



Year 3

Spring Term Curriculum Booklet

English



This term in English we will be covering:

Persuasive writing through the use of our key text How to Train Your Dragon with the children writing a persuasive leaflet advertising their dragon for sale.

Instructional writing through the use of our key text How to Train Your Dragon with the children writing an instructional piece for how to look after their dragon.

Story Narrative writing through the use of our key text Odd and the Frost Giants with the children writing a Norse tale.

Character Biography writing through the use of our key text Norse Tales with the children writing a biography on the Norse God Thor.

SPaG through our scheme of Grammar and Jolly Spelling.

Maths

This term in Maths we will be covering:

Length, including measuring different items using centimetres, metres and kilometres, converting different units of measurement, and comparing different lengths.

Mass, including measuring mass using scales, different units to measure mass, specifically grams and kilograms, reading weighing scales.

Volume, including measuring volume using millilitres and litres.

Money, including recognising different denominations (both notes and coins), simple addition and subtraction of money.

Graphs, including how to create and interpret picture graphs and bar graphs, a number of different picture graphs, create bar graphs, read and interpret the information from graphs.



Science



This term in Science we will be covering:

Light, with a focus on the scientist Patricia Bath along with focusing on the concepts of light and dark, reflective surfaces and natural and man-made light sources.

History

This term in History we will be covering:

The Anglo Saxons, with a focus on their origins, what they brought to Britain and their impact on British history, culture and society.

The Vikings, with a focus on their origins, their mythology relating to Norse Gods and Goddesses, their culture and their way of life.



Geography



This term in Geography we will be covering:

Changes in the UK, including the impact of Anglo Saxon and Viking settlers to the island of Great Britain and how they have impacted our current society.

D&T

This term in D&T we will be covering:

Pulleys and gears, including creating a working pulley system using wood and string.



Art



This term in Art we will be covering:

The Bayeux Tapestry, including looking at the origins of the famous art work along with analysing the contents of the tapestry.

RE

This term in RE we will be covering:

Religious Symbols, including the religious symbols of the major religions along with their significance and meaning.



Computing



This term in Computing we will be covering:
Word processing and spreadsheets, all of which are underpinned by our teaching of internet safety.

PE

This term in PE we will be covering:
Dance and Gymnastics. The children will also undertake the run a mile challenge weekly.



Music



This term in Computing we will be covering:
Early Music & Renaissance.

Home Learning

This term our Home Learning will consist of:
1 Maths activity linked to the week's learning.
Time spent practising their multiplications through the use of Times Tables Rockstars.
1 English or Curriculum activity linked to this week's learning.
The children's weekly spelling words taken from their Jolly Spelling lessons.
10 minutes of daily reading with an adult.

