

Reading:

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Writing: We will be writing our own version about a journey through different landscapes using the text A River by Marc Martin. After this we will be writing our own stories to form a class book all about adventures and magical creatures.



Maths:

In Maths, we will be building on our place value knowledge to numbers within 1000, we will estimate on a number line, compare numbers and partition them flexibly. We will then move on to addition and subtraction where the column method will be introduced.



Science: Physics/Biology/Chemistry

We will be learning about humans and animals and our similarities and differences, about how we have skeletons and muscles for support, protection and movement. We will be learning about types and amount of nutrition, and that they cannot make their own food; they get nutrition from what they eat.



Kestrels
Year 3

History:

Our focus is Ancient Egypt. We will learn about pharaohs, pyramids, mummification, and daily life.



Geography:

Our focus is Rivers. We will understand parts of a river, the water cycle, and why rivers are important.

RE:

Our focus is Hinduism. We will learn the story of Rama and Sita and all about Hindu beliefs and festivals.

Physical Education:



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PSHE & Wellbeing:

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Art/DT:

We will be learning about mechanical systems and pneumatic toys. We will use diagrams to create and design our own toy.

Computing:

We will be learning about networks and how devices communicate.



How can you support at home...

Daily reading
Weekly homework
TT Rockstars
Use of Class Dojo



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In writing we will be looking at two texts during the half term. The first will be the fiction book, *No-bot, the robot with no bottom*. Following this we will start our first non-fiction text, *This is How We Do It*.

Geography:

Our subject title is *Where in the World am I?* We will study our local area, looking at the features of Buckfastleigh as a town and undertake simple map work.

RE:

Our subject title is *Why do we need to give thanks?* In this unit we will cover how different religions give thanks, including a celebration of harvest and how Christians use music to express thanks.



Maths:

In our maths lessons, we will start by focusing on place value within 100, including counting in 2s and 3s, using number lines and manipulatives to represent numbers, before moving on to addition and subtraction.



Kestrels
Year 2

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