

Year 3 Term 6 Curriculum Overview

Blean Primary School



Dear Parents and Carers,
Please have a look at our class
curriculum for the coming term...

Learning Together to Enjoy and Achieve

English and Reading

This term, we will explore a range of writing styles, including persuasive writing, poetry, non-fiction brochures and fables. During Guided Reading, we will be reading *The Miraculous Journey of Edward Tulane* and developing our comprehension and discussion skills.

Maths

This term, we will be developing our understanding of money by adding amounts and calculating change. We will learn to tell the time to 5 minutes and to the nearest minute, as well as exploring shape through turns, angles, horizontal and vertical lines and recognising 2D and 3D shapes. In statistics, we will interpret and create pictograms and bar charts.

Science

In Science, we will be revisiting and consolidating our learning from across the year through a range of fun, practical activities. These will include creating helicopter-style seed dispersal models, making edible soil profiles and using shadow puppets to explore our learning about light and shadows.

Computing

Children will explore the links between events and actions, while consolidating prior learning relating to sequencing. They will explore movement within the context of a maze, using design to choose an appropriately sized sprite. They will be introduced to the pen extension block and will be given the opportunity to draw lines with sprites and change the size and colour of lines.

Spanish:

We will be learning picnic food and drink nouns, and how to politely and accurately ask and answer requests. We will also be exploring the culture of Spain, and learning how to ask and answer questions about where we live.

Geography

We will be comparing Spain and the United Kingdom, exploring the similarities and difference of their physical and human features, weather and culture.

RE

We will be revisiting our learning from across the year and using our oracy skills to discuss and demonstrate what we know about different religions and beliefs.

PSHE

This term's unit is 'Changing me'. We will learn about how babies grow, as well as changes in our bodies. We will also think about transition and what we are looking forward to in Year 4.

Music

We will be listening to and appraising different types of Spanish music, linked to our Geography learning.

PE

We will be practicing cricket skills this term. We will also start to work on our athletics skills in preparation for our sports day later in the term.

Our PE days are **Mondays** and **Tuesdays**.

Art

Linked to our Geography, we will be focusing on the abstract art by a Spanish artist, Joan Miro, and an English artist, Mary Webb.

If you have any questions at all, please do drop in and ask.

Thank you,
The Year 3 team.

Home Learning is set on **Thursdays** on Google Classroom to be completed and handed in on **Tuesdays**.

Home learning will be a times tables task, a spelling task and daily reading.

If they wish to, your child may carry out research or a creative project to showcase extra learning in any of the curriculum areas which interest them this term, although there is no obligation to do this. Please complete this extra learning in Home Learning books ready to share with the class at the end of the term.

We are looking forward to seeing you at our **Parent Share on the afternoon of Thursday 9th July**. More details to follow.