

Christ the King Catholic Primary School Curriculum Overview



Autumn Term 2023 Year 3

Religious Education

- Families
- Our Baptisms / Signs and Symbols
- Parish Family and community
- Titles for Mary
- The Annunciation and The Visitation
- Making links with these stories and Christian beliefs
- Christmas Preparations / Symbols

RHE and PSHE

- Relationships and Families
- Emotions / When things feel bad
- Life to the full Sharing and Chatting Online
- Safe in My Body / Drugs, Alcohol and Tobacco
- First Aid Heroes
- Rights and Responsibilities

Computing

- Online Safety: recognising acceptable and unacceptable behaviour online; knowing the variety of ways to report
- Researching from internet, uploading and using photographs, producing information texts using Seesaw and Powerpoint

Art/DT Projects

- Art Sketching, Tone and Texture city art; artist focus Steph Dekker from Liverpool
- DT Building Bridges

Literature

TEXTS

- The Day the Crayons Quit
- City Poetry by Kirstie Pelling
- The Iron Man

Maths

- Place Value: representing, partitioning, comparing and ordering and placing numbers on a numberline (to 1000)
- Addition and Subtraction: mental methods, formal column methods for adding and subtracting 3-digit numbers, estimation and problem solving
- Money: £ and p, adding and subtracting, finding change
- Recalling complements of 100
- Multiplication and Division: 2s, 5s, 10s, 3s

MFL - French

- Greetings
- Conversation and Manners

PE

- Invasion games: Football and Tag Rugby
- OAA
- Dance

Music

Glockenspiel stage 1

Associated Grammar

- Use of Conjunctions to join ideas
- a / an
- Paragraphs, headings and subheadings
- Proof reading for spelling and punctuation errors
- Dictation with high frequency words
- Punctuating sentences

Spelling

Y3 Essential Spellings Scheme

Science

- Animals and Humans: health, nutrition, muscular and and skeletal systems
- Forces and how they work
- Sorting magnetic and non-magnetic materials
- Investigating magnet strength
- Magnetic Poles
- Use of magnets in everyday life

Local/Community Links (if relevant)

- Baptism at Church
- Harvest
- Visit from Father Louis and Deacon Tony and members of the Parish to talk about their roles
- Walk to the local postbox

History/Geography Focus

- Spatial Awareness looking at maps of places and bird's eye view.
- Why do so many people live in Megacities?
- Locating Megacities
- Why is Milton Keynes the UK's fastest growing city?
- Advantages and disadvantages of living in cities
- How and why are environments changing?
- Why do places change?
- How has my local area changed?
- What does being sustainable mean? How can we help make our school more sustainable?
- Why are we seeing more wind and solar farms in the countryside?

Associated Writing Pieces

- Story Writing and Description
- Non Chronological Reports on a city
- City Poetry