Termly Curriculum Overview

Year 3 Summer - 2018  Survival of the fittest

English

Writing  Children will learn to:
• create non-narrative material, using simple organisational devices [for example, headings and sub-headings]

Reading  Children will learn to:
• retrieve and record information from non-fiction and respond appropriately to adults and their peers

SPaG  Children will learn to:
• write from memory simple sentences, dictated by the teacher, that include words and punctuation taught so far.
• indicate possession by using the possessive apostrophe with plural nouns
• use and punctuate direct speech

Curriculum Enrichment

Geography
• to use 8 points of the compass, symbols & keys
• to describe & understand climate, rivers, mountains, volcanoes, earthquakes.

Art & DT
• to create pictures of volcanoes using different media to achieve variations in line, texture, tone, colour, shape and pattern
• Consider work of various artists and designers
• Question and make thoughtful observations about starting points and select ideas to use in their work.

Science

Animals including humans
The children will learn to:
• describe the functions of the musculoskeletal system
• describe the effects of diet on how their bodies function

Plants
The children will learn to:
• name, locate and describe the functions of the main parts of plants, including those involved in reproduction and transporting water and nutrients.

Mathematics

Fractions
• to recognise and show, using diagrams, equivalent fractions with small denominators.
• Compare and order unit fractions
• Add and subtract fractions with the same denominator

Time
• tell and write the time from an analogue clock
• estimate and read time with increasing accuracy

Properties of shape
• draw 2-D shapes and make 3-D shapes
• identify right angles
• identify horizontal and vertical lines and pairs of perpendicular and parallel lines.

RE

When Jesus left, what was the impact of Pentecost?
How do Sikh people worship and celebrate?

PE

• Swimming

Home Learning

• Maths: to continue practising multiplication and division facts
• Spellings: to practise words from the Year 3/4 word list
• Reading: to read daily to an adult