

Term 3.1

This half term in Year 3 we are learning about...

Writing



Genre: Non-chronological reports

We will be learning:

- To understand the organisational features
- To organise writing into paragraphs
- To use topic sentences to introduce paragraphs
- To use a range of conjunctions in sentences

Reading and Phonics



We will be...

- Using our knowledge of phonics to decode and blend unfamiliar words.
- Using knowledge of reading for meaning and apply strategies to work out words that we do not understand.
- Learning how to use strategies to read with meaning
- Learning how to infer reasons for actions and events based on evidence in the text
- Making predictions based on our knowledge of the text

Numeracy



Focus: Fractions Measurement

We are learning about...

- Recognising and showing equivalent fractions
- Measuring lengths
- Comparing and ordering measures
- Adding and subtracting measures
- Measuring the perimeter of simple 2D shapes

Science

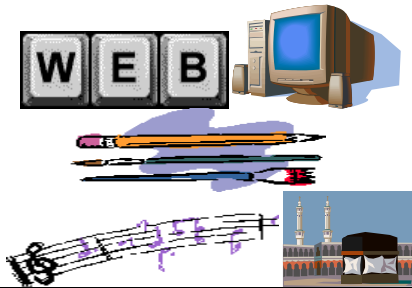


Topic: Light

We will be learning about...

- Light sources and how they work
- How light is reflected from surfaces
- Powerful light sources

Learning for Life



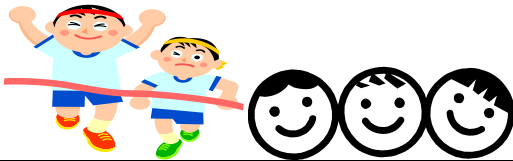
Topic- South America

Learning through: Geography, Music, Art and Design

This half term we will focus on:

- Locating countries and capital cities in South America
- Understanding the layers of the rainforest

Physical Education/PSHE



Please remember to bring your P.E. Kits in on a Tuesday and Thursday
Your child will be developing their physical skills through:

- Cricket
- Athletics

3W and 3B will be going swimming every Thursday.

Homework

This is handed out every Friday and will need to be brought back into school on Tuesday. It will cover areas of learning taught this half term, not only to review but also to challenge.