

English– In English we will be reading a range of books that link with our Historical study – The Stone Age. Titles will include Horrible Histories and Stig of the Dump. We will begin with ‘Ugg Boy Genius. The story follows the quest of a Stone Age boy, Ugg in his search for softer trousers. With ideas beyond his time his questioning and inventive mind proves exasperating at times for his parents. Our main focus during the first half of the term will be to refresh and apply our skills from Year 2 as well as those we missed during School closure.

How can you help at home? –

Practise the weekly spellings that are sent out via eschools,

Read, Read and read some more!

Have a go at writing your own stories based on the Stone Age

PE – In the first half of the Autumn term, Coach Mark will be teaching us football skills.

For the second half of the term our PE days will change and Mrs Driver will be teaching us gymnastics as well as Coach Josh teaching us skills based on team games.

How can we help at home? –

Stay active!

Make sure your child has water and PE kit in school

Computing – This term we will be looking at how we can use multimedia to create art; we will use the software on our I pads to understand different tools and functions. We will also be looking at simple algorithms and the way in which they help computers and technology work.

How can we help at home?

Talk to children about staying safe online

Use programming games

Science– In Science we will be looking at Rocks and soils. This is a very exciting Science topic as it is very practical and we always have lots of discussions about fossils, rocks and other minerals that you may have at home. *Feel free to upload your photographs onto SeeSaw for us to share in school.*

We will be looking at the formation of metamorphic, igneous and sedimentary rocks as well as how fossils are formed.

We will also be looking at light. We will be thinking about how light travels, how and why shadows are formed as well as how we see.

How can you help at home?

Make your own shadow puppets

Think about ways in which light help us to see

Maths - In Maths this term, we will be refreshing our place value knowledge. We will be moving very quickly onto the place value of three digit numbers and how we can solve problems using these numbers. We will be moving on to more complex addition and subtraction problems and applying this to units of measure. In the second half of the Autumn Term, we will be learning how to tell the time to the nearest 5 minutes and use this information to calculate time intervals. We will also be progressing through our multiplication facts and learning our 3, 4 and 8 time tables

How can we help at home?

Lots of Times Table practise!

Have you got a watch or clock to tell the time at home?

RE – Our ‘Understanding Christianity unit this term is titled – What do Christians Learn From the Creation Story? We will be studying the story of Creation and thinking about the impact this has on the ways Christians live their lives and make connections with our own lives.

We will then be looking at Jewish celebrations and how festivals are an important part of Judaism. We will be understanding the importance of a Synagogue for Jewish Worship and the symbols and traditions within the religion.

PSHE – We will be looking at our roles and responsibilities within our school, community and the wider society. We will be looking at the ways in which we have an impact on the lives of others. As part of our Relationships education, we will be thinking about how to stay healthy and make good, educated choices.

How can we help at home?

Talk about friendships, family and strangers

Think about how we share information online or with people we dont know

The Stone Age to The Iron Age



History – Our Historical focus for this term takes us on a journey through the changes in Britain from the Stone Age to the Iron Age. We will look into prehistoric Britain, what it was like and how people lived. We will learn about why the people of that time were called ‘hunter gathers’ and the impact they have had on how we source our food today. We will look at the evidence that we have to support our understanding. Some of the areas that we will cover will be the late Neolithic hunter-gatherers and early farmers, e.g. Skara Brae. We will look into the Bronze Age including their religion, technology and travel, such as Stonehenge. We will look at the objects that they made and how they compared to previous ones from the Stone Age. We will learn about the Iron Age hill forts: tribal kingdoms, farming, art and culture and see how this has had an impact on life today.

How can we help at home? Read non-fiction books with historical vocabulary, explore and visit sites of historical interest