

# Year 3 Spring 1 Curriculum Leaflet

## ENGLISH

Our writing this term will be inspired by the exciting story *George and the Mini Dragon*. We will explore three key genres:

### Narrative Writing

- **Story Retell**

Children will retell the original story in their own words, focusing on descriptive language and key events.

### Dialogue Writing

- Pupils will write conversations between characters, such as George and his parents discussing how to keep Lava a secret

### Non-Chronological Report: How to Look After a Mini Dragon

- Children will create an informative guide on how to look after a mini dragon.

## RE

In RE, we will be focussing on Jesus. We will be looking at why we do not know how Jesus looked and how people portray him differently. We will also look at how Jesus viewed himself.

## GEOGRAPHY

In Geography, Year 3 will be looking at Our World and thinking about the question: Where on Earth are we? We will locate places on a globe or map, including the equator, continents and oceans and look at the lines of longitude and latitude. This will culminate with us making our own world maps.

## PSHE

In PSHE Year 3 will be thinking about our 'Relationships.' At the end of the unit children will then create an appreciation streamer.



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## ART

In Art, we are looking at buildings and shall be designing a building of our own at the end of the unit. We shall be looking at some famous buildings from around the world. We will work on our sketching and shading skills.

## MATHS

In Maths, Year 3 will be focusing on a range of key skills. Pupils will learn to calculate fractions of amounts and compare and order fractions. They will solve multiplication and division problems using the 3, 4, and 8 times tables, and practise multiplying two-digit numbers by one-digit numbers using the grid method.

Children will also interpret bar charts and pictograms, investigate the properties of lines, and develop accuracy in drawing and measuring lines in millimetres, centimetres, and metres. Please continue to encourage regular practice on **TT Rockstars** at home to help improve quick recall of times tables facts.

## COMPUTING

In Computing Year 3 will be working on unit 3: 'We Are Presenters.' We will work towards filming a presentation against a green screen.

## INFORMATION

- 05.01.26: Inset Day
- 06.01.26: Return to school
- 20.01.26: Maths Workshop
- 02.02.26: National Storytelling week
- 04/05.02.26: Year 3 Polyphones
- 09.02.26: Children's mental health week
- 10.02.26: Safer Internet Day
- 13.02.26: Break-up for half term