

ST CHARLES CURRICULUM INFORMATION - YEAR 3 SUMMER 1 2018

Literacy

During the first half of this half-term, we will read different play scripts so that we can write our own play based on a familiar plot structure.

In the latter half of the half-term, we will write a discussion text, considering whether it would be better to live in Roman Britain or Modern Britain.

Religious Education

This half-term, we will consider the events of Pentecost and through our reflections, think about how we can live a life of service by our actions towards others.

Music

We will continue to learn the recorder with Mrs Baker each Monday and learn a range of songs for performance.

P.E.

PE will be on Tuesdays and Swimming will be on Thursdays.

On Tuesday afternoons, we will play tennis with Mr. Slater. Some sessions may take place outside so please make sure your child has a pair of supportive trainers to wear. On Friday mornings, we will take part in dance lessons with a specialist dance teacher. The children will perform their dance at our annual barbecue.

Swimming will continue this half-term. The children will need a swimming costume/trunks, a towel and a swimming cap for long hair.

Maths

In Maths, we will complete our work on Measurement. We will also study Money (and the rules we should follow when calculating amounts of money), Time, Bar Graphs & Picture Graphs. The Box will be sent home on a weekly basis to help the children improve their times tables fluency.

Diary Dates:

April 20th at 3.30pm - PTFA meeting in the staff room

April 27th at 11.30am - School Council meeting

May 7th - May Day, school closed

May 9th - Year 3 Class Mass

May 10th - 11am Mass (Ascension Day)

May 10th at 6.30pm - Governors' Meeting

May 11th - Year 3 Class Assembly

May 13th at 10am - Family Mass

May 14th - Y6 SATs week

May 17th - Royal Wedding Lunch

May 25th School closes 3.30pm

June 4th - School reopens 8.55am

June 5th - Class Photos

June 15th at 6pm - School Barbecue

History

We will research the settlement of the Romans in Britain and their impact on British life.

Computing

In computing, we will look at the different forms of communication and collaboration opportunities which computer networks provide for us and other people around the world.

Science

This half-term, we will consider how humans and some other animals have skeletons and muscles for support, protection and movement. We will also consider other animals, which do not have internal skeletons/backbones, and how they have developed other ways of moving, supporting and protecting themselves.

Geography

This half-term, we will focus on a region in the UK: we will study the Lake District in Cumbria.

French

We will learn the French words for some classroom objects, items of clothing and additional songs in French.

Art

We will study the role of Art in Roman Times and use our research to influence our own work.

Year 3 Home Learning

Please help to develop your child's comprehension skills and enthusiasm for reading by asking them about the books they are reading.

Spellings will be set each Friday and will be tested the following Friday. Please encourage your children to learn their spellings.

The children will be given a half-termly home learning project which will be based on our theme 'What the Romans Did For Us'. This will be sent home with your child next week and should be returned no later than Thursday, May 24th 2018.