Year 3 Parent Information on the Curriculum (Terms 3 - 4)

English

This term, Year Three have entered the exciting world of myths and legends. We have been exploring the possibility of unicorns being real and will be using our gathered information to write non-chronological reports to inform.

In Term 4, we will be learning the art of persuasion. Year Three will be looking at a variety of locations around the world, linking to our ongoing Geography work, and persuading people to visit a specific destination using techniques such as emotive language, adjectives and rhetorical questions.

Maths

Year Three will be continuing their work on multiplication and division this term, with a focus on more written methods. We will be exploring money as well as statistics. Year Three will be furthering their knowledge of shape by exploring length and perimeter in Term 4 as well as beginning their work on fractions before the holidays. While this seems like a lot to cover, there will be opportunities for review as well as ongoing support in more complex areas through daily morning work and arithmetic sessions.

Computing

We are excited to be applying our programming knowledge using Scratch.



Learn Inspire Flourish Enjoy

We are thrilled to welcome everyone back after Christmas and we hope that everyone has had a wonderful start to 2025. Over the next two terms, Year Three will be diving into an exciting new series of units; from an in-depth study of Italy to a beautiful series of lessons in Art using a range of mediums. We would like to remind everyone that homework will continue to be set weekly and given out on a Friday and will be due back the following Thursday. We also continue to check reading journals each week. If you are available on any afternoons to listen to our wonderful readers, please do let us know as we would welcome you with open arms.

Key dates:

February 5th – Science Fair

<u>RE</u>

Term 3 – Could Jesus perform miracles?
This will be a study into different parables and understanding how Christians may interpret these.
Term 4 – In which ways does the Easter story teach us about the importance of forgiveness?

Geography

Over the next two terms, Year 3 will be completing an in depth study of Europe with a focus on Italy.

History

Year 3 will be learning about Ancient Rome, what life was like for a Roman citizen and The Roman Invasion of Britain.

<u>Music</u>

In music, we will be exploring how different instruments can be used to evoke a variety of feelings.

<u>PE</u>

Outdoor – Hockey Indoor - Gymnastics

PE days – Tuesdays and Thursdays

<u>Art</u>

Year Three will be completing in in depth study on the work of Vincent Van Gough, specifically 'Sunflowers'.

<u>DT</u>

Using woodwork skills to make Roman chariots.

Science

In Term 3, we are going to be completing child led investigations based on our prior learning on Light. In Term 4, we will be learning about the human body with a focus on the skeletal system.