

Our English Learning

Developing positive attitudes towards literacy by...

- Children will be writing pieces linked with the story 'The last Wolf'. They will be creating their own versions of a twist on 'Red Riding Hood'.
- Consolidating Y1 and 2 common exception words for spelling and introducing the Y3 spelling list.
- 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.

You could help your child with their English learning by:

- Making reading a daily event to be shared and enjoyed together.
- Ask questions to check your child has understood what is happening in the story.
- Learning to spell the Y1 and 2 common exception words alongside the Y3 words.

In RE we are learning about:

- Children will be studying, 'What is it like for someone to follow God?'
- 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 the children will identify where they live in the UK and in the wider world. They will find out about the city of Manchester.

They will compare Manchester to Radcliffe and name the neighbouring boroughs. They will find out about the rivers and waterways, as well as the peaks in the Manchester area.

You could help your child with their Geography learning by:

- Researching, through books or the internet, where we live and talking to relatives who have first hand experiences.
- You can support your child by looking at maps of our locality and the Manchester area.

Other news & updates about our class:

- PE will continue to be on a Tuesday and Thursday.
- Book bags, reading books and reading records to be in school each day. Children should read every night, please.
- Keep a look out on Bluesky for our class achievements!

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.

You could help your child with their Maths learning by:

- Practising counting forwards and backwards to 20 and beyond.
- Count in 2's to at least 20.
- Count in 5's to at least 50.
- Count in 10's to at least 100.
- Playing games to support place value like 'I'm thinking of a number.' Say "it has 3 hundreds, 7 tens and 2 ones..." Can your child write it down and read the number they have created?