

English

Narrative: This term we will be working on the unit 'Star in the Jar' the story is a delightful story of friendship and cooperation. The children will write their version of the story together a plot point at a time. They will then independently write about how the story continues.

The next unit is another narrative unit based upon the Julia Donaldson's version of 'The Magic Paintbrush'. This story takes the children to another continent and experience village life in ancient China. The children will independently write a magic story of their own.

Guided Reading: We shall be working on reading and understanding fables and traditional tales.

Maths

Place Value: Children will be looking at numbers in the hundreds. Children will be representing numbers using base ten resources and place value counters and understand the value of each digit.

Addition and Subtraction: Children will learn how to add and subtract in the hundreds, working towards column addition and subtraction of hundreds, tens and ones (HTO).

Alongside the units children will build on their number fact recall, including the 2x, 5x and 10x tables and make sure they are confident in bonds to 10, doubles, and how numbers 6-9 are 5 and bit.

History

Local Area: This term children will use primary sources such as maps, plans, original video footage clips and photographs to learn about our local area's history and about the lives of families and children in Stubbins and surrounding areas over the past 100 years. We will look at housing, jobs, transport and holidays. We will use historical vocabulary when discussing the past and place events and changes onto a timeline.

Computing

Computing: Computer Systems and Networks Pupils will develop their understanding of digital devices, with an initial focus on inputs, processes, and outputs. They will also compare digital and non-digital devices.

PSHCE

Me and My Relationships: We will learn about friendships and the various qualities that make good friends. We will look at the various ways we can react in different situations.

RE

Christianity: This term the children will be learning about what makes someone a good leader and why people follow others and their teachings. We will be learning about the prophets and how and why some people choose to serve God in their lives.

Year 3

Autumn 1

Other notices:

Homework: homework is handed out on Friday and is to be given in the following Thursday. The piece of work is linked to learning in class and should last 20-30 minutes each week.

Spellings: test every Friday

Science

Animals Including Humans: Children will learn about good nutrition, the human skeleton and how muscles work in pairs to move the body. The children will carry out a fair test.

DT

Cooking and nutrition: eating seasonally: this unit works on the children's understanding that food grows at different times of the year, grown in different countries with varying climates. We will be looking at seasonal foods and the children will design, plan and make their own seasonal tart recipe.

PE - FRIDAY

In P.E we will be doing Dodgeball. The children will work on throwing and catching skills, focussing on accuracy. They will also look at strategy and team work skills.

Music

In this unit of work the children will be developing notational skills.