

English

Class 3 will begin the spring term by looking at 'The Magic Paintbrush' by Julia Donaldson as we begin a unit of work on stories from other cultures. This will inspire drama and speaking and listening tasks as well as encouraging our comprehension skills and providing us with exciting writing opportunities. We will look at non fiction texts about China.

Art/DT

Our artwork this term is learning techniques such as Batik and weaving. Children will make a basket and table mats using these techniques. In DT, we will look at Dips and Dippers in our food technology unit.



Maths

This term we will be looking at non-standard and standard units of measurement to really get to grips with weight, length and capacity. This will involve a lot of practical work. We will also be learning to calculate money totals and give change. Children will be practising multiplication and division in lessons and on TTrackstars. Each week we take time to review concepts we have already studied this year.

RE

Our RE learning this term focuses on Christianity. We will start by understanding what it means to belong? Later we will be learning about the local saint St. Cuthbert and how he is linked to our local area. At the end of the term we will be learning about Easter.

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PE

This term we take to the dance floor to perform the song 'Fireworks' by Katie Perry. We will be working in groups and partners to deliver these moves. We look forward to performing it at the Dance assembly. We will also be learning to Samba. In spring 2, we will be learning the rules and tactics to play Dodgeball.

History/Geography

In History we will be learning more about St Cuthbert and Durham Cathedral. This term we will visit the cathedral. In geography we will learn about China which is linked with our English text the Magic Paintbrush. We will learn where it is, information about their culture and traditions.



Science

In the first half term we will be focusing on what makes something living and how we know in the unit Living things and their habitats. We will be going on minibeast hunts to learn why they have chosen those habitats.

Computing

This term we will start by learning about how to be safe online in our E-safety unit. After half term we will be using devices to create music in our computing lessons.

Music

This term children will be learning to play the percussion instrument a drum in our drumming lessons.