

Computing

Year three will be using a range of new apps to help develop their learning in the classroom. Children will develop their initial understanding of Explain Everything and Lego Movie to develop their learning in IPC and Writing.

Furthermore, we will be using apps such as Thinglink and google expeditions to develop their understanding of the wider community and world.

Physical Education

P.E lessons with the Fit For Sport coaches will be on Wednesday. They will be exploring the medium of dance and the complexities of gymnastics. 3S will have a another session of P.E on a Monday and 3W on Tuesday. This gives the children a chance to develop the skills learnt in their prior lessons.

Please ensure the children have the correct kit and footwear to take part.

Shacklewell Primary School



Curriculum Information Autumn 2



Year 3

Scavengers and Settlers



Mathematics

Children will be focusing on deepening their understanding of addition and subtraction of up to 4 digit numbers. We will be further developing our conceptual understanding of multiplication and division solving problems using both written and mental methods.

Furthermore the children will consolidate their knowledge of bar modelling to help them solve word problems as well as participate in practical Maths activities.

The children will also be working on mental maths strategies on a weekly basis through lesson based teaching as well as daily Maths Meeting tasks focusing on length and perimeter.

READING

Children will participate in daily SFA lessons, learning new reading and comprehension skills. Children will explore different books focussing on unpicking vocabulary, summarising main events and analysing the reader's viewpoint.

The children should continue to record their thoughts in their reading journals. The children will be given a focus question to answer weekly as well as making two further comments. Children should take an AR test fortnightly having read a suitable AR book.

IPC

Our IPC topic this term will be 'Scavengers and Settlers'.

In History children will learn about ancient civilisations and how they survived. We will also look at the history of fossils and why they are important to the environment.

In Art children will design and create their own prehistoric cave paintings, showing how our ancient ancestors communicated. In technology, children will investigate what early farmers used to grow as well as updating an ancient meal.

In international, children will investigate how a society can work together to succeed and learn new goals.

Writing

The children will be writing recounts and persuasive writing around our topic 'Scavengers and Settlers'. We will focus on using time adverbials and writing in chronological order. When persuading, we will look at using rhetorical questions and persuasive language to hook the reader.

During reading weeks we will be exploring Grahame Baker-Smith's book 'Leon and The Place Between'. We will explore the author's viewpoint and narrative writing skills.

REMEMBER OUR IPC PERSONAL LEARNING GOALS

Adaptability

Cooperation

Resilience

Enquiry

Morality



Communication

Respect

Thoughtfulness

How can you help me at home?

Help me with my weekly maths homework. The homework will be given out on a Friday and should be returned on the following Wednesday. Please complete this in your purple homework book. Spelling tests will happen every Thursday and a new set will be given to the children to take home for the following week.