

English

In English, we will be looking at suspense with the focus on a tale of fear. Our first story is called 'The Escape'. We will continue to learn the new skills required for this story through the Talk for Writing approach.

The writing will be linked with our history topic of the Stone Age.

Science

Rocks, Soils and Fossils will be the focus for our budding young scientists. We will explore the characteristics of different rocks and soils and will be testing their properties through practical experiments. We will also be looking at famous scientists.



Computing

In this unit, we will be learning about animation. Learners will use a range of techniques to create a stop-frame animation using tablets. Next, they will apply those skills to create a story-based animation.

Religious Education

In R.E., we will continue to look at Christianity through the lesson of 'Gospel'. We will be focussing on questions such as 'What kind of world would Jesus want?'

Year 3

Term 2 Curriculum Newsletter

The Stone Age



Home Learning

The Home Learning Bingo sheet is given out on the first Friday of the term to be completed by and brought in the last week of term 2. Check My Maths for tasks each week. Children's passwords are glued into their reading journals.

Attendance

We take attendance very seriously at St Paul's. Please ensure your child is in school EVERY day and on time. Thank you.

General Information

Staff: Mrs Lewis, Miss Yates, Mr Barrett, Mr Heyes Mrs Hodgkins, Mrs Bennett & Miss Langham.

PE Kit: P.E is on a Monday and Tuesday. Your child will need their P.E. kit every week. We will be focusing on gymnastics. Children can bring in long trousers/long top.

Reading Record book: Please listen to your child read every night and record this in their planner.

Now the weather is getting colder, please ensure your child has a coat with them every day.

Important dates: Parents' evening: 5th and 7th November. This year, Year 3 will be performing a Christingle Service. Dates to be confirmed.

Learning journey

Design Technology

This term, we will be planning, designing, making and evaluating a Stone Age tool. We will be using the information from our History and English lessons to inform us of the most appropriate use.

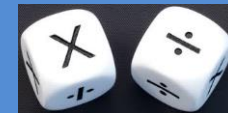
History

We will explore the topic 'Cavemen to Celts' where we look at chronology, timelines and key features of the Stone Age.

Maths

At the start of term children will be looking at addition and subtraction building to using formal written methods including column methods.

Please keep practicing Times Tables at home as well as completing the tow MyMaths tasks set online.



PSHE

'Celebrating Difference' is the topic we will be covering in PSHE. We will be looking at families; their differences and importance to each of us.

RSHE

This term, we will be learning about our bodies. We will be looking at how our bodies may change as we grow and develop, how to care for our bodies and celebrating our uniqueness.