

# Year 3 - Curriculum

## Letter

### Autumn 1

The following are some of the things we will be learning about this half term....



#### English...

This term children will be exploring characters' thoughts and feelings in a story and learning how to write from a character's perspective. They will also explore different versions of Myths and Legends through the use of stories, comic strips, puppets and drama.

Children will also explore instructional writing by learning the importance of imperative verbs, and follow instructions to create Egyptian fashion items. Throughout the term we will be revising the correct use of basic punctuation such as capital letters and full stops, question and exclamation marks and commas for list. Children will be encouraged to take pride in the presentation of their work and practise how to join their writing cursively and neatly.



#### Maths...

Using the Inspire Maths programme children will be using Concrete, Pictorial and Abstract methods to develop their skills.

In maths children will be focussing on number work this term, exploring place value, using 3 and 4 digit numbers and learning to read and write numbers in both words and digits. They will be comparing and ordering numbers, identifying less than and greater than and recognising ascending and descending sets of numbers. Children will be counting on in tens and hundreds and adding and subtracting multiples of tens and hundreds. All four mathematical operations will be covered to include multiplication and division. Children will be revising their 2, 5 and 10 times tables and will progress to 3, 4 and 8.



#### IPC Unit...

##### **In History, we will be finding out:**

- About fashions and trends in the past, and what might have influenced these
- About the jewellery that people used to wear in the past

##### **In Technology, we will be finding out:**

- How to design a costume for a fictional character

##### **In Art, we will be finding out:**

- How to print our own t-shirts
- How to create art in the style of a specific artist

##### **In Music, we will be finding out:**

- About different genres of music
- How to compose our own piece of music

##### **In Science, we will be finding out:**

- About the use of colour and reflective materials in safety clothing

#### **Ideas for Activities & Visits Outside School**

Engage your child with our IPC topic of fashion by talking to them about fashion around the world, fashion in the past and current fashion trends. You can further help develop your child's knowledge of fashion by considering creative activities such as sewing, knitting, tie-dye, T-shirt printing and so on.

If your child has some work to research, please help them, but without actually doing the work. If you have the chance to further their interest in the ideas of this theme please take it, but your enthusiasm and interest is most important.