

Hedgehog- Year 3 and Year 4.

Curriculum Map Autumn Term 2025

	Autumn Term	At Home you could...
English	Our main class text is Stone Age Boy by Satoshi Kitamura. In this text a modern young boy trips, falls and finds himself in the Stone Age! We will be focussed on writing a narrative of Stone Age boy, using dialogue, setting and character description. We are also looking at the texts: How to wash a woolly mammoth by Michelle Robinson and Skara Brae by Dawn Finch.	Support your child with their weekly spellings and discuss spelling strategies. Read with your child every day for just 15/20 minutes. Visit your local library- get books on Stone Age to Iron Age. Read "The street beneath my feet" by Charlotte Guillian.
Maths	Counting in multiples. Recall and use multiplication facts and division facts. Solve problems involving multiplying and adding, including using the distributive law	Support your child to embed their timetables knowledge though songs, games and use of Times Table Rock Stars and other online support content such as Topmarks.
Science	<p>Rocks</p> <p>We will be learning about different rocks and soils. Children will be taught to compare and group together different kinds of rocks based on their appearance and simple physical properties.</p> <p>States of Matter.</p> <p>We will be learning how to compare and group materials together, according to whether they are solids, liquids or gases.</p>	<p>Rocks.</p> <p>Look at different rocks found in your garden and local area. Can you identify them? What is your house made of? Are there any rocks used?</p> <p>States of Matter</p> <p>Investigate different states of matter with your child. Look around your house and make a list of different solids, liquids and gases you can find.</p>
R. E	<p>Key Questions:</p> <p>What is it like for someone to follow God (People of God).</p> <p>What is the Trinity and why is it important for Christians.</p>	<p>Read the Bible Story of Noah's Ark.</p> <p>Explore the Old Testament together with your child.</p>
Computing	<p>Networks and the internet.</p> <p>Scratch - Programme.</p>	Key Questions to discuss: What is a network? What is a router?
History	<p>Our topic this term is the Stone Age to Iron Age.</p> <p>Key Questions; When was the Stone Age/Iron Age? Why is it called the Stone Age/ Iron Age? How do we know about the Stone Age today? What was it like to live in the Stone Age/Iron Age? What is Skara Brae?</p> <p>What was Stonehenge?</p>	<p>Visit Shropshire Hills Discovery Centre- where you can meet a Mammoth (a full-size replica of a skeleton found near Condover).</p> <p>Visit Park Hall Farm Oswestry to look at the Iron Age Roundhouse. The roundhouse offers a unique insight into how the people of the Iron Age lived.</p>

Geography	<p>Our Topic this term is Stone Age to Iron Age.</p> <p>Locate Stonehenge and Skara Brae.</p> <p>Stonehenge -Stonehenge is situated on the Salisbury plain in the county of Wiltshire in England. -Stonehenge is a human feature</p> <p>Skara Brae -Orkney is a group of islands, off the north coast of Scotland, in the North Sea -Orkney is made up of 70 islands -Skara Brae is a very old Stone Age village on the largest island of Orkney -It is possible to see what life was like in the village due to the excavation and restoration</p>	<p>Make a model of an Iron Age hillfort or round house.</p> <p>Sketch maps may be shown as a bird's eye view or as a drawing of the horizon - Stonehenge, Belas Knap, Uffington, Great Rollright white horse are all good examples of stone age sites from which to draw own sketch maps</p>
Art and Design	<p>Cave Art and Stone Age Pottery.</p> <p>To introduce children to the very first pieces of artwork and understand how they were created. Using primitive tools, children will produce their own piece of cave art. Following this, we will move onto using 3D media to create pottery similar to those created during the Stone Age and into the Bronze Age.</p> <p>Mechanisms.</p> <p>Children will be focused on using mechanical systems e.g., linkage and levers.</p>	<p>Create your own Stone Age cave art - mix up natural paints.</p> <p>Make a Stone Age necklace.</p> <p>Represent Stonehenge using pastels.</p> <p>Create a pop-up poster on Stonehenge.</p> <p>Try painting a scene on a stone and then varnishing it.</p>
Music	To learn how to read and play music on the pBuzz.	Listen to music together from the brass family. Learn more about each brass instrument such as: the trumpet, French horn, trombone and tuba.
P. E	Hedgehog Class will be doing gymnastics, dance, tag rugby and basketball.	Make sure you have your PE kit on Monday and Tuesdays.
Personal, Social and Health Education.	<p>Being me in my world.</p> <p>Celebrating difference.</p>	<p>I can set personal goals.</p> <p>I can recognise how it feels to be happy, sad and scared.</p> <p>I can give and receive compliments.</p>