



Year 3 Curriculum Overview Autumn Term

English

In English this term, we will be:

- Writing an effective narrative based on the text *The Day the Crayons Quit*.
- Our next story is *How to Mummify a Body*, a non-fiction text.
- We will be writing our own set of instructions.
- We are focusing on:
 - headings and sub-headings
 - adverbs
 - commands

Maths

This term in Maths, we will be learning:

- Place value within 1,000, counting in 100's, 10's and 1's and using a number line to 1,000
- Addition and subtraction of 100's and adding and subtracting 3- digit numbers and a 2-digit number.
- Multiplication and division using equal groupings. Multiplying and dividing by 3-, 4- and 8-times tables
- Problem solving using multiplication and division.

Science

Our science unit this term is plants. We will be learning about:

- The parts of a plant
- What plants need to grow?
- How does water move around a plant?
- Why do plants need flowers?
- How do plants make new plants?
- What are the stages of a plant life cycle?

History

Our History unit this term is Ancient Egypt. We will be learning about:

- Howard Carter, the famous archaeologist.
- The civilisation that lived around the River Nile.
- The many Gods and stories about life and death.
- Mummification to preserve the body after death.

Geography

Our Geography unit this term is *Rivers*. We will be learning about:

- The River Indus
- The structure/features of a river.
- How rivers get their water - the water cycle.
- How a river shapes the land.
- Britain's longest river - The River Severn.

Wider Curriculum

Art: We will be sketching landscape work inspired by the famous artist L.S. Lowry.

RE: We will be learning about Hinduism, including traditions, celebrations and Hindu stories.

Computing: We will be learning about how to be safe online.

Music: We will be learning to play notes *B A G* on the recorder.

Curriculum Enrichment

- Trip to the British Museum to learn about the Ancient Egyptians

PE

In PE we are learning about fundamental sport skills such as:

- Balance.
- A variety of safe and fun obstacle courses.
- Working as a team.

PSHE

This term in PSHE we will be learning about ourselves and building healthy relationships.

- Why is it important to follow rules?
- How do you look after the people that you care about?

Being Green Means

- Work hard, aim high
- Follow instructions
- Speak kindly
- Keep hands and feet to yourself
- Look after our school

Autumn Term Dates:

First Day of School - 6th Sep 2023
Last Day of School - 20th Dec 2023