

# Year 3 Stanton Bridge



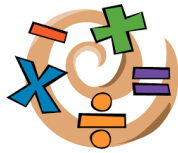
## Vol. 4 Summer Term 1: Core Subjects

Our Staff in Yr3:

Miss. Dhothar, Mr. Christon, Miss. Begum and Miss. Kazcor

### Maths

So far this Term, we have looked into further arithmetic, problem-solving and reasoning. We have noticed a fantastic improvement in children's ability to use and apply the four operations and this has been reflected in some brilliant scores during assessment week!



### Science

In Science, we have been exploring light and shadows. This has provided some great opportunities to learn about the way we see things, how objects are reflected and how shadows are formed/changed.

### English

This term we have split our learning across two key genres: first, a diary entry (written from the perspective of the Big Bad Wolf) and subsequently, a whole-class poem inspired by Roald Dahl's Revolting Rhymes. These two themes have provided a wonderful basis upon which to build the children's understanding of rhyme, language choices and punctuation. We have also been able to analyze and compare different – but similar – texts in-depth.



## Summer Term 1: Foundation Subjects

### Computing

This half term, the children have been debuggers; we have been learning how to debug and re-program malfunctioning algorithms (computer processes). From simple 'bug' fixes to more complex programming, we have used Scratch in order to find issues, correct them and subsequently create new instructional code for a range of purposes. This has encompassed everything from drawing shapes, to reciting times tables to having multiple characters telling jokes!



### DT

In DT, the children have been looking at water carriers. This has included looking at the properties of water carriers and making their own. The children have really enjoyed adapting properties of a given container and giving it various uses.



## Geography

This half-Term, we have been looking at the water cycle. This has allowed us to get a greater understanding of the importance of water, including: the three states of matter, how water is continually reused and recycled and how to clean and treat water so that it is fit for consumption. The children have been surprised to learn that the water we drink today could well have been the same water drunk by dinosaurs millions of years ago!



## PSHCEE

We have been using our P4C to discuss and consider Relationships (including how children can be safe). The children have not only looked into the roles and responsibilities of those around them, but also of who they aspire to be like. We have discussed how to keep safe and the rules which we should follow to do so.

## Physical Education

On Wednesdays, 3C have been going to the AT7 Centre to take part in swimming lessons. Mr. Christon and Miss. Begum are so proud of the way in which the children have represented our school and class and are delighted with the progress they have made. Meanwhile in 3D, the children have been taking part in Yoga to calm the body and mind.



## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

### Religious Education



We have been learning about The Journey of Life in Christianity, Judaism and Hinduism. We have had lovely discussions based on what life is, how people of different backgrounds choose to take various paths in their lives and what our journey of life is.