

### History

We will be learning about chronology and timelines, looking at how the history of Britain is divided into sections. We will be focusing on three specific periods, the Stone Age, the Bronze Age and the Iron Age.

We will be learning about what life was like during these times and how daily lives have evolved.

### Maths

To start this term our focus will be on number and place value. We will then be looking at each of the 4 'operations' addition, subtraction, multiplication and division.

We will also be developing the children's skills in reasoning and problem solving.

Recall of times tables and number facts will continue to be a key focus both at school and at home.

### English

In English, we will be using imaginative vocabulary to write a descriptive story as well as writing instruction texts and information texts based on the life of The Celts. We will be concentrating on sentence structure as well as using a wide range of punctuation.

The children will bring home a reading book and weekly spellings to learn. Please help your child by listening to them read each day and helping them to learn their spellings for their weekly test.

### Art

In Art we will be looking at how art can tell a story and how our earliest ancestors used cave paintings to communicate and tell their stories. We will also be using pastels to create different effects and will be learning how to weave like the Iron Age Celts.

## Year 3 Autumn Term Scavengers and Settlers



### Design & Technology

In D&T, we will be using a range of skills to create a shelter using natural resources, explaining why we have chosen certain things. We will also be researching the different materials used in prehistoric times and creating our own prehistoric items.

### Computing

After an introduction to the Computing room, we will be focusing on strengthening our research skills and understanding how to use IT safely.

### R.E

This term we will begin by learning about The Lord's Prayer. We will also be thinking about the importance of prayer to Christians.

### Science

In Science we will be learning about rocks and fossils, looking properties, classifying and investigating the different types of rocks. We will also be learning how fossils formed and how they help us to learn about the past.

### Geography

In Geography we will be discovering significant places where fossils that have shaped our understanding have been found. We will also be looking closer at sites of interest around the U.K.

### Visits & Home Learning Ideas

\*Visit to Butser Ancient Farm on 6<sup>th</sup> November.

\*Home Learning ideas:

\* Research and find out about the discovery of 'Lucy', the world's oldest human ancestor.

\* Research the roles of each family member during each of these eras.