


Westgarth Primary School

Autumn Term Curriculum Map - Year 3



Topic Overview - Wonderful World!		English	
<p>The Big Idea... Through our topic 'Wonderful World' we will be exploring our local area and developing our map skills, as well as studying the world around us in all its wonder. Whilst studying the photographer Frank Meadow Sutcliffe, we will learn about what Whitby was like in the past and compare it to now. We are also looking forward to creating some spectacular Christmas Crafts for the return of our Christmas Market!!</p>		<p>As language specialists, we will... Study the use of settings to create atmosphere and to develop narratives. Children will explore senses and how these are reflected in the setting. Then, we will focus upon the features of diaries and letters using feelings and an extended variety of vocabulary to enhance them. In Grammar, we will be looking at word classification, fronted adverbials and conjunctions developing these throughout the term and using them in different genres.</p>	
Mathematics		Science	
<p>As Mathematicians, we will... Continue developing our skills with times tables, diving into the 2, 3, 4, 5 and 10 times tables. We will be exploring place value, ensuring the children have a good basis to progress onto further elements. We will also be focusing upon 2 and 3D shapes, moving onto interpreting bar charts and pictograms.</p>		<p>As scientists, we will study the changing seasons, identifying parts and functions of plants and leaves, understanding what is required to sustain life.</p>	
Geography	History	Computing	Art and Design
<p>As geographers, we will locate our local area on a map of the United Kingdom also identifying the countries that make up the UK. We will study Whitby, developing map skills, noting natural and manmade features as well as the uses of land.</p>	<p>As historians, we will be looking at photographs of Whitby from the past and identifying how the town and aspects of life there have changed over time.</p>	<p>As computing technicians, we will be looking at using the Internet safely and appropriately.</p>	<p>As artists, we will be learning about great artists, architects and designers. We will use our sketch books to develop our ideas based upon our surrounding community, influenced by Frank Meadow Sutcliffe.</p>
RE	Music	Physical Education	Languages
<p>As theologians, we will learn about Hindu beliefs and worship. Then, in the approach to Christmas, we will look at why Advent is important to Christians.</p>	<p>As musicians, we will be looking at rhythm and starting to develop an understanding of the history of music.</p>	<p>As athletes, we will be developing our speed, balance and agility.</p>	<p>As speakers of French, we will be learning greetings and classroom instructions.</p>
PSHE/RSE		Enrichment activities	
<p>In the first half term, we will look at how to behave safely online. During the second half term, we will look at managing emotions and the PANTS rule</p>		<p>Chess sessions, a field trip to Whitby.</p>	