



Geography- Settlement and land use in the UK

In geography this half-term, children will:

- Know how hills and mountains are formed and where they are situated in the UK.
- What a settlement is and why people have chosen to settle in the UK.
- The different counties in the UK.

DT: Seasonal Nutrition

This half-term, children will:

- Explain that fruits and vegetables grow in different countries based on their climates.
- Understand that seasonal fruits and vegetables grow in a given season.
- Understand that eating seasonal fruit and vegetables positively affects the environment.

RE:

Islam Layover Unit

We will be focusing on the follow questions:

- What is God like through an Islamic worldview?
- Why is living in harmony important for Muslims?
- How does someone with a Muslim worldview show their beliefs?
- Why is the Quran important?
- What is the role of Muhammad in Islam?
- Do all Muslims live the same way?

Literacy

Non-Fiction: Non-Chronological Report

We will be writing a non-chronological report about Mythical Creatures. Children will be focusing on subordinate conjunctions, using commas appropriately and the layout features.

Fiction: Narrative based on a different culture

We will be writing our very own narrative based on a famous Italian story, 'Angelina of Italy'. Children will be focusing on using dialogue in their writing, expanded noun phrases and using a range of sentence types.

Science- Rocks and fossils

This half-term, through experiments, children will:

- Be able to identify the different types of rocks and group these correctly through their properties.
- To know how fossils are formed and learn about the discoveries of the English fossil collector Mary Anning.
- Working closely with forest school, year 3 will learn where soil comes from and how to identify the different types.

UK Land and Settlements

Year 3: Autumn 2

MATHS

Addition and subtraction

This term, children will strengthen their addition and subtraction skills by working with numbers that cross tens and hundreds, including two- and three-digit numbers. They'll also learn to estimate, check their answers, and choose the best methods to solve problems confidently and independently.

Multiplication and division

This term, children will also develop their understanding of multiplication and division by exploring equal groups, arrays, and the 2, 3, 4, and 8 times-tables. They'll learn to solve problems using grouping and sharing, build fluency with key facts, and begin choosing efficient strategies to support confident calculation.

PSHE

Celebrating differences

Children will learn to understand and respect each other's differences, helping them build kindness, confidence and positive relationships.

Music

Focus song: Let Your Spirit Fly

Children will learn the song, learn to play some of the tune on a glockenspiel and have a go at some improvisation and composition.