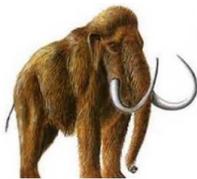


Autumn

Year 3 Curriculum Newsletter

Creative Curriculum

Our topic this term is called, 'Yabba Dabba Doo'. We will begin to study changes in Britain from the Stone Age through to the Iron Age. During this term, we will use a range of historical sources to infer what life was like in the past. Throughout this topic we will compare and contrast the Palaeolithic, Mesolithic and Neolithic time periods. As historians we will analyse and evaluate the reliability of the sources studied. We will also ask and answer various historical questions. The children's understanding of chronology will be developed throughout this unit of work. In our geography lessons, we will develop our skills of interpreting maps. We will locate places on a map as well as compare different places at various periods. In our art lessons, we will be studying the cave paintings at Lascaux. We will create our own cave paintings in the same style using a variety of media. In our design technology lessons, we will make stewed fruit, a moving vehicle as well as a 3D model of a Stone Age settlement.



English

During this term, we will be focussing on 'The BFG and Stone Age Boy'. To begin with we will create character descriptions through which we will develop our use of adjectives, similes and metaphors. Through the 'Stone Age Boy' story, we will focus on writing our own Stone Age narratives, as well as writing diary entries. We will take inspiration sessions in the Forest School to write sets of instructions. Finally, we will develop our ability to write play scripts through our stimulus 'The Flintstones'. We will also continue to consolidate our Spelling, Punctuation and Grammar skills to make progress in writing.



Science

As Scientists, we will study how humans and animals stay healthy through their varied diets. We will investigate the different food groups and how they impact the body. During this topic, we will also discover how skeletons and muscles are essential for movement.



Mathematics

In Maths, we will continue to develop our place value knowledge such as ordering, comparing and partitioning three digit numbers. We will then move on to using efficient methods for addition, subtraction, multiplication and division. Throughout this unit of work problem solving will be incorporated into lessons. During this term, we will be focusing on the 3 times tables. Please help your child to learn these.

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Enrichment

- Black History Day
- Remembrance Day

Important Dates & Information

- PE (Wednesday). Please ensure PE kits are brought in prior to the lesson.
- Visit to Hull and East Riding Museum (Thursday 18th October).