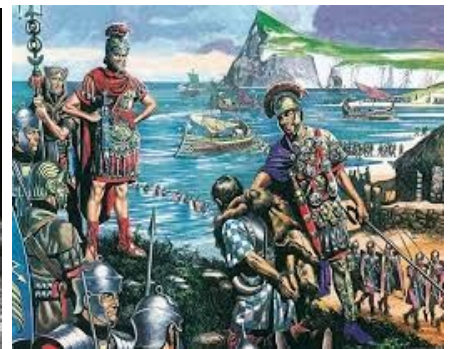
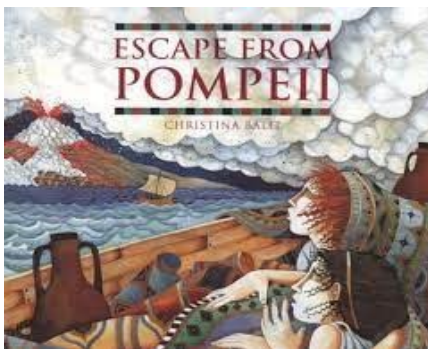




Year 3 Curriculum Booklet

Summer Term 3.2



DT

What will we be learning about this half term:

To prepare ingredients safely and hygienically.

To develop basic knowledge and understanding about healthy eating and the eat well plate.

To use equipment and utensils and prepare and combine ingredients to make a product.

Keywords:

Utensils

Ingredients

Texture

Moist

Spicy

Appearance

What you could do at home:

Practise using utensils safely.

Try making bread at home.

Discussing healthy eating.

Useful Websites:



Computing

What will we be learning about this half term:

To create a program to move a sprite in four directions.

To adapt a program to a new context.

To develop my program by adding features.

To identify and fix bugs in a program.

Keywords:

Duplicating

Modifying

Program

Directions

Sequences

Commands

What you could do at home:

Explore the unit at home using an iPad or computer.

Speak to the children about what they have learnt in their lesson and how they can apply it.

Useful Websites



Reading

What will we be learning about this half term:

Whole class text:

Romans on the Rampage

We will be further developing our ability to use the full range of skills: retrieval, prediction, inference and summarising in our new texts.

Keywords:

Question words

Key words

Scan

Retrieve

Inference

Infer

Background knowledge

Clues

What you could do at home:

Read with your child for at least ten minutes every day. This could be a magazine, an online article or a book.

Ask them what the characters are feeling or what might happen next.

Ask your child to summarise what has happened in the class text so far.

Useful Websites:



Writing

What will we be learning about this half term:

To write a retell of the book Escape from Pompeii

To write a non-chronological report linked to our history unit.

To write a diary entry.

Keywords:

Fronted adverbials

Commas

Clauses

Conjunctions

Technical language

Similes

What you could do at home:

Practise writing a story or a diary entry

Practise using commas in the correct places.

Read stories and non fiction texts about the Romans.

Useful Websites:



History

What will we be learning about this half term:

We will be learning about the Romans and what the Romans did for us. We will explore the consequences of the Roman Empire and the key facts about their invasion and the consequences of their settlement in Britain.

Keywords:

Consequence

Impact

Rebel

Rebellion

Invasion

Rule

Empire

What you could do at home:

Research the Roman Empire

Research why the Romans invaded Britain and what legacy they left behind.

Useful Websites:



Mathematics

What will we be learning about this half term:

Properties of shapes
Understanding the different angles
Mass and temperature
Identify horizontal and vertical lines
Identify parallel lines

Keywords:

shape, pattern
flat, curved, straight
round , hollow, solid
corner, point, pointed, cube cu-
boid, pyramid, sphere, tempera-
ture, Celsius, minus

What you could do at home:

Explore objects that have
different shapes at home.

Monitor temperature at home

Useful Websites:



Music

What will we be learning about this half term:

Exploring sound and rhythm

Pupils will make simple musical ideas based on a selection of planets and notate them using a graphic score.

Pupils will perform their compositions, musically representing the planets.

Keywords:

Tempo (speed)

dynamics (volume)

pitch (high and low)

pulse (regular beat)

rhythm (pattern of sounds of different lengths)

structure (the order of different sections)

melody (the tune)

What you could do at home?

Practise finding the pulse in music that you listen to (clap, stomp to the pulse)

Talk about the instruments.

Discuss what you like about different music.

Useful Websites:



Physical Education

What will we be learning about this half term:

Athletics and Tennis

Physical: forehand, backhand, throwing, catching, ready position

Social: collaboration, respect, supporting others

Emotional: honesty, perseverance

Thinking: decision making, understanding rules, using tactics

Keywords:

Forehand

Backhand

Collaboration

Tactics

Catching

Throwing

Racket

What you could do at home:

Ask your child to demonstrate some of the skills they have learnt in their P.E lessons.

Encourage them to watch videos to develop their skills

Useful Websites:



PSHE

What will we be learning about this half term:

Why we should keep active and sleep well.

How regular physical activity benefits bodies and feelings.

How to be active on a daily and weekly basis.

How the lack of physical activity can effect us.

Keywords:

Sleep

Physical activity

Exercise

Organs

Importance

Healthy

What you could do at home:

Practise different physical activities.

Discuss the importance of exercise.

Go for regular walks or do something active.

Useful Websites:



Religious Education

What will we be learning about this half term:

Being courageous and confident

Being hopeful and visionary

Understanding the concept of courage

To explore courage through different religions

To explore my own aspirations

Keywords:

Confident

Courageous

Aspirations

Visionary

Hopeful

What you could do at home:

Discuss what it means to be courageous and confident.

Ask your child to discuss their RE learning and the importance of being courageous and confident.

Useful Websites:



Science

What will we be learning about this half term:

To recognise that shadows are formed when a light source is blocked by a solid object.

To understand that an opaque object creates a shadow.

To know that light cannot pass through some materials and can explain how this leads to the formation of shadows.

To explore how to change the size of a shadow and record this.

To identify changes that happen when the sun goes behind a cloud.

Keywords:

Light, shadow, mirror, reflective, dark, reflection, light source, cast.

What you could do at home:

Explore how to change the size of a shadow and record this.

Identify the changes that happen when the sun goes behind a cloud.

Explain to a parent how shadows are formed and create poster demonstrating it

Useful Websites:

