

Year Three Autumn Term 2023

Here is our topic for this half term. Please use it to support your children's learning. They are welcome to bring things into class that are related to our topic and if any adults would like partake in any way, please see your child's class teacher.

As Artists we will:

- Create pictures of our angry Earth, using warm and cold colours from the colour wheel.
- Use mixed media to create pictures.

As Linguists we will:

- We are looking at the book: Dare to Care - Pet Dragon
- Have spelling lessons and write instruction and non-fiction texts.

As Citizens we will:

Be getting to know each other with our Jigsaw unit.

As Readers we will:

- Take part in guided reading sessions looking at the book: The Enchanted Wood, by Enid Blyton.

As Technologists we will:

- Design and make a rock sculpture using different-sized rocks.
- Evaluate our designs and say how they could be improved next time.

The Big Questions:
What do rocks tell us about the way the Earth was formed?
What makes the earth angry?

As Computer technicians we will:

- Code; using flowcharts, timers, repeat, code and testing our creations.

As Geographers we will:

- Describe how volcanoes and earthquakes are created.
- Name and locate some of the world's famous volcanoes.
- Describe physical features in a locality.

As Athletes we will:

- Take part in our outdoor P.E sessions every week.

As Scientists we will:

- Compare and group together different rocks based on their properties
- Describe and explain how different rocks can be useful to us.
- Describe how fossils are formed.
- Recognise that soils are formed from rocks and organic matter.
- Begin to relate the properties of rocks with their uses and classify different types of rock