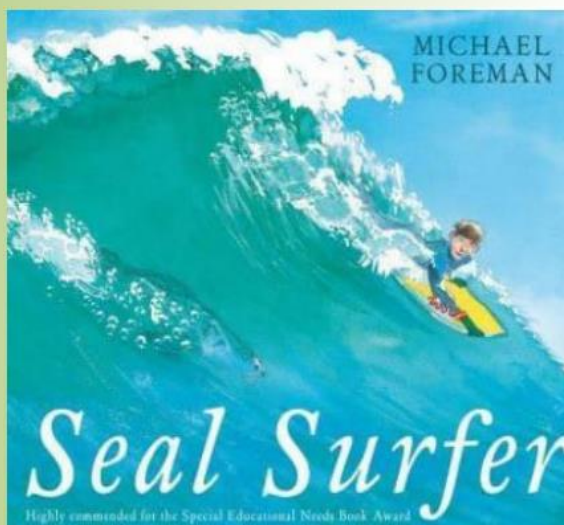


Autumn 1 - Year 3

Communication, Language & Literacy

Literacy

We will be using Michael Foreman's Seal Surfer as a stimulus for writing this half term. We will be writing recounts in letter writing style



French

In French Our very first Language topic is called 'A New Start.' We will be learning to ask and answer our names; ask and answer simple questions about feelings; count from 0-11; name six colours.

Problem Solving & Reasoning

Maths

We will begin by revisiting addition and subtraction strategies crossing the 10s and securing our place value knowledge. We will revisit our 10s. We will begin to look at measuring and recording our data into simple tables.

Creative Development

PE

This half term our outdoor PE topic is invasion games and indoor will be gymnastics

Music

Our topic to begin with is called Hear it, play it! Exploring rhythmic patterns. We will be feeling and coping pulses and patterns, responding to them, performing some before creating our own rhythmic patterns.

Personal, Social & Emotional Development

PSHE

This half term we will be learning about families and relationships with people. We will be discussing similarities and differences in these. We will look at conflict resolution and bullying including how to deal with these situations.

RE

This half term, we will be learning about Christianity. We will be focusing on the question, 'What does it mean to be a disciple of Jesus?'

Knowledge & Understanding of the World

Science

Our new science topic is Light and Dark - we will be learning about the behavior of light and the formation of shadows.

History

History This term, we will be studying the changes in Britain from the Stone Age to the Iron Age. We will learn how early man began as hunter gatherers and then developed to form settlements.

Geography

This term, our topic is called Why do people live near to Volcanoes? We will be looking into the earth's structure, how volcanoes and mountains are formed along with why people live near to them.

Computing

This half term we will be learning how to create documents using different apps and our Programming focus will be 'animations'

DT

In DT we will be making pneumatic toys. The children will be creating their own toy with a pneumatic mechanism

Art

We will be completing a unit called Growing Artists, with a botanical theme. We will learn the use of shapes, shading, and texture in art to enhance our drawing skills in order to give a sense of light and dark in our work. We will be experimenting with different tools to create expressive and abstract art.

Artist focus: Georgia O'Keeffe.