

Year 3 Spring 2

PSHCE

Health and Wellbeing It's My Body

This unit moves on from Year 1 and follows the same themes of choices they can make about looking after their bodies. For example sleep and exercise, diet, cleanliness and substances.

RE

Light in Religion

Children explore the symbolic meaning of light through learning about different religious festivals, artifacts and stories. Pupils develop their RE knowledge creatively and thoughtfully through drama, art and writing. They are challenged to reflect on a deeper meaning of light and link it to their own experiences

FRENCH

My Family and Pets

Grammar focus: Possessive pronouns

By the end of this unit, children will have a clear understanding about how to name the different family members in French. They will have the opportunity to make their own family tree.

Children will also learn about different animals and the difference between pets and jungle animals

HISTORY

Ancient Egypt

Children will learn about the achievements of one of the earliest civilisations in depth. They will compare cultural practises, examine religions, study their technology/tools/buildings, and the reasons for their collapse. During this unit, they will further develop their enquiry skills, scrutinise sources, including their validity.

PE

Gymnastics

Children will be able to: explain how strength and suppleness affect performances and compare and contrast gymnastic sequences, commenting on similarities and differences.

Outdoor adventurous activities

Children will be able to: follow a map in the familiar context of the school grounds; move from one location to another following a map and use clues to follow a route.

Health and Fitness

Throughout the year in PE lessons, children will be able to explain why it is important to warm up and cool down and identify some muscle groups used in different activities.

DT

Rolling

Technique: rolling mechanism

Skills: cutting circles, assembling a cylinder using joining techniques, painting and delicate decorating.

The students will design and make a rolling toy by assembling different components. They will choose the type of movement the toy will make by assembling the components accordingly.

COMPUTING

Scratch – eCards

Children combine interesting images and sounds to create an interactive holiday eCard animation using Scratch program that pupils can send to someone they care about.

SCIENCE

Forces and Magnets

Children will notice some different forces such as friction and magnetic forces. They will explore magnetic materials, poles and the effects of poles.

MUSIC

Let your Spirit Fly

Explore, appreciate and describe R & B music using the dimensions of music (Pitch, Dynamics, Tempo, Timbre, Structure, Rhythm and Texture).

