

Science: This term your child will build on their previous knowledge of plant life cycles and pollination as well as exploring light and shadows.

RE: During the term your child will learn the Karma in Hinduism as well as what Christians believe about the Kingdom of God

History: To explore the Victorians and how this looked like for our local history (Ipswich)

PE: Athletics- To practice running, jumping and throwing in preparation for sports days and sports to develop coordination and team work in a variety of striking and fielding activities.

Geography- To compare and contrast Ipswich to Romania and draw maps.

Maths: Throughout the year your child will be taught mathematics through the mastery approach. This will involve learning through use of practical equipment, discussion, drawing and formal written methods. The areas we will cover this term are fractions of amounts, money, time, shape and statistics/ data handling.

Writing: This term your child will be continuing to use writing for a range of different genres; focusing heavily on poetry and using inverted commas to write speech and scripts. Ensuring that their writing is coherent, through the use of conjunctions, punctuation and interesting vocabulary. This will be practised in English work and focused SPAG sessions. Focusing on using and applying the Year 3 common exception words, along with using their phonological knowledge.

Reading- We will be developing their comprehension and inference skills alongside their ability to respond to a text through specific comprehension and reading comprehension session. **Thank you for hearing your child read regularly; please remember to continue to record this in their orange reading record.**

Computing: Learning about the benefits and many uses of desktop publishing and further develop your programming skills using events and actions in Scratch. E-Safety will be covered using resources from Project Evolve.

Music: Look into the work of Victorian Composer Elgar's Enigma variations and discover how music can be used to tell a story by looking at the work of composer Heitor Villa Lobos.

French: Learn the names for different fruit and vegetables and then learn how to say the types of foods you may take on a picnic.

PSHE: Looking at relationships and changing me with preparation towards changing year groups

Art and DT- Making botanical prints in the style of William Morris and healthy wraps

Texts- 'The king who banned the dark' and play scripts on James and the giant peach