

As writers...

This term our English Units will mostly concentrate around BAKED BEANS! We will use the text 'Jack and the Baked Beanstalk' to explore character and setting descriptions. We will then use the short film 'One for All' to write diary entries, look at instruction writing and complete some persuasive writing. We will focus on punctuating sentences correctly and making sure they make sense.

As historians...

Year 3 and 4 will be focussing on Ancient Egypt exploring the key question "What made Ancient Egypt such a significant civilisation?" They will explore life in Ancient Egypt, the River Nile, hieroglyphics, mummification, referring back to the key question each time and sharing ideas as a class.

As scientists...

Year 3 will focus their work around Rocks and Soils. They will explore the different types of rocks and explore their different properties through a range of experiments. Year 4 will explore States of Matter. They will identify how some materials change through melting, freezing, evaporating or condensing.

As ICT experts...

Throughout the year, both year groups will be exploring Online Safety. This term, the Year 3s will also look at emails, route planning and branching databases. In Year 4, they will explore hardware and software, use a piece of software called logo and also explore animation techniques.

As mathematicians...

Both Year 3 and 4 will be exploring place value. Year 3 will be working with numbers to 1000 and Year 4 number to 10,000. We will explore numbers in detail representing, partitioning, estimating, comparing and ordering numbers. Both Year groups will then move onto working on their addition and subtraction skills.

Place Value		
Hundreds	Tens	Ones
9	2	8

As PE experts...

We will be learning the skills of Hockey and Tag-Rugby. We will then move onto to learn the skills of badminton and also develop our fitness skills



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As musicians...

This term, we will explore the song Mamma Mia and then work on using the glockenspiel as part of the Charanga Music Scheme.

As Linguists...

Year 3 will begin their journey in French and Year 4 will continue this journey building up their knowledge of understanding a new language.

As geographers...

This term, Year 3 and 4 will complete a fieldwork unit, focusing on What it means to be a Geographer. This will involve exploring ecosystems in Brandesburton.

As artists...

Year 3 and 4 will be exploring collage in order to create a collage of the River Nile. They will use 3D elements such as coiling and quilling in order to create depth and effect.



As designers...

Our design and technology unit in Year 3 and 4, this term will link to food and nutrition. We will explore cultural cooking to link to our work on Ancient Egypt.



As readers...

In Year 3 and 4 our first guided reading text is called 'The boy who stole the Pharaoh's lunch'. This will link well to our History work. The children will build their retrieval skills before moving onto a second text called 'Owen and the Soldier'

PSHCE

This term our Jigsaw themes will be 'being me in my world' and 'celebrating differences'

Religion and Worldviews

In Year 3 and 4 we will be focusing on 'belonging' and looking at a range of festivals, ceremonies and rituals.