

English

Key texts: **Defeating the monster**

Model text based on The Cobbler and The Dragon of Krakow.

This term children will be able to write their own narrative independently following the story pattern



History

We will be learning about life in the Stone Age and describe the changes that happened in Britain resulting from metal discovery. We will also compare and contrast historical eras (Stone & Bronze Age).

Art/DT

We will be learning to use charcoal to recreate the style of cave artists and demonstrate a good understanding of colour mixing with natural pigments.

RE

We will be looking at 'What is special about being human?' and exploring what makes being human special and different from other living creatures.



Year 3 Curriculum Maps Autumn 1 Term 1

Values : Responsibility

Key Dates:

Year 3 Welcome meeting -16th September 2026

Celtic Harmony Trip - 13th October 2026

Reminders: Children must read everyday. Homework is sent home on Wednesday and must be returned by the following Monday.

Music

We will be using different tones and recognise the pitch when singing and playing a musical instrument.

Science

We will be grouping rocks and identifying their features. We will devise comparative tests for rocks and investigate the process of fossil formation.



French

We will be learning simple greetings and numbers up to 20.

Maths

We will follow the White Rose Maths scheme and begin to learn about reading, writing and partitioning numbers to 100 and 1000.

It will be useful for children to practise their times tables on TT Rockstars, Purple Mash and My Maths.



PE

We will be developing our coordination and static balancing skills. We will also practise our throwing and catching skills for netball.

P.E. Lesson Days

Chestnuts - Tuesday and Friday

Acorns - Monday and Thursday

Pinecones - Monday and Thursday



PSHE

Children will look at what a 'challenge' is and learn why rules are needed and how these relate to choices and consequences. We will understand that others may hold different views.

Computing

Year 3 will be looking at how digital devices work and what parts make up the devices and how these devices help us in our daily lives.