

Yr3 Autumn Newsletter

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English

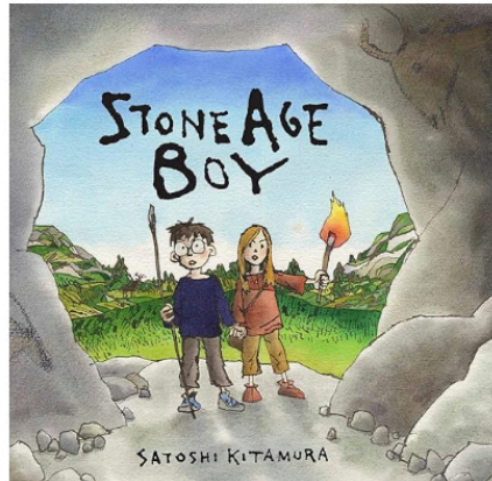
This term we will be writing stories and writing fact files connected to our topic The Stone Age. Our work will be based on 'The Stone Age Boy' with focus on narrative writing.

Maths

This first term we will focus on number and developing a secure understanding of place value and numbers to 1000. We will learn to add and subtract 3 digit numbers.

Science

Our Science focus this term will be Rocks and Soils.



Topic

Our history topic this half term is The Stone Age to Iron Age. The focus questions include 'When do you think it was better to live - Stone Age, Bronze Age or Iron Age?'



PSHE: Zones of Regulation. We will be using zones to help us understand and think about our feelings, what we can do to regulate ourselves so we can be calm, do our best learning and communicate our feelings.

R.E: We will be exploring peace and the natural world.

ICT: The focus is on developing our understanding of online safety and presence. We will look at how to protect personal information and identity while online through the use of strong passwords and what is suitable online behaviour.

P.E

The days we have P.E. can sometimes vary so please ensure your child has their P.E. kit on a Monday and takes it home on a Friday. We aim to

Reading

Please read at home every day. Your child should bring their reading record and book into school every day. We will change books once a

Homework

Homework will be handed out on **Tuesdays** and due back on **Mondays**



Mon 25th September

Swimming starts

Group 1 - Tsang:
1-2pm

Group 2- Mian 2-3pm



Inset-20th October

Half-term Monday

23rd October-
Friday 27th
October

Enjoy
half
term

Curriculum Plan

Year group: Year Three

Teachers: Mrs Nweze/Ms Thomas -Francis/Ms Jones

Term: Autumn 2023

English:

We will be using the text Stone Age Boy to help child understand the key features of narratives and help children write interesting narratives.

- Children will learn to:
- Write in the first person
 - Spell and use the past tense for regular
 - Describe settings using adjectives
 - Use time conjunctions to order events

Mathematics:

Our Maths focus for this half term is Place Value:

We will be covering the following areas of Maths:

- Represent, partition, position, compare and order numbers up to 1000.
- Add and subtract 1s, 10s and 100s.
- Add and subtract 2 and 3 digit numbers.

RE:

In RE, we will focus on Peace. Children will explore what peace means for them. We will also deliberate, discuss and develop the key skills of interpretation, evaluation and analysis as well as explore what it means to live in peace in today's diverged world.

Science:

Our Science topic is Rocks and Soils.

By the end of the unit, students will be able to:

- Compare and group different types of rocks
- Describe in simple terms how fossils are formed
- Recognise that soils are made from rocks and organic matter

Arts/Creativity:

We will discover how to make drawings that capture a sense of drama or performance using charcoal. Children will be freed from the constraints of creating representational drawings based on observation - instead they will use the qualities of the medium to work in dynamic ways

PHSE:

Over the course of this half term we will be focusing on 'Celebrating Differences'

Children will learn:

- To value similarities and differences between themselves and others
- What is meant by community
- Learn about belonging to groups.



Music:

Year Three will have singing assembly once a week with Ms Nzekwu and Ukelele with Mr Bengtsson

PE/Games

Throughout this term children will be focusing on football. Skills taught will include ball control, passing and shooting.

Theme/Curriculum Focus: The Stone Age to Iron Age

History:

Our History topic this half term is The Stone Age to Iron Age.

Children will develop an understanding of:

- Archaeological evidence and how it is used to interpret the past
- Understand how the Stone Age and Iron Age people lived and how it differs from today.

Computing

The focus of this half term will be staying safe online. Students will explore what it means to have a safe and responsible online presence. To achieve this we will be using 'Natterhub' which is an online platform designed to teach children about online presence and safety. You can find out more about Natterhub on the school website.