

Year 3

Autumn Term 1

As Readers, we will be reading *Wonder* by R. J Palacio and using this to write character descriptions for displays in our class and in the corridor! We will then read and use *Stone Age Boy* by Satoshi Kitamura.

As Writers, we will be using rich language and our imaginations to write portal stories. We will also be writing a fact file about the Stone Age.

As Mathematicians, we will deepen our understanding of place value by learning to recognize the place value of each digit in a three-digit number. We will also be exploring calculation strategies to strengthen our understanding of addition and subtraction of numbers up to 1000.

As Scientists, we will be investigating the formation of rocks and fossils by exploring their characteristics and unique properties. We will also compare and group together different kinds of rocks based on their appearance and simple physical properties.

As Historians, we will be stepping back in time, to record and chronologically order the major events of the Stone Age.

As Artists, we will be creating our own cave paintings, dot paintings and Aboriginal art using Emily Kame Kngwarreye for inspiration.

As Theologians, we will be exploring how the world began and the differing viewpoints of this in multiple religions.

As Computer Scientists, we will be exploring computer networks.