

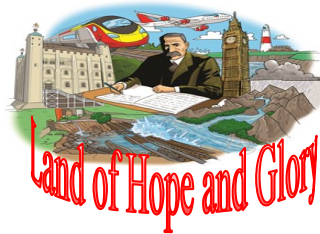
Topic Overview Autumn Year 3

Areas of learning

As scientists we will learn about forces and magnets. We will explore what types of forces there are and how they work in action. Following this we will investigate magnets; how they attract, repel and react to different materials.

As musicians we will study how the influence of the UK in the world, lead Edward Elgar to write a song called 'Land of Hope and Glory'. We will learn the length of musical notes and how we can play these on tuned and untuned instruments.

As geographers we will recap the names of countries and main ports in the UK, that link the UK with other countries. We will use atlases to locate major mountains and mountain regions in the UK and research some amazing places of beauty. We will study the UK's longest and local rivers, including a study of the journey of a river from source to mouth. We will carry out a local study of the River Humber.



English

In English we will be looking at The Iron Man where we will be writing an adventure story. Linked to our pedestrian skills, we will use the Hodgeheg to write a set of instructions on crossing the road safely. We will also be writing a setting description based on the C.S.Lewis novel The Lion, The Witch and The Wardrobe. Furthermore we will explore Fantastic Mr Fox by Roald Dahl and write a letter of innocence.

Maths

In the Autumn term we will be looking at place value where the children will be using hundreds, tens and ones to explore numbers up to 1000. This will be followed by addition and subtraction where we introduce the column method. We will revisit multiplications, division, measures and fractions too!

Community

As responsible members of a community we will be learning about our local rivers and landmarks.

In PSHE we will explore what it means to be part of a community and how to achieve our dreams and goals. We will look at what makes a strong community.

Environment

We will discuss the local environment, topography and the rivers that are in our area.

We will learn how to use ordinance survey maps and practise using these in our local area.

Our pupils will explore the importance of the water cycle and how it supports human life and natural developments.

British Values

As people who understand and uphold British Values we will celebrate

Remembrance Day and learn about significant Landmarks and places in the United Kingdom.

Throughout RE and PHSE lessons we will learn about mutual respect.

Diversity and beliefs

We will learn about the Hindu and Islamic faiths and find out what their key beliefs are.

This will help us to explore diversity, build tolerance for others and gain an insight into different beliefs.

Furthermore we will explore key figures in both faiths and compare how they are similar and different.