

English

The children will use the text 'Escape from Pompeii' by Christina Balit as a basis for their own warning tales. We will focus on:

- Short sentences
- Rhetorical questions
- Empty words
- Build on prior learning of how to build a perfect sentence - capital letters, end punctuation and finger spaces.

The children will then look at diary entries, focusing on character emotions and past tense.

Year 3 Spring 2 - Earthly Eruptions

This term our imaginative learning project is called 'The Bronze and Iron Ages'. We will continue to delve into the past and to learn about life in the Stone Age with a particular focus on the everyday lives of different individuals.

Maths

The children will be using White Rose Maths to:

- Continue with multiplication: looking at 2s, 5s, 10s, 3s, 4s and 8s.
- Fractions
- Capacity

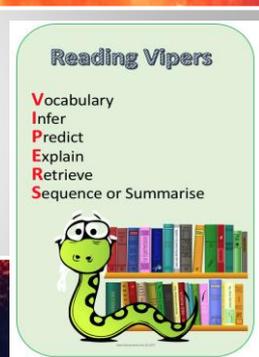
Science

The children will take part in several whole school Science investigations during Science Week whereby they will become detectives to solve a school wide mystery.

Reading

The children will use the text 'The Street Beneath my Feet' to develop:

-VIPER comprehension skills



PSHE

The children will continue to explore 'Safety and the Changing Body'.

Computing

We will be using the Kapow computing programme to learn about computing systems including:

- Emails
- the journey inside a computer and the internet.

We will also be creating media, looking at data handling and finding out about safety online.

We will continue to use the Scratch programming app to help children gain further understanding of key ICT terms such as algorithms, sequencing, repetition, input and output.

Geography

We will be lines of longitude and latitude, using these to locate specific areas on a map.

We will discover how and why natural disasters, such as volcanic eruptions and earthquakes, happen due to tectonic plate movement.

P.E

Once a week the children will take part in Real Dance, using the Real P.E. scheme of work. They will:

- develop and apply their sending and receiving and counter balance with a partner through focused skill development sessions, healthy competition, cooperative games and Personal Best challenges.
- For outside P.E. with Mr. Lampard the children will be developing skills in football.

R.E

This terms RE unit is entitled: What kind of World Does God Want?

The children will look at the Beatitudes and what these mean for Christians.

We will also look at the story of Easter.

Music

We will be using the Kapow music programme to develop pentatonic melodies and composition through:

- Matching movements to music, explaining why they these have been chosen.
- using accurate notation and playing a pentatonic melody.
- Playing their part in a composition confidently.
- Working as a group to perform a piece of music.

Spanish

The children will use Language Angels to be able to use the verb 'sé' to explain 'I can...'

You can help your child by:

- Ensuring your child is reading every day. Discuss the books they read to aid comprehension skills
- Use maps and atlases to locate countries and cities around the world.
- Use everyday opportunities to develop mental maths skills.
- Ensure your child completes homework on time.