

YEAR 3 SPRING TOPICS 2017

Numeracy

- Times tables
- Fractions
- Time
- Number operations

PSHE

- Going for Goals
- Good to be me

Literacy

- Non-chronological reports
- Persuasion
- SPAG

PE

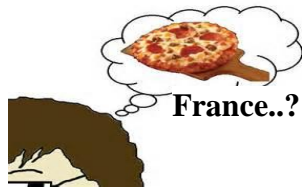
- Invasion games
- Net and wall games

Computing

- Research
- Programming

Science

- Habitats
- Plants



Spring 1

What makes the Mediterranean a good place to go on holiday?

During this topic children will learn about the weather and countries in Europe.

RE

- Christianity

French

- Food
- Commands

Spring 2

Should Talbot Pizza open a shop on Street Lane?

A Creative Curriculum unit linked to our local area and produce. This will incorporate key skills in geography, ICT and DT.

Art/DT

- Painting
- Food

Music

- Exploring arrangements
- Pentatonic scales



Other Useful Information

Independent Reading

Your child will have an opportunity to change their reading book twice a week (Tuesday and Thursday). Please listen to your child read where possible and talk to them about the text. The reading record should be signed by the parent/carer. Daily guided reading sessions will also start this term to support reading in class.

Spellings

Spellings will be sent home on Fridays and the children will be tested the following week. These spellings will contain whole class words as well as a homophone of the week. Please practise these words with your child.

Maths Homework

A small amount of maths homework is set each Tuesday by your child's maths teacher; this homework is due in on the following Friday and should be signed by the parent/carer. Also, please support your child with learning their times tables and the related division facts (little and often works well).

Learning Logs

For each Creative Curriculum topic a series of tasks will be suggested and the pupils will need to complete a number of these over a period of time. The exact details will be in the Learning Logs.

PE Kit

PE kit is needed on Mondays and Wednesdays. Please also make sure that children have a tracksuit for outdoor PE.

Trips and Visits

This term Year 3 will be visiting Pizza Express. This trip will provide the children with an insight into pizza making before they take on the challenge of making their own in school.