

Year 3 Term 6 Curriculum Newsletter

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 be exploring why people migrate. We will be using the different reasons to inspire a variety of writing including persuasive letters, travel guides, stories and poetry. We will be reading 'Running Wild' by Michael Morpurgo using our VIPERS skills to gain a deeper understanding of this story.

Maths

This term we start by recapping our knowledge of money and coins and think about how to add money and give change. We will also recap and build on our learning about shape and will investigate statistics where we will be interpreting, representing and collecting data using pictograms and bar charts.

Science

Our topic is Light. We will clarify sources of light and how darkness is the absence of light. We will explore how light is reflected and how shadows are formed and change throughout the day.

Computing

We will be using Scratch to help us to understand the link between events and actions. We will consolidate our learning relating to sequencing by building a game.

Spanish

We are 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 considering the question 'Why is the Bible important to Christians?'

Music

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

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.

PE

We will continue to develop our Tennis 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 **Tuesdays** and **Wednesdays**.

Art

Linked to our Geography, we will be exploring the work of artists from both Spain and England.

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

Sincerely,
The Year 3 team.

- It is essential that a **named** PE kit, including **trainers**, is in school at all times.
- Please also make sure **all** belongings are named.
- **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 a **Parent Share on the afternoon of 8th July**