

# Half Term Curriculum Overview

Year 3 Autumn 2 - 2022

## English

- We will be reading 'How to wash a woolly mammoth' and working towards writing instructions linked to the book.
- We will be looking at performance poetry: performing in groups and writing our own poems to perform.
- We will be studying information texts and writing our own.
- We will be performing and writing playscripts linked to Christmas.
- We will be continuing to develop our spelling, punctuation and grammar through lessons focussing on sentence structure.

## PE

We will be developing our throwing and catching skills.

## Music and French

- In Music, we will be finishing our work on Ballads. We will then start creating compositions in response to an animation.
- In French, we will be beginning our work on French greetings. We will then learn French adjectives of colour, size

## History/Geography

We will be studying a history topic based on The Ancient Egyptians. We will be finding out about what happened during each kingdom, looking at the different layers of society in Ancient Egypt, understanding what hieroglyphics are, canopic jars and mummification.

## Science

We will continue learning about rocks, soils and fossils. We will learn about Mary Anning and explain how fossils are formed, as well as making our own fossils. We will look at soil formation and create a soil profile. We will then move onto looking at some Key Scientists to find out why they are famous and what their important discoveries were.

## PSHE and RE

In PSHE, we will be learning about safe relationships, respecting ourselves and others.

In R.E. we will be continuing our learning on Judaism and then looking at why Christians celebrate Christmas.

## Maths

- **Addition and Subtraction**  
We will be continuing to build up to being able to add and subtract 3-digit numbers using standard written methods (column addition and subtraction.)
- **Multiplication and Division 1**  
We will be consolidating our knowledge and understanding of the 2, 5 and 10 times tables and our ability to multiply and divide by 2, 5 and 10. We will be learning the 3, 4 and 8 times tables and develop the ability to multiply and divide by 3, 4 and 8.

## Computing

We will be continuing our work on Networks and the Internet from last half term. We will then move onto programming and using the computer program 'Scratch'.

## Art/DT

We will continue to create art in the style of the stone age people. We will explore and experiment different methods creatively using a variety of natural resources.