

In English we will continue our 'Talk for Writing' approach. We will use 'Stone Age Boy', linking to our topic, to explore character description.

Moving onto instructional writing using 'How to Wash a Woolly Mammoth'. Spelling, punctuation and grammar will be part of our daily basic skills lessons.

In PE, we are going to focus on developing our skills when dribbling, passing and receiving, defending, tackling and shooting in football. Also, in gymnastics we will focus on balance and body tension.

## Art and Design

### Art

Linked to our topic, we will turn ourselves into cave people, using recyclable materials. We will go into our caves, using charcoal to decorate them. We will make our own shields using collaging.

### DT

We will be using equipment and heat safely to make a Stone Age stewed fruit recipe. Yummy!

For the first half of this term, we will be focusing on French and getting to know ourselves. Saying hello and goodbye, answering questions and saying how old we are. We will be working on improving our accents.

## Mathematics

In Maths, we will be focusing on place value and multiplication. We will practise our times tables in lots of different ways to help us recall them. We will be representing numbers in different ways, using number lines and learning how to use column addition. We will continue to work on our reasoning skills, asking lots of questions to aid our learning.

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### A Rocky Past...

On our journey through the Stone Age, we will...

## Religious Education

In RE our key question will be, 'what kind of a world did Jesus want?'

## PSHE

We will continue to follow our Jigsaw scheme of work this term. 'Being me in my world'. We will reflect upon our identify, self-worth and responsibilities from other's perspective.

## Music

In music we will be looking at composition and choosing instruments to make sounds to show emotions. Our rocky theme will see us learning and performing rock songs. The children will look at musical notation.

## Science

In Science, we will be learning about Rocks. We will start looking at what natural and man-made means and sorting rocks based on their properties. We will make our own fossils and learn how they are made. Linking to this, we will research Mary Anning and her discoveries. We will take part in fossil experiments and having fun whilst learning!

## History

## Geography

We will travel back in time to The Stone Age. Looking at the three periods: Palaeolithic, Mesolithic and Neolithic.

We will create timelines, models of ourselves wearing the correct clothing, look at how different their diets were to ours and making our own stone age dioramas. We will explore our topic through role play to, immersing in all things Stone age.

## Computing

The children will be creating their own stone age stories using the one stop animation program. We are looking forward to computing week where we will explore the history of technology, algorithms and databases.

## How you can help

Please continue to read with your child as often as possible, help them to learn their weekly spellings and support them with their times tables. Children can bring in Show and Tell if linked to our topic, writing or number skills. We will continue to have PE lessons on Tuesday and Thursday. Thank you for your continued support.