



Year 3

RE:

In R.E. we use the "Come and See" programme. We will be looking at the family and learning how God is present in every home. We will then go on to look at the sacrament of Baptism.



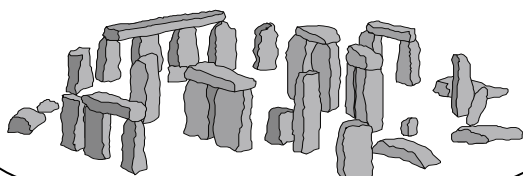
English:

In English this half term we will be looking at fiction texts in familiar settings and Information texts - how to write non-chronological reports. In our grammar work we will look at the eight word categories and how to use them to enhance our work. We will also look at how to use commas in a list correctly. We will continue to use Pie Corbett's Talk for Writing to develop our planning and editing skills when writing independently.



History

In history we are examining the lives of the people of the Stone Age and how they developed into the Bronze and Iron Ages.



PE: We will be learning basic skills like throwing and catching and linking these skills to games like netball. We will also continue with swimming.

Maths

In this half term we will consolidate our understanding of place value – comparing and ordering 2 & 3 digit numbers. We will continue to add and subtract and develop our mental strategies in these areas. An important part of maths will be learning multiplication and division facts for the 5, 10, 2, 3 and 4 times tables really well. We will also learn the days and months of the year and learn to tell the time to the nearest 5 minutes. We will also study the properties of 3d shapes and use the correct mathematical vocabulary to describe them.

French: We are learning numbers and colours.

Science: In our science we will be looking at the topics of Healthy Eating and The Skeleton.



ICT: We will be learning about coding and how to write a program and start to learn how to debug it.



Art: We will study colour and how to make different tones and shades. We will also look at the art of the Stoneage period.

How to help at home

- As well as listening to your child read, ask questions about characters, setting and plot in the story.
- Encourage your child to use Mathletics and help them to learn their multiplication tables especially 2, 3, and 4.
- Encourage your child to use Abacus on line to support their work in school.
- Discuss what they are doing & help them with their homework – it's always linked to



