

Parents' Guide to the Curriculum

Year 3

Autumn 1:

Who is the bravest
Mae C Jemison

Notices For This Half Term

- Thursday 14th September: Meet the Teacher
- Friday 20th October: INSET DAY
- Monday 23rd – Friday 27th October: Half term.

How Parents Can Help

Encourage your child to complete all their home learning. This will be set online via Teams. (log in details will be sent to you)

Please help your child to learn their weekly spelling words

Listen to your child read and comment in their reading records.

Remember to wear the correct PE kit to school on PE days (Tuesdays & Wednesdays)



MATHEMATICS

- This term, children will work on their number skills, looking at place value using concrete materials..
- Children will also be learning about addition and subtraction.



COMPUTING

Online safety

- Children will discuss the importance of passwords and keeping passwords safe.
- Children will discuss how communities connect, together, safely using the Internet and look at blogging.
- They will also learn to touch type.



RE

- This term, children will be learning about Hinduism and develop their understanding of Hinduism by exploring the story of Rama and Sita.



ENGLISH

- Children will focus on the text Mae Among the Stars and the picture book 'Belonging'.
- They will write a story (narrative) from the point of view of Mae C. Jemison.
- They will write a biography based on the life and accomplishment of Mae C. Jemison
- They will be writing a setting description based on a particular neighbourhood and write an acrostic poem based on Belonging.



PHYSICAL DEVELOPMENT

- The children will be learning football and fitness



TOPIC

- In History, children will learn about the Ancient Egyptian civilisation.
- In Geography, children will learn about rivers, looking specifically at the River Indus.
- In Art, children will make a collage using inspiration of the artist Robert McColl -The Space Mural- A Cosmic View



SCIENCE

- This term, children will learn about animals including humans.
- They will look specifically at Movement
- Children will identify that humans and some other animals have skeletons and muscles, and how this helps them move.
- They will be working scientifically by conducting their own experiments



PSHE and RSE

- We will be visiting Planet Wellbeing and Planet Character-building as part of our iSpace wellbeing programme.
- We will be learning to explain why democracy is important.
- Children will learn how to focus and develop positive behaviours for learning.



SPANISH

- This term, the children will be introduced to Spanish.
- They will be learning about greetings and numbers.