

Writing

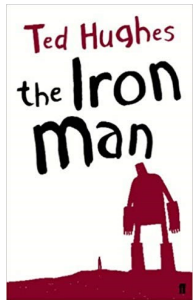
In our writing this term, we will be focusing on a range of genres of writing and we will be using Ted Hughes' *Iron Man* as a stimulus. We will be using the adventures of the Iron Man and Hogarth as a focus for writing and will complete a variety of different genres linked to this.



We are going to focus on :

- Narrative texts
- Character and setting descriptions

We will also focus on standalone literacy skills such as spelling patterns, word classes and grammar activities.



PE

This term, our PE days will be Monday and Wednesday. It is important that children arrive in their PE kits on these days. We will be focusing on gymnastics this half term.



Reading

We have a big focus on reading this year in year 3. In our reading time we will have time for independent reading as well as time for guided reading with Mr Jones and Miss Smith. We will read a variety of texts, covering both fiction and non-fiction. It is important that children develop a love of reading so please encourage any reading possible at home. Encouraging children to re-read favourite stories (regardless of the stories' target age) is a great way to develop this love. Home reader records should be signed and returned to school so that children who read regularly can receive a reward for their efforts.



Welcome to Year 3!

RE

In RE this term, we will be learning about Hinduism: Where and how Hindus worship.



MFL

We will be learning about both the language and culture of France with our specialist teacher - Mme Reynolds.

PHSCE

In our PHSCE this term, we will be using JIGSAW to help us think about 'Being Me' and celebrating our individual identities.

Article 29: Every child has the right to be the best they can be.



Maths

In Maths this term, we will be covering the following areas in great depth. We will learn the concepts and processes used for each before moving into problem solving in these areas.

We will focus on:

- Number- place value
- Number- Addition and Subtraction

We are aware that many of our children have gaps in their learning, and our numeracy teaching will take this into account.



Homework

Every Friday your child will receive a spelling shed list, activities on times tables rockstars and a short piece of work linked to other curriculum areas.

Spellings should not be learned all in one sitting but revisited in short bursts throughout the week.

Homework will be given out via google classroom. If you require paper copies of the homework, please let school know and this can be arranged.