

Year 3 Term 2

Tribal Tales



Most subjects this term will be linked to this topic, we aim to have a fun and exciting term where the children enjoy their learning and thrive.

Key Areas of Learning

As **Scientists** we will be looking at rocks, fossils and soil.

As **Geographers** we will be focusing on existing Stone Age monuments around the UK.

As **Artists** we will be studying cave art and looking at how Stone Age people created natural paints.

As **Historians** we will be looking at Prehistoric Britain from the Stone Age to the Iron Age.

English

Reading - Our class story is The Stone Age Boy. It is a great book that takes a young boy back to The Stone Age, where he learns all about the lives and daily routines of prehistoric people.

Writing - This term we will be looking at research and note taking, adventure narrative and letter writing.

Spelling and Grammar - SPaG will be a focus within our English lessons as well as a stand alone lesson each week. Each Friday, the new spelling rule will be taught before spellings are given out so the children will have a good understanding of the spelling rule.

A weekly test will take place on a Friday, so it would be really helpful if the children could learn them at home.

Mathematics

Number

We will work on multiplication, division and word problems.

Shape and space

The children be focusing on length, capacity and perimeter.

Computing

This term the children will be focusing on word processing.

We will look at:

- Computer skills
- Bullet points and numbering
- Inserting and formatting text boxes

Music

This term 3D will have the opportunity to learn how to play a musical instrument. The very talented Mrs Lloyd will be teaching weekly violin/cello lessons .

In 3S, we will be finding out about prehistoric instruments and create raps about the Stone Age life.

British Values

The Tribal Tales topic will cover:

- Rule Of Law
- Individual liberty

Physical Education

3D's P.E days will be Wednesdays and Thursdays.

Mr Cobb will be taking the children for both their indoor and outdoor PE.

3S' P.E days are taught by Miss Slade on Wednesdays and Fridays.

Indoor PE - Gymnastics
Outdoor PE - Rugby

French

Children will be being taught French by Miss B. They will be learning:

- Colours
- Numbers
- Christmas

Très bien!

SMSC

Spiritual, moral, social and cultural awareness

We will be evaluating ourselves as learners; our strengths, targets and how to overcome difficult tasks.

We will explore how to become a "purple learner".

Religious Education

This term we will be focusing on the Nativity Story.

We will look at:

- Mary and Joseph
- The journey
- Baby Jesus being born
- King Herod

PSHE

We will be thinking about the lives of others. We will learn about our emotions, differences and what it is like to be in someone else's shoes.

Enrichment Wow Day

Ufton Court

(In Reading 07.12.18)

The children will need: outdoor shoes (wellies), old trousers, a change of shoes, school jumper/cardigan, coat and a packed lunch. A letter with more details will follow closer to the event.

We are super excited! 😊