



Year 3



WASHINGTON'S

Useful Information

Summer 2

Geography:



This half term we have a Geography focus. We will be learning about where our food comes from. Children will:

- Learn how food is transported around the world.
- Learn about Plants and History.
- Develop Geography and Map skills.

English:



We will be studying how to write a biography using our *Power of Reading* text: *Gregory Cool* by *Caroline Binch*.

Children will be learning to write autobiographically, explore descriptive and figurative language and focus on their own past. They will also be learning how to use strong noun-phrases, fronted adverbials, correct use of tenses and first person voice in their writing.

All this will inform their own written and published autobiographies!

Maths:



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

Measurement: Capacity and Mass - measuring, comparing, subtracting and adding mass and capacity as well as answering written problems.

Geometry: Properties of Shapes - identifying and comparing angles, drawing shapes, horizontal and vertical lines and understanding parallel and perpendicular lines.

Science:



This half-term, we will be learning about Light and Shadow. Children will explore different light sources, how light is reflected as well as how it travels. Children will learn how and why shadows are formed and how they change during the day. They will explore this by experimenting with making their own shadows.

Computing:



Digital Literacy: *Internet Safety*

Computer Science: *Block Coding*

Art/DT: DT - Food packaging, 3D nets and construction

Music: Charanga - Reflect, Rewind, Replay

RHE: Health Education: Keeping Safe, Living in the Wider World: Economic Wellbeing

RE: Ritual - Humanism: Weddings Own Experience: How do rituals affect me and others?

French: Animals

PE:



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

The focus for this half term will be Tag Rugby and Tennis.

Spellings:



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

Children will have a spelling test every **Friday**

Spellings for the Summer 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.

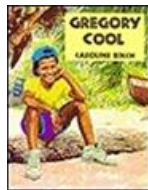
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Power of Reading:



Our Power of Reading text is Gregory Cool by Caroline Binch.



Language of the Half Term:



Our language of the half term is
Bengali and Turkish

(1.9%) of families in our school community speak these languages.

Poem of the Half Term:



Our poem this half term is
Early Bird Blues by Sophie Hannah

Skills Builder:



This half term, we will be focusing on: **Problem Solving** and **Team Work**



Key Dates:

- 3rd June: Back to School
- 12th June: Sports Day - KS1 & EYFS
- 13th June - Sports Day - KS2
- 14th June: Ottawa (Reception) assembly to parents
- 17th June - INSET Day
- 25th June: School Uniform Recycling
- 28th June: Birthday Bash
- 30th June: Oslo (Reception) assembly to parents
- 12th July - Year 6 Leavers show - 2pm
- 17th July - Summer Fete - 4pm to 6pm
- 19th July: Birthday Bash for July & August Birthdays
- 23rd July: End of Term 1.30pm



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