



Year 3



WASHINGTON'S

Useful Information

Autumn 1

History:



This half term we have a Stone, Bronze and Iron Age focus. We will be learning about early settlements, trade and learning the role of an Archaeologist. Children will:

- Investigating the rise of Pre-Historic man
- Learn about the role of an Archaeologist and how this supports our historical understanding
- Compare and contrast early settlements in the Stone, Bronze and Iron age

English:



We will be studying how to write a diary entry.

Children will learn the key structure and features of a diary entry. This will be done using the writing process: cold write, modelled write, shared write and an independent write.

Children will be able to published a well-structured and include key features of a diary entry by the end of this half term.

Maths:



We will be covering the following topics for this half term:

Number: Place value

Number: Addition and subtraction

Science:



This half-term, we will be learning about seasonal changes. We will be:

Name and order of the four seasons; spring, summer, autumn and winter. Understanding that it is unsafe to look at the sun. Know that weather associated with the four seasons and how it changes. Lastly, to understand that day length varies across the seasons.

Computing:



Digital Literacy: Internet safety and computing systems and networks (emailing)

Art/DT: Self portrait

Music: African call and response

RHE: Family and relationships

RE: Holy: Christianity: Mary Judaism: Torah

French: French greetings

PE:



P.E this term will be on Monday and Thursday afternoons.

The focus for this half term for Washington will be rounders and football.

Spellings:



Children should learn their spellings each week using:
Look, Say Cover, Write Check

Children will have a spelling test every Monday

Spellings for the Autumn term are posted on Google Classroom and are on your child's Home Learning sheet

Reading:

Children should read for at least 15 minutes every day.

Times Tables:



By the end of Year 3, children are expected to know the x2, x3, x4, x5, x6, x8, x10 timetables.

Children should practice their timetables every day.

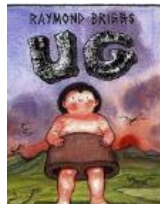
They will have a timetables test every Friday.

Timetables for the Autumn term are posted on Google Classroom and are on your child's Home Learning sheet

Power of Reading:



Our Power of Reading text is *Ug : Boy Genius Of The Stone Age And His Search For Soft Trousers* by Raymond Briggs



Language of the Half Term:



Our language of the half term is Arabic
17.6% of our families speak Arabic

Poem of the Half Term:



Our poem this half term is Nut Tree by Julia Donaldson

Skills Builder:



This half term, we will be focusing on: **Aiming High** and **Listening**.



Key Dates:

- Thursday 28th September: Workshop for parents: Zone the Home. Using Zones of regulation to support your child with self-regulation and emotional control
- Friday 29th September - Birthday Bash
- Tuesday 3rd October- School Uniform recycling
- Thursday 5th October: Workshop for parents: Helping your child with Phonics
- Friday 6th October - Seoul Class Assembly (Year 6)
- Monday 9th October to Friday 13th October - Parents Meetings
- Thursday 12th October Workshop for parents: Helping your child with Reading
- Friday 13th October - Tripoli Class Assembly (Year 5)
- Friday 20th October - Last day of term
- Monday 30th October - Start back at school



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