

Stunning Start: Final term of Year 3!

British Values: Democracy – having a say in our classroom, working for fairness.

Our Class Saint: St Francis of Assisi

R.E.

Easter – explore the Story of Easter through the Story of Emmaus and the Story of Breakfast at the Shore; realise how the Apostles became aware of the presence of the Risen Christ in these events.

Pentecost – learn about the gift of the Holy Spirit and the change it brought to the lives of the Apostles; think about the presence of the Holy Spirit in the Sacraments the Church celebrates.

The Eucharist is a Thanksgiving to God – deepen knowledge and understanding of the Liturgy of the Eucharist; think about why this is such an important celebration in the life and worship of Catholic Christians.

Prayer – learn about the prayer life of Jesus; examine and reflect on some of the ways in which Catholics pray and the sign and symbols associated with prayer.

English

Class Readers: Harry Potter and the Philosopher's Stone

Writing Opportunities: Biography writing, story retell, explanation text, informal letter, writing a recount

Maths

Fractions – equivalent fractions; compare and order unit fractions/fractions with the same denominators; add and subtract fractions with the same denominator; solve problems.

Measurement – measure, compare, add and subtract lengths, mass, volume, capacity; add and subtract amounts of money; give change; tell the time from analogue/digital clock; use Roman numerals; 12 and 24 hour clocks; compare durations of events

Geometry – draw 2D shapes; make 3D shapes; recognise angles; identify acute angles, obtuse angles and right-angles; perpendicular and parallel lines

Important Dates:

Saturday 17th June – First Holy Communion

Friday 14th July – Summer Fete

Tuesday 18th July – Sports Day

Year 3: Summer Term



Virtues: Curious & Active;
Intentional & Prophetic

RSE – Religious Understanding; Living in the Wider World

Life Skills – Make and fly a kite; Learn 'This is me' and days of the week in sign language

HSBC Financial & Educational Lesson Workshop

History

Kiddy Carpets – History of Industrial Revolution; the life of a child; history of Kidderminster; journey of Kidderminster carpets

Geography

Home, Sweet Home! – countries and cities; rivers and seas; around the counties; hills and mountains; how London grew; our changing nation

Science

Rock Detectives – types/uses of rocks; changes of time; soil; fossils

Amazing Bodies – survival; eating to stay healthy and nutrition, skeletons and muscles

Art & Design

Prehistoric Art - Design, drawing, craft, painting and art appreciation – drawing from observation, learning the difference between a tint and a shade and creating a version of a cartoon drawn by a famous illustrator.

Design & Technology

Mechanical Systems: Pneumatic Toys – Explore pneumatic systems, then apply this understanding to design and make a pneumatic toy including thumbnail sketches and exploded diagrams.

P.E. – Athletics; Cricket

French

Fruits – name and recognise up to 10 fruits; attempt to spell some of these nouns; ask somebody in French if they like a particular fruit; say what fruits they like and dislike.

Ancient Britain – learn and use the French for 'I am', 'I have' and 'I live'; Name the six key periods of ancient Britain; name types of dwellings