

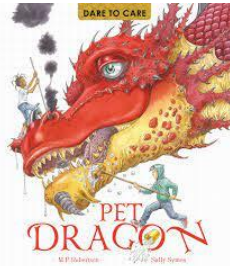
# Parent Curriculum Overview

Autumn Term 2021

Class 3

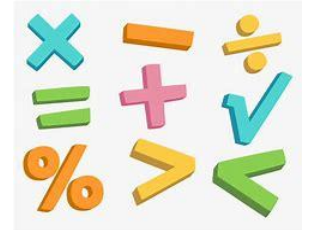
## ENGLISH

This term we will be exploring a text by Sally Symes. We will familiarise ourselves with the text structure used in our text 'Dare to Care: Pet Dragon', focussing on using conjunctions in our writing. We will then look at 'A river poetry'. In this text we will look at expressing time and cause.



## MATHEMATICS

This term we will continue to develop our understanding of place value. We will look at representing, comparing, and ordering numbers to 1000. We will also be developing our understanding of the 4 number operations. The children will be encouraged to talk through their mathematical ideas.



## SCIENCE

This term we will be learning about 'forces and magnets' and 'light'. We will begin the term investigating different forces and how they effect objects. We will experiment with magnets and take part in the 'Class 3 science fair'.



## GEOGRAPHY AND HISTORY

This term our Geography topic is Rivers. We will be looking at the similarities and differences between the river Dart (UK) and the river Ganges (India). We will explore the parts of a river and how the water cycle works. We will also look at the effect that these have on people and places. In History, we will be exploring Ancient Egyptian empire and civilisation. Through this we will explore how and why the ancient Egyptian civilisation rose to power alongside what impact the ancient Egyptian civilisation had on the world today.



## COMPUTING

Our Computing units this term are 'Connecting Computers' and 'Stop-Frame Animation'. We will



## DT AND ART

In Art this term we will be exploring drawing and painting inspired by Leonardo Da Vinci's work. We will also be looking at Printing and digital



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<p>develop our understanding of digital devices, with a focus on inputs, processes and outputs.</p>	<p>media inspired by block printing artist Andy Warhol's technique. We will be creating our own artwork inspired by their work. We will be discussing and practicing different techniques and skills throughout this term.</p>
<p><b>MUSIC</b></p> <p>After half term, we will be completing a unit called and 'Glockenspiels'. We will be looking at the dimensions of music, including pulse, rhythm and pitch through singing and playing instruments together.</p> 	<p><b>RE</b></p> <p>In RE this term, we will be exploring what Christians learn from the creation story. We will also be discussing what it is like for someone to follow God. As part of this, the children will reflect on the Christian and Jewish creation story and compare it to some other creation stories. They will also think about what we mean by 'being good'.</p> 
<p><b>PE</b></p> <p>Throughout this term, we will be doing Gymnastics, Tennis, Dance and Football.</p> <p><b>We will have PE on a Monday and Thursday afternoon.</b> Indoor PE will be on Monday and outdoor PE on Thursday.</p>	<p><b>PSHE</b></p> <p>We will be using Jigsaw for PSHE. This term our topics are 'Being Me in my world' and 'Celebrating Differences'. We will be discussing and reflecting on the world around us. We will also be looking at what we have achieved alongside our goals for the future.</p> 
<p><b>MFL</b></p> <p>Our French units this term are 'Getting to know you' and 'All about me'. In these units, the children will learn how to greet some in French and ask how they are feeling. They will also learn to say their name, age and tell someone a bit about their family. Children will learn to count to at least 10 in French.</p>	<p><b>WILD TRIBE</b></p> <p>Wild tribe is new to Year 3 this year. We will be taking a whole afternoon this half term to get outside and use our natural environment. We will be learning to build and use camp fires and how to use tools to create. This will be every Tuesday or Wednesday afternoon depending on when Mr Brown is timetabled to teach the class. Please keep an eye on Class Dojo messages and send the children into school with a full set of outdoor clothes to change into. They need to be clothes that are able to get messy, full length trousers and sleeves with good sturdy shoes. (Wellies are fine)</p>

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It is a requirement for Reading Journals to be in school every day. Please use these to relay messages to your class teacher. Your child is expected to read regularly at home and comment on their reading in their Reading School Link Books.

I will check Doodlemaths and TTRockstars throughout the week. The spelling quiz will be on a Friday.

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