

## Our English Learning

Developing positive attitudes towards literacy by...

- Reading daily in class. Selecting class novels which hook the children in to their learning.
- Learning to write for different purposes writing instructions, descriptions, diary entry and a letter
- Increasing the legibility, consistency, and quality of their handwriting.
- Increasing children's reading ability to ensure they are adept enough to process and tackle Y3 texts and beyond.
- Some texts that we will be covering are StoneAge Boy, How to Wash a Woolly Mammoth and The Bear and the Piano.

You could help your child with their English learning by:

- Making reading a daily event. Reading with them every night.
- Practise checking their ability to spell the Year 3 words.

In RE we are learning about:

- Children will be studying the harvest festival.
- Children will look at traditional biblical tales to inform their thinking.

## YEAR 3 NEWSLETTER



The title of our current unit is

### **What is our nearest city?**

In this unit, pupils will develop an understanding of what a city is, through a detailed exploration of Manchester, including its boroughs, waterways, peaks and communities.

Pupils will journey by tram to Manchester to gather information/data to be able to write a report.

You could help your child with their Geography learning by:

- Researching, through books or the internet, about Manchester.

Other news & updates about our class:

- PE will be held on a Tuesday and Thursday.
- Reading books will be changed every Monday and Thursday.

## Our Mathematics Learning

This term we will be working...

- To add and subtract numbers across 10.
- To understand the place value of numbers up to 1000.
- To add and subtract numbers up to 1000.
- To learn number facts up to 1000.
- To recap learning of the 2-, 5- and 10-times tables.
- count from 0 in multiples of 4, 8, 50 and 100
- Divide 100 into 2, 4, 5 and 10 equal parts, and read scales/number lines marked in multiples of 100 with 2, 4, 5 and 10 equal parts.

You could help your child with their Maths learning by:

- Practicing times tables 3's including division facts.
- Practice addition, subtraction, calculations using written methods.