

English

At the beginning of the term we will be looking at descriptive writing with Miss Brunton and using an illustrated text to develop our vocabulary and writing. After reading more together, we will also be looking at writing in the 1st person and completing some writing-in-role work to develop our ability to write in different genres. We will be taking a creative approach to incorporate the beautiful illustrations within our text.

Geography

This term we will be looking at the variety of climate zones around the world, including our own. We will investigate our own locality, including the climate zone we live in and the characteristics of our local area. We will use geographical enquiry to learn more about where we live and compare it to other places in the world, looking at how they differ to our own and the way we live.

P.E

On a Monday, Mr Dowson will focus on teaching the children fundamental skills (such as balancing) and multi skills. NUFC will be looking at the skills involved in playing invasion games on a Friday.

Science

In Science, we will be investigating rocks and fossils. We will discover the ways in which rocks are formed and how commonly these are found around us. Using our knowledge of rock formations, we will study where we can find different types of rock and the properties they have. Within this topic, we will also investigate how fossils are formed and what evidence we can find inside them. We are even going to have a go at creating our own fossils!

Year Three—Autumn Term 1



Rocks, Reading and reliving The Stone Age

Computing

We will start the term by looking at digital devices have inputs, processes, and outputs. We will then try to create our own stop frame animations using the iPads.

PSHE

In PSHE, we will begin the year by looking at our health and the negative impact certain things can have on it, in particularly smoking. We will then move on to discussing bullying, focusing on 'see it, say it, stop it.'

Mathematics

In Maths, we will be revisiting place value and learning about this further, understanding the ways in which numbers can be represented and how we can use our knowledge of this to help us in other areas of learning.

With Mrs Walsh on a Thursday and Friday, we will be focus our maths on shape, space and measure. We will begin the year by learning about measuring length and calculating the perimeter of shapes. Throughout the year we will have strong focus on learning our times tables.

History

In history we will be comparing the Stone, Bronze and Iron Ages. We will be looking at the changes that occurred between these periods. We will also compare how different our lives are now compared to people who lived in these times. We will look closely at the weapons they developed and used, how they moved and travelled between areas and their beliefs.

Art/D.T

Mrs Dale will be teaching art and will initially focus on observational drawings. This will include looking at botanical artists including Beatrix Potter.