

Here and Now

Year 3



Autumn
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2021

Maths

As Mathematicians we will be:

- Developing our knowledge and understanding of Place Value to 1000
- Practising counting forwards and backwards to 1000 in steps of 50 and 100
- Counting to 100 in steps of 2, 4 and 8
- Developing our addition and subtraction skills, using a mastery approach
- Increasing our understanding of column methods

English

In English we will be:

- Developing and using a wider vocabulary
- Using personification in a seasonal poem
- Writing an explanation of the structure of the ground we walk on
- Editing work to make sure sentences are punctuated correctly
- Undertaking regular spelling investigations
- Practising joined and legible handwriting

Sport and PE

Indoor PE will be taught on a **TUESDAY** by Mrs Summers

- Learning to control our body movements
- Developing our Gymnastic skills

Outdoor PE will be taught on a **WEDNESDAY** by PlaySport coaches.

- Focusing on Locomotion
- Exploring different ways of moving

Computing

In Computing we will be:

- Answering the question, 'How can we keep ourselves safe on the internet?'
- Improving our touch typing skills

Music

In Music with Mrs Cary we will be exploring:

- Pitch
- Body-percussion,
- Singing
- Playing glockenspiels

Whilst learning 'Let my Spirit Fly'

Art and DT

As Artists we will be observing Autumn changes:

- Observational drawing in pencil and pen
- Developing our colouring with pastels
- Mixing paint colours to represent fruits of Autumn.

Science- Rocks and Soils

As Scientists we will be:

- Studying the structure of the Earth
- Naming and sorting rocks
- Carrying out experiments and investigations on rocks and soils

RE Our Big Question this term is 'To what extent does participating in worship and/or prayer generate a sense of belonging?' We will be explaining the significance of religious leaders and sacred texts and identifying how core beliefs can guide lifestyle choices. This term our work will be based on **Christianity**.

Personal, Social and Health Education

In PSHE we will be:

- Agreeing rules for speaking and listening
- Reviewing how our school Behaviour Expectations should look in the classroom
- Setting our targets for the year in work and behaviour

Geography

In Geography we will be:

- Considering how and why places change
- Investigating ways in which our world is changing
- Investigating how our local area has changed around us

What you can do at home:

Please continue to read the school readers **daily** and as many of your own books as possible.

Please support your child with homework. This could include phonics, writing, spelling, maths and topic or project work.

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