



Kidbrooke Park Primary School

Year 3 Curriculum Overview

Autumn 2 Term

Reading

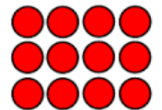


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Maths

For this half term, we shall be continuing with developing our skills of addition and subtraction. This will involve learning how to use the column method to bridge 10 and 100, such as $35 + 39$ and $198 + 234$. After this, we shall be starting Multiplication and Division, where will be looking at making pictorial representations of multiplication questions through using arrays.

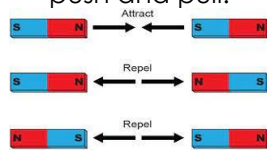


English

We are going to be reading a new book, Stone Age Boy by Satoshi Kitamura, which ties in nicely with our history unit. We will start with a poetry outcome, before writing a letter from the Stone Age. Following this, we shall be writing a non-chronological report about the Stone Age.

Science

Our Science learning will now move on to Forces and Magnets. Within this unit, the children will learn about how magnetic forces attract and repel as well as learning forces such as push and pull.



History

This half term, we are going to investigate the changes of life in Britain between the Stone Age and Bronze Age. They will also be learning about the causes and consequences of these changes during this period.



Times Tables

Please continue to practice Times Tables at home. We are pleased with their x2, x5 and x10 knowledge. This half term, please focus on learning the x3 and x4 table and using Times Table Rock Stars. Please ask your teacher if you have missed your login details.



Computing

Our Computing learning will continue with coding through Scratch. This is a free online tool that you can use at home too:

<https://scratch.mit.edu/>



French

Having learnt about how to introduce ourselves and ask how somebody is feeling, we will be learning how to say numbers and months in French to be able to say when our birthday is.



RE

This half term, we shall be studying Judaism where our learning will answer the question: What are the key aspects and meanings of the Jewish faith? This will include understanding what the Torah is and the importance of a synagogue.

DT



We shall be starting our first DT unit of the year, and we shall be looking into the designs and structures of bridges before designing and creating our own bridge in teams.

Spelling Shed

All children have been given a Spelling Shed log in to practise spellings. Like Times Table Rockstars, there are games, and you can find the spellings for each week there to practise.



PE

In PE this half term, we will be playing Hockey and Dodgeball.

PE Days:

3OL: Monday and Thursday

3MO: Monday and Tuesday

PE Kit: White shirt, black shorts and trainers.

Homework

Homework is set on Thursdays and is due in the following Tuesday.

Children will continue to have a weekly spelling and times table test.

Important Dates

14th Nov: Children in Need

21st Nov: 3MO Class Assembly

3rd Dec: School Trip to Lesnes Abbey

17th Dec: Christmas performances 1.45pm

19th Dec: Last day of term