



Year 3/4 Autumn Term

English

This term we will be working on:

- Shape poetry – poems with a structure
- Collection of fables
- Persuasive letters
- The Loch Ness Monster – information texts, infographics and character description.

Maths

This half term we will explore place value up to 1,000 (Year 3) or 10,000 (Year 4). We will also be problem solving, reasoning and improving our fluency when working with the four operations (addition, subtraction, multiplication and division).

Science

In Science, we will be learning all about animals including humans, where we will be exploring 'Rocks and Soils' and 'Forces and Magnets'. We will be working scientifically exploring the properties of rocks, fossils, magnets and materials, making conclusions based on what we find out.

History

This term, we will be learning about technology in the Stone Age, Iron age and Bronze Age and how it impacts on modern history.

Geography

This term, we will be investigating why people live near volcanoes.

PSHE

We will explore:

- New beginnings
- Staying Safe
- Keeping healthy - medicine
- Anti – Bullying
- Online Safety

Home Learning

- Spelling words to be tested each Friday. Spellings will be sent out each Friday
- Reading (5 x per week)
- TT Rockstars – Times tables (as often as possible)

Art/DT

We will be exploring the topic of Sculpture and 3D. We will learn how to make 2D shapes into 3D structures and create joins between shapes. To create a final composition.

In D.T. we will be eating seasonally. We will learn how to prepare foods and eat foods grown within each season.

Computing

This half term, we will learn about programming using scratch and about computer networks, exploring search engines.

PE

This term, our units include

- Dance
- Gymnastics
- Invasion games
- Net and wall games
- swimming

MFL

In French, we will begin learning greetings, days of the week and school life.

Music

This half term, we will be learning about writing music down and playing in a band. The children will also have African drumming lessons with Francis.

RE

Hinduism (Dharma) – Why is family an important part of Hindu life?

Sikhism – Why are the Gurus important to Sikhs?