

## Geography

### The Rainforest

- What is a rainforest?
- Where in the world and why are they there?
- What are the different types of rainforests?
- What are the layers in a tropical rainforest and which plants and animals are found there?



## History

### The Stone Age

- When and where did the Stone Age take place?
- How does this period in history fit in with other periods in history we have studied?
- How do we know about the Stone Age?

## Maths

We teach Maths using the CPA approach to help develop deeper understanding:

- Place value
- Addition and Subtraction
- Multiplication and Division

## Science

### Rocks and Fossils

- How can I classify and group rocks?
- How are fossils formed?
- What is soil made up of?
- Which scientists do we associate with rocks and fossils?
- Animals including humans
- What do animals need to live, grow and move?

## English

- Instructional writing inspired by
  - How to Wash a Woolly Mammoth
- poetry
- Non-chronological report inspired geography history studies.



# Autumn Term 2023 - YEAR 3

## Reading

To develop a love of reading by introducing children to a range of books, genres and authors.

Throughout the week, we participate in:

- DEAR (Drop Everything and Read)
- Read & Respond, (Fiction, non-fiction and poetry)
- Sharing a class book
- Word Power
- Reading aloud and being read to across the curriculum

## Phonics and SPAG

- Weekly spelling lesson and Homework
- Commas for clauses and Lists
- Exclamation marks, question marks and speech marks

## Religious Education

- What is the meaning of happiness, (Buddhism)
- Why is the Qu'ran one of the most important books in the World? (Islam)
- How can we show respect? (Islam)

## Physical Education

- Fitness
- Athletics
- Dance
- 'Fundamentals'
- Swimming (Oak only in Autumn)

## Computing

- E-Safety
- Sending emails
- Spreadsheets

## Art and Design Technology

### Art

- Growing as an Artist

### Design Technology (DT)

- Textiles-puppets inspired by rainforest animals

## Music

- What is an instrument?
- What is a violin and which family of instruments does it belong to?

## PSHE

- How can we be a good friend?
- What keeps us safe?

## Special events

- National Poetry Day
- Black History Month
- Children in Need
- Topic-related visits

