



Year 3 Spring Term 1

Wonders of the World!

Topic

This half term, we will be going on an adventure to learn more about the wonderful world we live in by exploring the wonders of the world!

Do you know any already?

We will take a deeper look at the 7 continents of the world by exploring certain countries to find out their capital cities, the language that they speak and the food that they eat.

English

The writing that we produce this half term will link to our topic.

We will be writing some poems, a non-chronological report and an information poster about the wonders of the world.

We will also concentrate on our neat handwriting and spellings too.



Maths

This half term we will continue to learn our times tables with a particular focus on the 4, 6 and 8 times tables. We will learn strategies to help us to multiply and divide and identify patterns we can see. Later in the term, we will work on solving problems involving money and also record data in a range of ways.

Science

We will spend this half term exploring light sources. We will investigate how light travels, ways we can keep safe with a variety of light sources and investigate materials which allow light to pass through.

We will then use this understanding to explore how shadows are formed and change throughout the day.

Homework and Reading

Reading-

Children will continue quizzing themselves daily on their reading. Please read at home at least 3 x per week (don't forget to sign the reading record!).

Accelerated Reader quizzes should be taken in school after finishing the book.

Homework- homework books will be handed out every Thursday and must be returned by the following Tuesday so they can be marked.

Spellings- Spellings will be stuck into the back of Reading logs every Monday, ready for a test on Friday.

PE

Our new PE days are **Tuesday and Friday**

Please come to school on these days wearing the correct PE kit- black leggings/joggers, a white T-shirt, black plimsols/trainers and a warm hoodie/jumper.

For weekly news, Pupils of the Week, weekly homework and spellings and much more, visit our Class Page on our Home Learning Site:

bit.ly/nbrenets