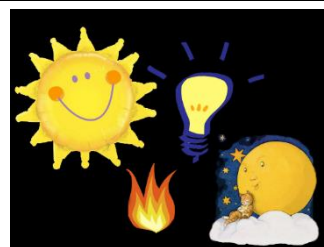


CLASS 3 MRS GAVRILUK

Light

Why do I have a shadow?

Autumn 2 2023



Class 3 have made a fantastic start to the year and have all settled in well! This term is again full of fun packed learning with our new topic – Light!

Our key question is ‘Why do I have a shadow?’ The main focus being Science and we will investigate what it is like to see in the dark; what happens to writing in a mirror; how shadows are made and how to carry out a fair test. The other focus being Design Technology where the children will be making a shadow puppet theatre and electrical structures, investigating torches.

In English, we will be looking at Fables and the children will write their own fable. Later in the term, we will then move to Non-fiction November. We will look at explanation text and instructions.

This term our maths main focus is mental and written multiplication and division. Children must know their times tables to support their learning. We will also look at measurement.

This term, in Music we will continue to learn all about Rock and Roll music and learn how to hand jive. Our PHSE topic is still Health and Wellbeing. In RE, we are looking at The Church, with the key question being: “Who should we follow?”

In ICT we are looking at programming using Scratch and document editing and creation. Our topic for Spanish is numbers and ages.

This term we will continue to develop our tag rugby and invasion skills in rugby with Mr Morris outside on a Thursday. On Monday afternoons we will be doing gymnastics with Mrs Gavriluk. It is therefore essential that children have both an outdoor and indoor P.E. kit in school each week. All hair needs to be tied up and no jewellery, especially earrings, should not be worn.

Every day we will be working hard to improve our reading, handwriting, spelling and grammar skills. Home learning will continue to be sent home on Thursday, then ready to return every Tuesday. It is essential that every child practices their times tables this term as each week we will have a set focus.

You can find out more detail about what your child will be learning this half- term and this academic year on the Curriculum page of the school website:
www.archbishophuttons.lancs.sch.uk.

If you have any questions or queries, please do not hesitate to come and see me.

Mrs Gavriluk.

