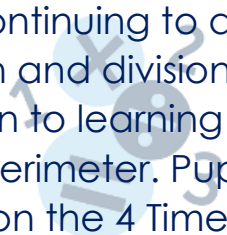
Writing

This term, we will be creating twisted fairy tales to retell stories from differing viewpoints. We will also be discussing fairy tale crimes as well as writing news reports on these events.



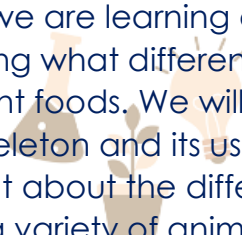
Maths

We will be continuing to develop our multiplication and division skills, and then move on to learning about length and perimeter. Pupils will also be focusing on the 4 Times Table.



Science

For biology, we are learning about our diets, including what different components are in different foods. We will then learn about our skeleton and its uses, followed by finding out about the different types of skeletons in a variety of animals.



Art

In art, we will be using our sculpting skills to create fairy tale scenes on clay tiles.



Computing

In computing, pupils will be using Scratch and other apps to code and create different pieces of music.



History

This term we will be learning about Ancient Egypt. We will learn about the different discoveries made by Egyptians, and their beliefs.



Spanish

For Spanish, we will be learning vocabulary for different food and drinks, as well as exploring language to allow us to discuss different food and drinks that we enjoy.



Music

For Spring 2, we will focus on Music and Emotion. We will be exploring the song Three Little Birds, discussing how music can make us feel.



PE

For PE, we are learning how to score points and how to use skills, simple strategies and tactics to outwit the opposition.



PSHE

In PSHE, we are exploring how to keep us safe. We will learn how to recognise risks and what to do in an emergency.



RE

In RE, we will be learning about Christianity and Humanism. We will be exploring how people make moral decisions, rules and human choice.



Other Information

PE

Year 3's PE day is on Thursday. Please ensure your child arrives to school in their school PE kit.

Homework

- Please read with your child at least three times a week and record it in their online reading record, LearningWithParents.
- Children will complete quizzes on their reading books weekly in class.
- Times tables can be practiced on Times Table Rock Stars.
- Reading books can be accessed using MyOn.
- Spellings are given each week in line with our class learning.