

Y3 'Life-Long Learners' Curriculum Plan – Autumn 2024

English

- **Writing for a range of purposes across different genres:**
 - Recount writing in the form of a letter, write a fantasy narrative
- **Poetry reading and writing**
 - looking at rhythm and rhyme, description and alliteration
- **Reading a range of texts:**
 - Class read: The Firework Maker's Daughter by Philip Pullman
 - Inferring meanings from what we have read.
- **Grammar and punctuation:**
 - Expanded noun phrases, adverbs, speech marks, and prepositions of time, place and cause.

Mathematics

- **Place value:**
 - Recognising three-digit numbers and partitioning them into hundreds, tens and units.
- **Addition:**
 - Using the column method to add together three-digit numbers.
- **Subtraction:**
 - Using the column method to subtract three-digit numbers.
- **Times tables:**
 - 2, 3, 4, 5, 8, 10 and division related facts.

Science

- **Light:**
 - Reflection
 - Danger and benefits of the sun
 - Shadows and how they are formed
 - Recognise that light is needed to see and dark is the absence of light
- **Animals including humans:**
 - Identify that animals, including humans, need the right types and amount of nutrition
 - The skeleton
 - How our muscles help us to move

Computing

- **Computing systems and networks**
 - Connecting computers
 - Inputs, processes and outputs
- **Stop frame animation**
 - Sequencing images
 - Using editing techniques to create an animation.

PE

- **Primary Steps ballet sessions**
 - Movement to music
 - Jumping
 - Balance.
- **Fundamentals**
 - Basic skills balance, jumping, changing speed and direction.

RE

- **Considering beliefs and questions**
 - Thinking about the big questions
 - A particular focus on Christianity and stories from the Bible.
- **Worship in sacred places.**
 - How sacred places are used



Alder



Beech



History / Geography

- **Extreme Earth:**
 - To find out what is under the Earth's surface
 - How mountains are formed and how volcanoes, earthquakes, occur
- **Stone Age to Iron Age:**
 - Examine sources of evidence and make deductions
 - Learn about Skara Brae and Stonehenge

Art/DT

- **Drawing with charcoal:**
 - Exploring mark making with charcoal
 - Creating light and shade using charcoal
- **Making a kite**
 - Design and make a kite using a suitable structure and shape.

Events

- 12.9.24 – individual school photos
- 3.10.24 – GLOW Day
- 7.10.24 – Royal Ballet demonstration at Manor
- 7.10.24 and 8.10.24 – parents evening
- 21.10.24 – 5.11.24 – half term
- 4.11.24 – INSET Day

PSHE

- **Keeping healthy**
 - What can affect my health?
 - What is a balanced lifestyle?
 - What is health and safety?
 - How does smoking damage my health?
- **Rights and responsibilities**
 - Who can help me be safe?
 - What is restorative justice?

Music

- **R&B music**
 - Listening and appraising
 - To find the pulse when listening to music
- **Glockenspiel**
 - Explore and developing playing skills.

French

- **French greetings**
- **Adjectives of colour, size and shape**