



Year 3: Autumn 2

Dear Parents,



Here are some of the activities we will be covering this half-term. This overview does not include everything that we will be doing, but hopefully it will give you an insight into some of the learning which will be taking place in our classroom.

<u>English</u>		<u>Mathematics</u>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Humorous Poems – we will continue studying poems by famous poems before writing our own. • Descriptive writing – based around our story Stone Age Boy. • Non-chronological reports – based around Moz the Monster 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Measures – focussing on money and length • Statistics – focussing on how we can present our data and reading this data. • Division and multiplication – the class will begin to look at short multiplication and division. • We will also be continuing with our weekly sessions on Problem solving where the children will apply the skills they have learnt to real life problems and puzzles. 	
<u>RE – How and why is Advent important to Christians?</u>	<u>Science – Forces and Magnets</u>	<u>Computing</u>	
In the run up to Christmas the children will be looking at Advent and why it is important.	The class will be looking at how forces affect movement and learning about how magnets work.	The children will be developing their skills to research using the internet safely and develop understanding of how we communicate online.	
<u>History</u>		<u>Art</u>	
The children will be looking at the question, ‘How did prehistoric settlements develop?’ We look at the development of settlements from the Stone Age to the Iron Age. How they made them, what materials they used and why they changed.		Still life – this half term we will be looking at the work of Giorgio Morandi , an Italian still life artist. We will be studying his artwork before creating our own still life drawings.	
<u>PE</u>			
<p>Games – every Tuesday the children will be working on their throwing, aiming and tactical awareness this half term.</p> <p>Gymnastics – on Thursdays the children will be creating their own gymnastic sequence focussing on the different shapes they can make whilst on the floor, balancing and on apparatus.</p> <p><i>*Note: children will need indoor and outdoor PE kits this half term. Where possible we will be doing PE outdoors, however if we have to do our lesson indoors we will do so in the hall socially distanced with the windows open.</i></p>			
<u>French</u>			
Games and Songs – Children will be learning how to recognise months in French, count to 20 and ask about birthdays.			
<u>Note:</u> Remember, you can quiz on books that you have on your own bookshelf at home if they are on your Accelerated Reader level. To check which level books are on go to www.arbookfind.co.uk .			