



Dear Parents/Carers,

Well, what a start to the year we've had! Before we look forward, we'd just like to say a huge thank you for the support you've given to enable the children to access online learning. We are extremely proud of what they have achieved.

We have an exciting new Geography topic this half term: Mountains, Volcanoes and Earthquakes. We look forward to seeing the wonderful work that the children will produce.

Don't forget, there is also a range of online platforms to support learning- TTRockstars, Spelling Shed, Mathletics and Duolingo.

Mrs Richardson, Mr Dalby, Miss Gorrod and Miss Sherrell

OUR DRIVING QUESTION:

Why do volcanic eruptions and earthquakes occur?

AS WRITERS we will be creating a variety of poems, before using our new book as a basis for descriptive writing, narrative and news reports. We will also be looking at Fairy Tales as part of World Book Day.

AS MATHEMATICIANS

We will be looking at how we work with some of the things we wish we had more of - money and time!

AS SPORTS STARS we will be building on our last two units, Athletics and, Striking and Fielding; harnessing elements of both in our introduction to Net and Ball games; encouraging teamwork and individual effort throughout.

AS SCIENTISTS we will be investigating and finding out about different types of forces. We will be learning about how they affect our everyday lives and the world around us.

AS COMPUTER SCIENTISTS

We will be looking at how we use words and images to convey meaning. We see these combined all around us in the shape of road signs, advertisements magazines, websites and books. This term we will be learning how to make our own published media and how we can make it have the biggest impact.

AS GEOGRAPHERS we will be diving beneath the surface of the Earth to learn how movements deep inside lead to the formation of mountains, volcanoes, and earthquakes and study the impact that these can have on human populations.

AS CITIZENS (PSHCE/RE) we will be thinking about how we can help others, and in RE, comparing Christianity with Judaism before turning our attention to Easter and its significance to Christians.

AS MUSICIANS we will be exploring rhythm and pulse in music.

AS TECHNOLOGISTS we will be delving into pneumatics and designing and making our own pneumatic monsters.

IN FRENCH we will continue to use Duolingo to develop our basic skills in the French language.

THINGS TO REMEMBER

- Log onto our morning registration each day. 8:50 for 3A and 9am for 3B.
- You can continue to take AR quizzes at home - keep those minutes up!
- If you need anything, please don't hesitate to email:

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