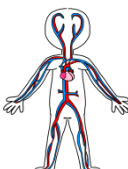





Welcome back - I hope you all had a lovely summer holiday!

 <p>In Literacy the children will be looking at Biography and Autobiography texts about authors Roald Dahl and Michael Morpurgo, as well as linking to our History studies by learning about the life of Anne Frank. We will also be looking at letter writing and journalistic styles. We will continue using reciprocal reading strategies to develop our reading comprehension skills through our guided reading, as well as increasing understanding of written grammar through writing analysis.</p>	<p>Numeracy</p> <p><u>Number and place value</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 4 operations written and mental methods <p><u>Measurement</u> - Measuring (length), perimeter/ area</p> <p><u>Geometry</u>- properties of shape</p> <p><u>Problem solving, reasoning and algebra</u></p> <p><u>Number</u> - Decimals, percentages and their equivalence to fractions</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Ratio and proportion <p><u>Statistics</u></p> 
 <p>In History this term we will be learning all about the key events of World War Two.</p> <p>In Geography the children will locate the world's countries, using maps, and name and locate counties and cities of the United Kingdom.</p>	<p>In Science we are looking at animals including humans. The children will be able to explain how humans change from birth to old, understand the circulatory system and the importance of a healthy balanced diet.</p> 
 <p>In French the children will continue their language learning through the happy language scheme 'La Jolie Ronde'. The children will begin by refreshing what they learned last year then we will be learning to talk about food, give simple instructions, express thanks, express likes/dislikes and opinions.</p>	<p>In R.E the children will learning about the religion of Judaism. We will look at worship and Jewish community.</p> 
 <p>In Computing the children will collaborate to outline common expectations in order to build a strong digital citizenship community. Each member of the class will sign a 'Digital Citizens Pledge'. We will look at how to keep ourselves safe online and ways to report concerns or inappropriate behaviour online.</p>	<p>In Art and Design we will be studying the works of Henry Moore - War Artist. This will involve making sketches of Evacuees and Blitz shelters, as well as making evacuee suitcases which we will cover with advertising and images from the time.</p> 
 <p>In PSHE we will be covering 'New Beginnings', thinking about what we do well and what we want to improve upon as we start a new school year. We will also think about the challenges of facing new beginnings and ways we can cope with uncomfortable feelings. Our SRE lessons will link to our science topic - growing up and changes. We will also be thinking about how we can say no to bullying.</p>	<p>Physical Education</p>  <p>In P.E the children will take part in Mountain Biking training and Bikeability training this half term. Tom Vickers will be joining us on Wednesday afternoons to coach Cricket and we the children will also have football in school on Monday afternoons.</p>

Class 3 Topic Letter

Autumn Term 1 2017

In Music Class 3 will be following the Charanga Music school programme, covering how rock music developed from the Beatles onwards. We will also focus on analysing performance.



In Design and Technology the children will be designing and making their own World War Two Shelters.



Please note that on Monday afternoons all children will take part in Forest School training on the school field.

REMINDER: Please could PE kits be kept in school **all week** so we can take advantage of the nice weather when we have it. Old shoes/wellies should be kept in school for outdoor activities.

Many thanks, Mrs Fletcher.



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