

Spring term 2- 2017 The Abominables

Literacy

Our class book is The Abominables. We will explore the message that the author is trying to convey throughout the book, focussing on the language used.

We will also be looking at poetry. We will read traditional poems and look to compose our own, looking at rhyming couplets and create a class poetry book. We will also be looking at how emotion is conveyed by certain poets and think carefully about the vocabulary that is selected for effect.

Numeracy

I can recall the multiplication and division facts for the 3, 4 and 8 times tables.

I can recognise and use fractions as numbers: unit fractions and non-unit fractions with small denominators.

I can recognise, find and write fractions of a discrete set of objects: unit fractions and non-unit fractions with small denominators.

I can count up and down in tenths.

I can recognise that tenths arise from dividing an object into 10 equal parts and in dividing one-digit numbers or quantities by 10.

Topic work/History

Year 3 will be looking at the Ice Age. They will learn about the animals that lived during this period, what caused the Ice Age and will discuss the prospect of another Ice Age in the future.

Topic work/Geography

Children will be looking at mountains. Children will use maps to locate mountain ranges and compare geographical features of mountainous regions to where they live.

ART/ DT

Children will look to create sculptures. They will study the work of British sculptor Andy Goldsworthy and look to take inspiration from him to create their own sculptures.

Science

Year 3 will be studying rocks and fossils. They will compare and group together different kinds of rocks on the basis of their appearance and simple physical properties. They will also describe how fossils are formed when things that have lived are trapped within rock.

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Easter

SEAL

Good to be me.

MUSIC

Children will listen to a variety of music from other cultures and pick out the instruments heard.

PE

U.K. Sports & Forest Schools -(Monday)
Indoor game- (Friday)

Year 3 Maple Class

Miss Craig
Mrs Keppel

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