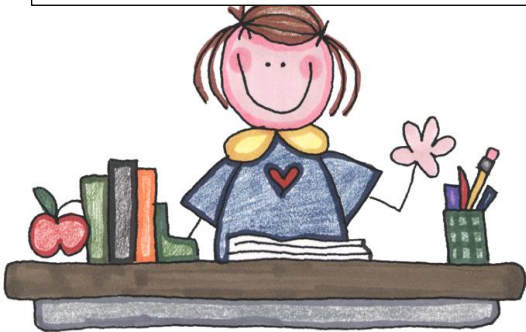


Please Remember:

- Reading Book on **Monday**
- P.E. kit on **Tuesday & Wednesday**
- Spelling Test on **Thursday**

PLEASE BRING LAST YEAR'S READING BOOK BACK IF YOU HAVEN'T ALREADY. REPLACEMENTS COST £5.

Mrs Haigh will be the class teacher every Thursday afternoon and Mr Durie all day Friday.



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Concerns:

If you are worried about your child or their schooling, please make an appointment to see myself or Mrs Brooksbank.



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Mrs Haigh

Mrs Mac

Miss Williams



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English

The children will study texts on the theme of magic and wonder:

*Leon and the Place Between by Angela McAllister, in which the children will explore a story set in an imaginary world.

*The First Drawing by Mordicai Gerstein, in which children explore the text, including exploration of the Stone Age and cave paintings.

*The Heart and the Bottle' by Oliver Jeffers, in which the children will write character descriptions using a range of descriptive vocabulary. They will then create their own stories where a dilemma occurs and there is an emotional response,

Maths

Topics covered this half term are:

- Place Value
- Addition & Subtraction

Please ensure you help your child by practising their times tables.

PSHE - Get HeartSmart

Wholeheartedness: The children will learn what it is to be HeartSmart and how we can Power ON to love ourselves and others well.

History-Ancient Egypt

The children will learn:

*Location, origin in settlements around the Nile, living by the Nile, the role of the Nile in developing belief systems as well as agriculture.

*How the power structures (pharaohs, the double crown) were linked to the geography of Egypt; how they were sustained through art, writing, belief systems.

*Ancient Egyptian religion, government, art, great monuments, beliefs about death, farming.

*How Egypt changed through time - kingdoms, art, pyramids, beliefs and writing

Curriculum Web Year Three Half Term 1

ICT - Programming Turtle Logo and Scratch

The children will create and debug algorithms. The children will use the basic commands in Logo to move and draw using the turtle on screen, and then further develop algorithms using the "repeat" command. These skills are then developed by teaching children to create algorithms in Scratch using a selection of blocks.

P.E.

Dodgeball: Children will learn team skills along with throwing and dodging.

Real P.E: Children will learn the skills of passing, scoring and team work.

Music- Let Your Spirit Fly by Joanna Mangona

The learning is focused around this song. The children will be doing rhythm and pitch games, learning to sing the song and using instruments.

Religious Education - Harvest

The children will explore further the meaning and purpose of Harvest Festival celebrations building on knowledge from KS1.

Science - Rocks

The children will discover the different types of rocks and how they are formed. Children will compare and group rocks based on appearance and simple properties. They will learn how fossils are formed and learn about the contribution of Mary Anning to the field of palaeontology. Children will understand how soil is formed and then investigate the permeability of different types of soil.

Design Technology - Let's Go Fly a Kite!

This unit gives children opportunities to develop their understanding of frame structures and how they can be strengthened and stiffened. Children will discover information about a key event involving a kite that helped shape the world. Children will gain knowledge and understanding about the parts and shapes of kites. This will help them when designing and making their own kites. Finally, children will test and evaluate their kites against design criteria they have created.