

Summer Term 2024 Class 3 – What are we learning this term?

English

Class Text

Stonewall, by Rob Saunders and Jamey Christoph is a picture book based on the Stonewall riots of 1969.

- Writing genres Narrative, equality
- Punctuation and grammar word classes, sentence types and the use of the colon and semi-colon to separate clauses
 - Spelling focus ie, ei, etymology and homophones.

Maths

The maths content we will be covering this term will be:

- Multiplication and division (4/5)
 - · Statistics (all)
 - Fractions & decimals (all)
 - Percentages (5/6)
 - Algebra (6)

Science

In science, we will be completing the year-long theme of *Animals Including Humans*.

- Bones and the skeletal system
 - Birth to old age.

PSHE

Relationships & Changing Me

The children will think about people in their lives focusing on empathy and support.

'Changing Me' will see the children think about changes within themselves and the world around

them.

Meet the Team

Mr Bealey – Class Teacher and Head of School, in class 3 ½ days a week Mrs Winder – In Class 3 all day on Thursdays Mr Baker – Teaches PE on Tuesday mornings Mrs Nowell – Teaching Assistant in Class 3 all mornings and most afternoons.

RE

What would Jesus do?

This unit of work looks at the life of Jesus and focuses on how he acted in certain situations and why.

Art

Why do humans build statues of other humans?

This term, we will look at statues and the human form, ranging from the life-size Terracotta Army to the truly massive Statue of Unity, in India. We shall delve into the creators of many historical and contemporary pieces, and design and create our own.

Homework

Homework is handed out on Fridays and expected back in school on the following Thursday. It will consist of spelling, reading & comprehension, maths and research study (but not all on the same week!)

Computing

Internet Safety, Programming & Presenting Data

This term the children will use Purple Mash and Excel to create spreadsheets and generate graphs.

The class will also use BBC microbits (a small, programmable computer) to carry out a multitude of exciting tasks.

Physical Education

Striking and Fielding

PE, with Mr Baker, will be held on a Tuesday morning where he will be teaching striking and fielding games, such as kwik cricket and rounders.

French

School, habitats and clothes

Y4 – Children will learn about the classroom and different habitats.

Y5/6 – The themes for these year groups will be *At School* and *Clothes*.

Music

Balinese Music

Mrs Winder will be delivering a unit of work based on Balinese beats and rhythms. Get ready for some stomping and clapping!