

Computing – This term we will be creating media through desktop publishing and learning about branching databases.



Geography – We will be learning about the country of Japan and using it as a basis to learn about physical and human geography. We will also be learning about volcanoes and earthquakes.

French – For vocabulary this term, we will be focusing on animals. Children will learn the French names for a range of animals through songs, games, stories, and actions, helping them to remember new words in a fun way.



PSHE – This term we will look at safety and assessing risk as well as relationships with others and our families.

Religious Education – At the start of the spring term, we will be learning about Judaism. This will then be followed in the second term with the Gospel.



English – Children will dive back into the exciting world of *The Iron Man*, exploring the story through discussion, drama and imaginative activities. Over the term, they will become monster experts analysing what makes a creature unique before designing one of their own. Using their ideas, the children will plan and write step-by-step instructions explaining how to catch their monster, focusing on clear order, exciting details and engaging language.

Reading – Please continue to read at home every night. In our guided reading we are working on our comprehension skills. Please ask questions about the texts at home when reading!

Year 3 Autumn Term 2024 – The many plates of Japan



At home you could....

- Listen to your child read regularly.
- Practise ordering fractions with the same denominator, or different denominators but the same numerator
- Support with spelling with the spelling homework
- Use times table rock stars to improve rapid recall of facts and the times table homework book.
- Talk about any of the other areas of learning mentioned on this page.



Maths – This term we will be looking at 4 different topics.

Multiplication and division – extending our knowledge to multiply a larger two-digit number by a one-digit number.

Fractions – learning about unit and non-unit fractions, equivalent fractions as well as adding and subtracting fractions with the same denominator.

Measurement – we will be looking at millimetres, centimetres and metres and what length and perimeter are.

Capacity and mass – looking at weighing the mass of objects and measuring liquids.

Science – This term we will be looking at sustainability and food waste. This will be followed by a unit on light where we will learn about light sources and reflectors.



PE – This term in PE the children will be focusing on invasion games using basketball and rugby.

Art and DT – This term we will be evaluating the work of Picasso and making our own Picasso inspired artwork. We will also look at the use of 3D shapes in the real world and digital world and making our own 3D creation.