


Year 3 Spring Term 2 2024 Learning Challenge

Successful Learners	Successful Learners	Successful Learners
<p style="text-align: center;">Areas of Learning</p> <p>As mathematicians we will measure in metres and centimetres. We will measure in centimetres and millimetres. We will find equivalent lengths. We will compare lengths. We will add lengths.</p> <p>As information technologists we will enter data for a graph, produce and share graphs made on the computer and solve a maths question using a graph. We will also use PowerPoint. We will know how to insert a new slide, use animations, and present effectively using PowerPoint.</p> <p>As geographers we will ask and answer geographical questions about the physical and human characteristics of a location. We will describe the key aspects of physical geography, including rivers, mountains, volcanoes, earthquakes and the water cycle. We will describe the key aspects of human geography, including settlements and land use.</p> <p>In R.E we will know that the events of Holy Week reveal what Jesus came to earth to do. We will know that the events of Psalm Sunday, Holy Week and Easter are a combined mixture of the emotions of joy and sadness. We will know the different ways in which the church remembers and marks the events of Holy Week. We will retell the stories of Palm Sunday, Holy Week and Easter.</p>	<h1 style="text-align: center;">What makes a mountain?</h1> 	<p style="text-align: center;">Areas of Learning</p> <p>As writers we will be studying different books and writing our own narrative from these as well as other genres. We will study author's skills and techniques and use this information to improve our own writing. We will focus on using conjunctions, adverbs and prepositions to show time, place and cause.</p> <p>As readers we will continue to read and discuss an increasingly wide range of fiction, poetry, plays, non-fiction and reference or textbooks and read books that are structured in different ways and read for a range of purposes. We will focus on answering different question types effectively.</p> <p>As scientists we will explore how we move our bodies. We will sort bones. We will classify and compare animal skeletons. We will observe the impact of exercise.</p> <p>As musicians we will listen to music and recognise patterns in the sounds we hear. We will revisit and build on the skills we learnt in the autumn term to become more confident in hearing tunes and rhythms, reading notes and composing our own music.</p>
<p>Christian Values</p> <p>This term in school we are exploring the value of <i>Courage</i>.</p> <p>Courage - We will be thinking about why it is important to show courage, even when things get tough. As a class, we will discuss how we can be courageous advocates to make a positive change. <i>'Be of good courage, and he shall strengthen your heart' Psalm 31:24</i></p> <p>Spirituality - This half term, the children will focus on our sense of awe and wonder as we discover the mighty mountains that form our landscape. We will also explore and appreciate the delights of the first signs of spring as they appear in our surroundings.</p>		
<p>Building Learning Powers</p>		
<p>This half term we are going to develop our resourcefulness. By stretching our linking, capitalising and questioning muscles, the children are going to become more independent learners. The children will develop a wider tool kit of strategies to help them, or others around them, when they get stuck with their learning.</p>		

Dear Parents,

We have had a brilliant start to the Spring term already! There is lots of exciting learning to look forward to this half-term.

Reading

Your child will be given a reading book to take home as well as a reading book which is kept in school. Your child should be reading daily at home and recording it in their diaries. In school they will take part in daily reading sessions within their English lessons.

Homework

Homework will be sent home on a Friday and is to be completed by the following Wednesday. This will link to work we have done in class, but children may need your support.

PE

We will be doing PE on Wednesday each week. The Wednesday session is with the sports coach. Please remember to keep your PE kit in school so that it is available for lessons. Could you please check that your child's PE kit has their names in all items to reduce the chance of loss.

Chess

We are lucky to be having chess lessons this half term on a Tuesday afternoon. The children will be taught by an expert which is a brilliant opportunity for them to learn a new skill.

Forest school

Forest school is on a Monday. Children need a pair of wellies or old shoes, and a spare pair of socks in school.

Earrings

Please remember that earrings are not part of our school uniform, and they should not be worn in school.

Thank you for your continued support. Please feel free to come and see me if you ever have any questions, concerns or you simply want to discuss your child's progress.

Miss Shaw

St George's CE Primary School



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