

Year 3 Half Term on a Page: Summer Term 2022 (1)

Dear Parents/Carers,

This is what we will be learning in Year 3 during the first half of the summer term:

Maths - fractions:

- counting in tenths
- finding fractions of a set of objects
- understanding equivalent fractions
- comparing and ordering fractions
- adding and subtracting fractions

Then, starting 'time' (to finish after half term):

- understanding months and years and the numbers of hours in a day
- telling the time to the nearest five minutes and minute

English - 'Leon and the Place Between' by Angela McAllister

In **reading** activities, we will be learning to:

- increase our familiarity with a wide range of books including fairy stories, myths and legends and retelling some of these orally
- discuss words and phrases that capture our interest and imagination
- predicting what might happen from details stated and implied
- drawing inferences such as inferring characters' feelings, thoughts and motives from their actions, and justifying inferences with evidence
- listen and respond appropriately to adults and peers
- participate in discussions, presentations, performances, role play improvisations and debates
- consider and evaluate different viewpoints, attending to and building on the contribution of others

In **writing** activities, we will be learning to:

- plan writing by discussing similar writing previously read, learning from its structure, vocabulary and grammar
- create settings, characters and plot for narratives
- develop creative and imaginative writing by adopting, creating and sustaining a range of roles
- become confident using direct speech
- use and understand paragraphs
- continue to become confident in applying previous SPaG learning (e.g. conjunctions, adverbs and prepositions).

IPC - Island Life

- knowing the seven continents and five oceans
- understanding new geographical vocabulary and the parts of a river
- understanding the water cycle
- how to use maps
- understanding how islands are formed

Kind regards,

Mr Grace