

As writers...

Year 3 and 4 will be using the short film 'There's a Rang Tan in my bedroom' to write character and setting descriptions. They will also be exploring both persuasive writing, report writing and also be looking at Myths linked to Ancient Greece.

They will be focusing on improving their sentence structures, exploring expanded noun phrases and adverbial phrases.

As historians...

Year 3 and 4 will be focussing on Ancient Greece exploring the key question 'Why were the Ancient Greeks so significant?' They will explore the difference between life in ancient Athens and Ancient Sparta. They will use Ancient Greek pottery to gather evidence and develop questioning skills.

As scientists...

During the first half term, both Year 3 and 4 will be exploring rocks and soils. We will find out about the different types of rocks and also about fossils and how soil is formed. After half term, the Year 3s will move onto look at Light and the Year 4s will focus their learning on States of Matter and Materials.

As ICT experts...

This term, both Year 3 and Year 4 will explore online safety, looking at the digital footprint they create and how to stay safe online. After this, the Year 3s will begin to learn the skills of touch typing and the Year 4s will learn how to search the internet effectively.

As mathematicians...

Year 3 - Will be focusing on counting, writing, ordering and partitioning numbers to 1,000.

They will then move onto adding and subtracting 3 digit numbers. Finally, they will move on to looking at multiplication and division recapping 2,5 and 10 times tables then moving onto the 3,4 and 8 times tables.

Year 4 – Will be focusing on counting, writing, ordering and partitioning numbers to 10,000.

They will then move onto adding and subtracting 4 digit numbers. They will explore area of shapes and finish the term exploring multiplication and division, focussing on learning all times tables to the 12 times tables and the related division facts.

As musicians...

Year 3 will be exploring the song 'Let your Spirit fly' and Year 4 will be looking at Mamma Mia.

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As PE experts...

We will be learning the skills of handball and football.

As linguists...

Year 3 will begin their journey in French using ilanguages and Year 4 will continue this journey for example looking at colours and body parts. .

As geographers...

This term, Year 3 and 4 will be focusing on human geography exploring types of settlement and land use. They will explore the sustainability of natural resources and if they are distributed fairly making links to fair trade.

As artists...

Year 3 and 4 will be exploring work from the Greek culture, considering the importance of Greek pottery and the significance of the 'stories' that they displayed. They will develop their own design and create a finished piece in clay. They will then experiment with acrylic paint on clay to communicate their 'story'.

As designers...

Our design and technology unit in Year 3 and 4, this term, focuses on food and nutrition. The children will be continuing with our focus on Greece and will be investigating and recreating Greek savoury foods following recipes.

As readers...

In Year 3 and 4 our key text will be 'Beasts of Olympus'. We will explore the text together and complete tasks to build up our inference and deduction skills. We will also explore a range of Non-Fiction texts working on vocabulary skills, summarising and explaining.

PSHCE

This term we will complete our first two Jigsaw pieces 'Being me in my world' and 'Celebrating Differences'.

RE

Year 3 will be focusing on Remembering, exploring why we remember. Year 4 will be looking at exploring the key question, Where in Religion? With a focus on communities.

