



Curriculum Newsletter

Year 3 Term 4 2023/2024

Welcome to Term 4! We have had an amazing year so far in terms 1, 2 and 3. It has been great getting to know all of your children. We are halfway through the school year!

A new term is already upon us, and we are very proud of our progress through school year so far. We are very excited to continue our learning journey into Year 3. We are very proud of our learning. So, please make sure you continue log onto Class Dojo each week to check for updates and to see all your amazing work!

Authors

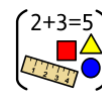


As authors, we will be reading *Into the Forest* by Anthony Browne. We will be using our Phase 2, 3, 4 and 5 phonics to independently segment and blend words to independently read sentences in the book. We will be using a range of exciting adjectives and conjunctions. During our immersive section of the term, we will be writing about the life cycle of plants in line with our Scientists learning.

We are going to use our great oracy skills to discuss, retell and act out our story. Ask us all about our book at home – I am sure we will be very excited to discuss it with you!

Scientists

Mathematicians



As mathematicians, we will be deepening our knowledge and understanding of numbers within 1000. We will be learning about addition, subtraction, multiplication and division. We are always keen to use our strategies... I wonder if we can teach you at home!

We will be exploring multiplication by starting our times table learning, with daily times table booklet work. We will have weekly maths homework based on our times table knowledge.

Athletes

This term in Scientists we will be exploring the life cycle of plants. This will follow on from last term's learning about the water cycle. We will have opportunities to experiment with the life cycle of plants and will investigate what it takes for plants to survive.

We will carry out lots of practical experiments and follow these up with writing non-chronological reports on plants and their life cycles.



As athletes, we will be practising and refining our basic movement skills. These will be developed and enhanced through our Real PE curriculum. This term, we will be focussing on our cognitive cog.

This term we will be learning how to ride a bike. We are lucky enough to be supported through this with help from the Robins foundation who have been working closely with the children all year.

Riding a bike is a key life skill and it is a privilege to work alongside your children in making this a reality.

Citizens



In jigsaw, we will be learning about being healthy and life as an EPA citizen.

We will be looking into what makes up a healthy life, from relationships, exercise, mental health, and physical wellbeing, from exercise to the food we put into our bodies.

Please feel free to contact me with any questions regarding our learning.

Yours Sincerely,
Mr Woosey