

R.E and Collective Worship:

Journeys:

They will be focusing on the journey throughout the liturgical year and will learn and develop an understanding of the Christian family's journey with Jesus through the Church's year.

Maths:

This term we will have a big focus on multiplication. This will include the rapid recall of multiplication and division facts as well as using column multiplication and bus stop division to multiply and divide 2 and 3 digit numbers by a 1 digit number.

Arithmetic – We will continue weekly arithmetic lessons where the children will develop their arithmetic skills and complete a weekly assessment. How to help at home: please encourage your child to complete all homework tasks and to practise their rapid recall of times table facts.

D.T / Art

* **Art** – Sculpture – we will look at the work of artists who focus on eyes including Rene Magritte and Picasso. We will use pastels and water colours to create paintings of dragon's eyes and will develop skills in the use of clay to make a dragon eye sculpture.

* **D.T** – Pneumatics and Hydro-pneumatics. We will learn how we can make things move using air and water.

Music: Salsa – Latin Dance and The Nutcracker - March

Science:

*Animals including Humans – we will develop our knowledge of keeping our bodies healthy through learning about nutrition and food groups. We will also be developing our knowledge of bones and muscles.

Year 3 Spring Term Overview Miss Murphy

History / Geography

• **History** – The Roman Invasion – The children will learn about how the Roman invasion progressed and the impact this had on Britain then and now.

Geography – Beyond the Magic Kingdom – In this unit, the enquiry is designed to enable pupils to

PSHE: Keeping safe and Rights and Respect

P.E: Gymnastics and Attack and Defend.

English:

Fiction – Focus on paragraphing writing and including similes and complex sentences.

The children will be reading a selection of texts and write character and setting descriptions. We will also be innovating stories.

Non-Fiction Information texts and Instructions. Children will be developing their understanding of how these are presented and the use of imperative verbs and time conjunctions to develop a sequence.

How to help at home: Read daily with your child for 15 minutes and record this in their home reading record and support your child with any online homework.

Reading:

• We will be focusing on fluency, vocabulary and comprehension skills.

MFL - French

- Animals
- Carnival and Playground Games

Class Novels:

- The Creakers
- Brainfreeze

Computing:

• **Computer Science:** We will be using google teaching resources – CS First – to develop children's coding and programming skills. Based around scratch, the children will be programming sprites using a variety of inputs and outputs.