

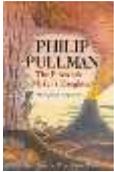
## Curriculum Information

Term 5 2021-22

Year 3 – Herons

### English

We will be reading Philip Pullman: *The Firework Makers Daughter*



In our writing we will be learning to:

- Write a diary entry from a specific point of view.
- Write a newspaper report on Pompeii.

### Maths

We will learn about double-digit multiplication. Before moving on to look at fractions.

We will also continue to learn and consolidate our times tables, including the 4s and 8s.

### Spelling/Phonics

We will continue to practice our individual spellings lists. We will also learn and consolidate our knowledge of suffixes and prefixes



### Rocks Relics and Rumbles

In the Rocks, Relics and Rumbles project, your child will learn about the different layers of the Earth, including plate tectonics and their potential effects on the Earth's surface. They will investigate different types of rock to learn about their uses and properties.

They will also investigate soil and fossils, including learning about the work of Mary Anning. They will have the opportunity to use maps to learn about the lines of latitude and longitude.

They will also learn about volcanoes, earthquakes and tsunamis and the long and short-term consequences that these can have.

**Computing:** We will use desktop publishing software and consider careful choices of font size, colour and type to edit and improve premade documents. We will be introduced to the terms 'image', 'templates', 'orientation', and 'placeholders' and begin to understand how these can support us in making their own template for a magazine front cover.

**History:** In history, we will be learning about Pompeii and the effects Mount Vesuvius. We will also be discussing the impact of significant figures such as Mary Anning.

**Art:** Using the work of Andy Warhol as inspiration, the children will develop their understanding of colour and line.

**Music:** In music this term, we will be looking at disco music. We will listen to and appraise numerous songs, and use the glockenspiel to create a disco song about friendship, peace and hope.

**PE:** In P.E. this term, through the sport of hockey, children will develop their fundamental movement skills. They will focus on striking a ball in a desired direction with accuracy and with varying force.

**RE:** "How can Brahman be everywhere and in everything?"

In this enquiry, the children look at the Hindu beliefs in God and how these beliefs are formed into images and murtis. They consider the stories and symbols and how these beliefs impact their daily life

**French:** In French this term, we will learn the names of different colours and opinions. We will also be exploring gender and learning how to pronounce une and un correctly.

**Science:** The children will Compare and group together different kinds of rocks on the basis of their appearance and simple physical properties.

Describe in simple terms how fossils are formed when things that have lived are trapped within rock. Recognise that soils are made from rocks and organic matter.