

St. Charles Curriculum Information Year 3 Autumn 2 Healthy Humans

Maths

We will continue to develop our mental recall of multiplication and division facts and written methods of these operations will be taught. Time and 3D shape will also be introduced this term.

English

This half term, we have three literary focuses. Our first piece of writing will be based on Aesop's Fables. Then, we will explore the structure of a range of poems to create a shape poem. Finally, we will listen to and discuss a range of letters in order to write a persuasive letter, using paragraphs, based on our

Art & D.T.

The children will be able to develop their creative side by experimenting with different implements and materials to create their artwork.

In D.T., the children will evaluate existing food products before designing and making their own.

Science

As part of our topic, 'Healthy Humans', we will explore our need for the right types and amount of nutrition. We will research different food groups and consider different activities beneficial to our health so that we can make informed choices.

R.E.

We will continue our new theme of belonging and making promises, specifically focusing on Baptism. Towards Christmas time, the demands and joys of visitors will be considered during the period of Advent.

Diary Dates:

8 November - 6.30pm PTFA
10 November - Twilight (Marking)
11 November - Non uniform Day - for chocolate
12 November - Family Mass 5.45pm
14 November - Anti bullying week
21 November - Creative week (History)
21 November - 2.15pm WS Mass (130th anniversary)
24 November - Open Afternoon including prospective parents
25 November - Year of Mercy Mass
28 November - 6.30pm Joint Advent service with other Rishton schools
2 December - 2.30pm - Mass and Awards in Church ?
3 December - 11 - 1pm Christmas Fair with Carols/songs
3 December 4.00pm Rishton Lights switch on
10 December - Family Mass 5.45pm
12 December 10.00am - Infant Production - for school
13 December - 10am Pantomime
14 December - Christmas Lunch
15 December 2pm and 6.30pm - Infant Production for parents
16 December 9.15am - Whole School Mass
19 December - PTFA Discos: 6pm (Infants) 7.15pm (Juniors)
20 December 2pm - Carol Service in school
21 December - Class parties and Christmas Jumper Day. School Closes.
Children may be collected at 2pm.

P.E.

P.E. will be on Wednesday and Thursday afternoons. Please ensure earrings are removed at home, long hair is tied back and kits are left in school until the end of term. For all P.E. lessons, except gymnastics, trainers are to be worn in order to provide more support for feet and ankles.

Wednesday afternoons will be spent outside, improving our health and fitness. The children will also be developing their gymnastic skills during the Thursday

Music

The musical notations crotchet, minim and quaver will be introduced to support our recorder lessons.

French

We will continue to learn numbers, greetings and classroom phrases.

Home Learning

Please ensure your child brings their Home Learning Planner and book bag every day and that you sign their reading diary to let us know that a book has been read and completed so we can change it.

The Box and spellings will be set every Friday and need to be completed and returned to class by the following Friday.

This half-term's Home Learning Project will be based on our topic 'Healthy Humans'. Further details will be provided in due