

Experience

Children will be visiting a local Church to support their understanding of what is important to Christians



Horton Park Primary
We Learn to Succeed

Year 3

Spring 1

Mrs Gibson and Miss Simpkins

Creative Home Learning/ Project Homework

- Create a model volcano
- Create a model of the layers of The Earth with labels
- Make an information poster about Mary Anning

Creative Curriculum-Driver Project

Your child will learn about the different layers of the Earth, including plate tectonics and their potential effects on the Earth's surface. They will investigate different types of rock to learn about their uses and properties. They will also investigate soil and fossils, including learning about the work of Mary Anning. They will have the opportunity to use maps to learn about the lines of latitude and longitude and a compass to learn about the cardinal and intercardinal points.



Our Investors in Pupil's Class Targets

A

Improve our teamwork by completing whole class challenges together

B

We will use our Happy Breathing and have a go when we face challenging work.

Maths

This half term, we will be learning about geometry and place value.

We will:

- ⇒ Draw 2D shapes
- ⇒ Make 3D shapes with modelling materials
- ⇒ Describe different orientations
- ⇒ Estimate numbers on a number line
- ⇒ Understand the place value of 3 digit numbers up to 1000

English

⇒ This half term, we will be reading Pugs of the Frozen North.

We will:

- ⇒ Use drama to understand the text
- ⇒ Write a diary entry from the viewpoint of a character
- ⇒ Understand the different forms of the past tense
- ⇒ Start to use adverbs in our writing

Maestro companion project 1

Science: Forces

This half term we will:

Learn contact and non-contact forces, including friction and magnetism. They will investigate frictional and magnetic forces, and identify parts of a magnet and magnetic materials.

Maestro companion project 2

Art: Ammonite

This half term we will:

We will use different artistic techniques to sketch, print using polystyrene tiles and ink.

In our final piece, we will create sculptures of ammonites and take photographs of our work.

PSHE

Strengths and Challenges

This half term we will:

Learn about celebrating achievements and setting personal goals (Investors in Pupils), dealing with put-downs and know positive ways of dealing with setbacks. We will learn about the importance of self-respects and how it is linked to our own happiness.

RE:

This half term we will:

- ⇒ Learn about why The Bible is special to Christians
- ⇒ Learn some of the stories that Christians read
- ⇒ Know how the stories help Christians understand how to live a good life
- ⇒ Reflect on what helps us make good choices and the true meaning of friendship