







This term Year 3 are learning about.....

<p>Maths</p> 	<p>In maths, we are looking at times tables and related division facts as well as using these facts to solve problems involving larger numbers. By the end of year 3 the children should know by heart their 3, 4 and 8 times tables. We will also continue to work on 2, 5 and 10 times tables from year 2. Please can you encourage your child to spend at least 2 minutes a day on TT Rockstars to support this. After this we will move onto adding and subtracting amounts of money and giving change.</p>
<p>English</p> 	<p>We will be covering our grammar objectives in greater depth this term, with a focus on sentence structure and composition. We will be using a variety of texts linked to our topics in order to support this, including during class reading sessions. We will also be reading and writing a variety of different poems including shape poems and calligrams. Please continue to hear your children read at home at least twice a week, and practise the weekly spelling lists.</p>
<p>Topic</p> 	<p><u>Stone Age to Iron Age Britain</u> We will be learning how Britain and its people changed during this period, including food, tools, farming, housing and culture. We will be looking at evidence to see how these people lived and how we know what happened from what has been left behind. After Easter we will be visiting Creswell Crags museum to see real life artefacts and cave drawings.</p>
<p>Science</p> 	<p><u>Health and Movement</u>: this term we will be learning all about healthy eating and nutrition as well as bones and muscles. After half term we will be finding out about the different rocks and soils, how rocks and soils are formed, and testing their properties.</p>
<p>Computing</p> 	<p>We shall be programming using 'Scratch'. We will make a short animation and share it with the class. The program is available as a free download. Follow the link on the Learning Platform, then you can have a go at home!</p>
<p>Art and DT</p> 	<p>Our art this term is linked to our history topic. We will also be looking at works of the artist Paul Klee. After half-term we will be designing and making pizzas, linked to our healthy eating topic.</p>
<p>As well as all of the above, there will be Outdoor Games, Indoor Fitness, Gymnastics, French, Music, RE and much, much more! This term is also the term that the Lower Juniors do their Performance.....what a busy term!</p>	

As always we welcome your support with offers of help, information, resources and expertise!

Mrs Fox and Mrs Cochrane