



## Curriculum Newsletter Bonneygrove Primary School

### Year Three Term Autumn One

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### English

The moral of the story is...

During the first half of the term Year Three will be working towards writing a brand-new fable. In preparation for this they will be immersed into the world of Aesop's Fables. The children will work on a series of oral retellings and drama to fully embed these magical tales.

They will end the term's writing journey by writing and performing their own kennings, tankas and haikus.

### PHSE

Our first Jigsaw unit is 'Being Me in My World'. Here we will celebrate our individual strengths and identify positive things about themselves and their achievements and set personal goals.

### This term we will be learning about Rocks in Science



**Important dates for the year group-**

**Meet the Teacher – Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> and Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> September.**

**Our 50 things to do before leaving Bonneygrove...**

**This term we will be meeting a caveman.**

### Mathematics

To begin with in Mathematics Year Three will be focusing on understanding Place Value. The children will be using a variety of resources to support them in building upon their knowledge of recognising, representing and partitioning numbers. From Place Value the children will then take this knowledge and apply it to developing greater knowledge and understanding of using addition and subtraction. Finally, Year Three will focus on multiplication and division using sticky learning to revisit and consolidate all they have learnt throughout the Autumn term.

### History

This 'Stone Age to Iron Age' unit will teach the children about how the Stone Age to iron Age period impacted on life in Britain. They will learn about how the Neolithic people began to harvest and farm that mirror modern day practices. The unit will conclude with an investigation into the building of famous stone monuments such as Stonehenge.





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### Science

In Year Three we will be learning about Rocks and Soil this term. The children will use their scientific skills to compare and group different rocks based on their physical properties. We will be exploring the rock cycle and how this is a vital component to the creation of fossils.

### RE

We will be focusing on Diwali this term. Each week we will build upon our thoughts and ideas to discuss whether celebrating Diwali at home or the community brings a sense of belonging to a Hindu child.

### PE

The P.E focus this term is tag rugby. The children will learn to keep possession of the ball using attacking skills. They will play uneven and then even sided games, developing strategies and social skills to self-manage games.

### Art

Making links with the Stone Age the children will create their own cave art.

### Computing

This term Year Three will be using the computers to extend their coding and programming skills using Turtle Logo and Scratch. This programme will allow the children to practice and develop their knowledge of algorithms, instructions and commands amongst many more.



**School Values-** *Resilience, Honesty, Ambition, Creativity, Kindness and Inclusion.*

### You can join in with our learning at home by:

#### Reading:

Visit your local library and do some additional reading about some of our foundation topics.

Follow this hyperlink to see a 3D tour of Skara Brae.

[New digital model of Skara Brae | Historic Environment Scotland](#)

Take a virtual tour of the Natural History Museum

[Virtual Museum: 13 ways to explore from home | Natural History Museum \(nhm.ac.uk\)](#)

**Writing:** Write an explanation leaflet about rocks and soils.

**Maths:** Take a walk around the woods and make a range of 3-digit numbers using only natural materials.