

Class 3 Curriculum Letter

Summer 2017

English: We will be linking our English work to our D&T topic this term. The children will be designing a new product for Willy Wonka and will then be doing some persuasive writing linked to this, including creating an advert for their product. After our persuasive writing unit we will complete a poetry unit and another narrative.

Maths: We are beginning the term by looking at 3D shape as this links well to our D&T project. We will then be going over and extending methods learned in all areas, particularly addition, subtraction, multiplication and division o and applying these to a variety of contexts.

History: We will continue to learn about The Romans for the first few weeks before moving onto a new geography topic which is yet to be confirmed.

Science: We will continue to learn about states of matter for the first few weeks – linking this to the different states of water. We will then move on to learning about plants, learning the names of different parts, what they need to live as well as carrying out a variety of investigative activities.

Design and Technology: The children will be designing and making their own packaging for the sweet/chocolate product they created in English. We will explore different types of packaging before designing and making our own and the children may even have the opportunity to compete for the best product - details to follow later in the term!

Music: The children will continue to have recorder lessons with the Shropshire Music Service as well as completing a separate unit on rhythm this term.

PE: This half term the children will be going swimming every Thursday afternoon up until half term. Their other PE slot will be tennis every Friday morning. Please ensure your child brings their full PE kit to all lessons.

RE: We will be continuing our Salvation topic for the next few weeks before moving onto a topic about creation.

PSHE: We will be discussing changes we may face over this term as well as re-capping work previously done.

Computing: The children will be using ICT to create some packaging linked to our D&T unit.

Spellings: Spellings will continue to be given out on a Friday and will be tested the following Friday as usual. It is important for children to not only learn their weekly spellings but continue to use the strategies they have learned to their independent writing.

Homework: Homework will be given out regularly throughout the term and may be linked to any area of the curriculum. Please continue to read with your child and fill out their reading record regularly. It is also important that your child brings their reading book and record to school each day.

French: In French this term we will be doing a unit on food.

We are looking forward to the term ahead and bringing all of the above to life in the classroom! If you have any questions please do not hesitate to come and see me. Kind regards, Miss Barratt.