

English:

- Children will be researching their local area, inspired by the text 'A Walk in London'.
- Children will be creating their own brochures, advertising Herne Hill.
- We will be writing poetry about our environment inspired by 'Changing the Guards at Buckingham Palace'.
- We will be performing our poetry from memory.

Computing: Creating Media –Animation

We will be using a range of techniques to create a stop-frame animation using tablets. We will then apply those skills to create a story-based animation.

To make this topic even more relevant, and ensure the knowledge sticks, the children will be going on a trip to the Museum of London and/or a Tour of the Southbank!

Art & Design

- Children will be looking at the Landscape artist Irina Rumyantseva, who is well known for her watercolour paintings of London.
- The children will be focusing on the skill of sketching and using watercolours as a medium.

PE:

- We will be practising throwing and catching skills and invasion game tactics through the sport of rugby.
- We will also be learning dance.

Science:

We will learn:

- how rocks are formed.
- about different types of rocks.
- how to plan and implement scientific investigations, including setting up and fair tests.
- about fossil and soil_formation.

We will be taking part in gardening workshops to support our learning about soil formation.

Music:

Our focus in music this half term is Exploring Sounds and Poetry and using this focus to support us with Music Performance.

RE:

- Children will be learning about Jesus' new commandments and his two greatest commandments.
- Children will be learning about Advent.

Spanish:

We will be building on our learning from Autumn 1 add learning about dates and numbers in Spanish.

Humanities:

We will be learning to:

- Identify different counties within the UK
- Identify human and physical features of London.
- Compare the human and physical features of London with those outside of London.
- Identify London's climate and begin to explain why it has this climate.
- Ask and answer geographical questions.

Maths:

- Children will be focussing on addition and subtraction.
- Children will learn to regroup using a range of resources.
- Children will continue to apply number skills to assist with addition, subtraction and multiplication.

Personal, Health, Social and Citizenship: Celebrating difference

- Children will be learning about what makes us different and what makes us the same and celebrating this.
- We will be learning about bullying.
- We will learn about how to resolve problems.
- We will take part in UK Parliament Week to understand more about our democracy.
- We will be taking part in UK Anti-Bullying Week this half term.



Year 3 - Autumn 2

Living in London