Year 3 Spring Term

Maths

During this term we will learn about:

- Addition, subtraction
- Multiplication, division
- Fractions
- Measurement

We will continue to develop mental and oral skills, including times tables.

You can support your child by providing the opportunity for regular tables practice.

Science

Through scientific enquiry we will study the structure and function of human and animal skeletons. We will also investigate how muscles work.

During a study of rocks and soils we will compare the appearance and physical properties of rocks, and consider how soil is formed. This topic will also include investigating fossils.

English

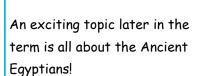
This term we will focus on the following:

The children will explore the features of legends and create their own characters and settings. They will then write their own legend.

Following the success of our class book, James and the Giant Peach, we have chosen a new text to share. This will be unveiled as we read...

Later in the term we will develop research and note taking skills from different sources, to support our History project.

History



We don't want to give too much away so wait to find out more!

Key Dates for the term

Year 3 'Let's Learn Together' meeting

Wednesday 6th February, 2:45pm

Y3 trip to Hartford Stream

Wednesday 27th February

3C Church assembly

Wednesday 13th March, 9:15am

3M Church assembly

Wednesday 20th March, 9:15am

Listen2me Ukulele Concert

Monday 1st April, 2.45pm followed by Y3 Open Afternoon.

Charity Day

Friday 5th April

Don't Forget

Children need their PE kits (suitable for inside and outside use) in school all term.

Spelling tests are every Monday.

Times tables test are every Friday.



Music

In our Music lessons we will be learning the

Ukulele through the Hampshire 'Listen to Me' scheme.

We look forward to sharing our new skills with you in our end of term concert.

Art



As part of our project on Legends we will be planning, designing and making 3D puppets using a range of different skills.

We will also be exploring printing techniques and working with clay during our work on the Ancient Egyptians.

Computing



This term we will be learning about emails, including how to send, reply and forward emails.

We will also be supporting our learning in other subject areas by developing our research skills, including using search engines.

Geography



Our study this term will be all about rivers.

We will also find out more about the water cycle and its effects upon us.

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PDL



Our aim is to set personal goals for the coming year and to consider the feelings of others and how to be a good friend.

Later in the term we will explore how to keep safe in school.

RE

Our topic this term is about creation/fall considering what Christians learn from the Creation story.

We will also be thinking about Salvation, with a focus on Good Friday.

French



This term we will be extending our understanding of colours. We will also continue to use greetings, ask and answer questions and learn how to introduce ourselves to others.

We will begin to explore French speaking countries and learn new rhymes and games.

PE



We are continuing to use the "Real PE" material, this term

developing our Cognitive and Creative skills through a range of games and activities.

In outside games, we are developing our hockey skills.