

Dear Parents and Carers,

We hope you had a wonderful break and are looking forward to the final term of Year 3. We are excited about all the learning we have ahead of us this term!

PE will be on Tuesday and Thursday this term. Please ensure to send children in appropriate clothing and footwear on P.E. days.

Home learning expectations:

- Daily reading.
- Times Table Rockstars (online)
- Optional Spelling practice sheets

Thank you for your continued support!

Year 3 Team

English

In English, we will be reading 'Blue John' by Berlie Doherty. It is a classically told story about a child fashioned out of fire and ice by the Queen of Darkness in a cave who is called Blue John. We will explore the text in both reading and writing lessons, developing our fluency skills in reading and writing alternative endings and poetry in English lessons.

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Maths

This term, we will continue to focus on multiplication and division in our Maths fluency lessons. In our Maths lessons, we will learn about time, shape and statistics. We will continue to practice and enhance our understanding of addition, subtraction, multiplication and division, as well as fractions.

RE

We will explore the question: 'Why is fire used ceremoniously? The children will make connections between ways fire can be used in different rituals, exploring ceremonies in Hinduism and Christianity in particular. They will consider the symbolism of fire.

Science

Our topic in Science this term is Plant Reproduction. We will learn all about what plants need to grow healthily, how plants transport water and the life cycle of a flowering plant. We will do some practical work examining plants to enhance our learning.

Geography

This term we will be investigating the question 'Are all settlements the same?' We will learn about the difference between villages, towns and cities. We will explore the human and physical features of New Delhi in India and consider similarities and differences between New Delhi and Deal.

PE

This term children will be participating in Cricket and Athletics. They will recap and further develop their techniques and skills in both sports.

Music

This term we will focus on traditional instruments from India and improvisation.

PSHE

This term we will discuss 'Changing Me'. These lessons will explore changes in animals and humans from birth to being fully grown, how babies grow in their mother's uterus, how boys' and girls' bodies change as they grow up, so their bodies can make babies and think about family roles.

Computing

This term, we will be learning about film trailers. We will explore camera angles when filming, create a storyboard and make and edit our own trailers.

Art

This term our focus will be on Brazilian Art. As well as exploring examples of art from Brazil, we will be producing our own art inspired by them.

DT

In DT, we will be learning about pneumatic systems and mechanisms in order to be able to design and make a pneumatic toy.

French

In this unit, we will learn about fruits and how to say we like or don't like them.