



Year 3 Autumn Term 2



Science

This half term we will be finding out about the human body. We begin with looking at what happens to the body when we exercise as well as exploring the benefits to staying active. We will see if we can become as fast as Usain Bolt and try to improve our fitness. Together, we will learn about proper nutrition and explore the different food groups as well as understanding where our food comes from. We will explore some hidden truths about sugar and some of our favourite food and drinks.



Can I Run Faster Than Usain Bolt? The Human Body

P.S.H.E. Linking to our Science topic, we will be focusing on making the right choices to keep our mind and body healthy. We will discover the importance of sleep and keeping clean.

French We will learn how to count to 20 and to say the days of the week and months of the year. We will also be developing our conversational skills.



Maths

This half term we will be learning how to add and subtract 3-digit numbers using the column method. We continue exploring the 3x tables in lessons in greater depth as well as learning our next Year 3 table, the 4s



Art

In Art, we will be using our sketch books to develop shading techniques. We will be studying the work of famous artists such as Rene Magritte, producing our own compositions inspired by their work. We will also be exploring sculpture to create the human form out of wire or clay.



R.E.

We will find out why Advent and the theme of light is important to Christians, creating our own Christingles.



English

To develop our non fiction writing skills, we will link to our Science topic this half term. We will explore the amazing human skeleton and write about its three main functions. We will learn how to use technical vocabulary and the importance of making our writing clear and interesting for the reader. We will also be reading and writing poems—getting the chance to recite some off by heart, complete with expression and actions. Finally we will be writing those all-important letters to Santa—practising our new grammar skills as we go!

Computing

In computing, we will be exploring online safety, thinking about what makes a really secure password as well as asking the question: should we believe everything we read on the internet?.

P.E. We will be taking part in the Worcester-shire Virtual Games as we continue to explore healthy lifestyles and fitness in our sessions.

