

YEAR 3 - SPRING 1

Reading Focus: 'Stig of the Dump' by Clive King. We will find out how authors create tension and unexpected twists in a plotline.

Recommended read: Toto The Ninja Cat by Dermot O'Leary.

Seeking to nurture..

Self-belief CourAge Resilience AmbiTion Harmony

Learning to Learn!

We will continue to develop our abilities to:

Enquire

Think

Imagine

Create

Explore

Collaborate

Reflect

In English...

For developing reading comprehension skills we will use The Phantom Carwash, Infographics on Volcanoes and 'Stig of the Dump' extracts as starting points for character descriptions, dialogue and persuasive writing. In grammar we will revise using prefixes, prepositions and paragraphs.

In Maths...

We will continue to look at calculation in Multiplication and Division with 2 digit numbers. This will then be applied in one and two step problem solving contexts. Of course, knowledge and quick recall of tables facts is vital. Please allow them to practice using TTRS regularly.

In finding out about shape and space, we will be learning more about length and perimeter.

In RE...

We will investigate the theme 'How did Jesus change the lives of the people he met?'

In Science...

We will explore light and shadows.

In History...

We will research and answer the question, 'Which was more impressive – the Bronze Age or the Iron Age?'

In Computing...

We will develop our knowledge of coding.

In PSHE...

We will discuss how families are built and celebrated.

In PE...

We will be building upon our gymnastic skills and learning additional cricket skills.

In Music...

We will be introduced to the ukulele, learn how to play the initial notes and play simple tunes.

"Stand firm... be courageous" 1 Cor 16:13