## What we are covering this term:

**English:** Newspaper reports, diary entries, Traditional Tales, explanation texts, non-chronological reports and poetry.

**Maths:** Place value, addition and subtraction, multiplication and division, length and fractions.

**Science:** Plants, pollination, seed dispersal, skeletons and magnets.

# **Creative Curriculum: What Makes An Everyday** Hero?

We will be investigating the features of superheroes and reading texts based around the topic. We will search for real-life superheroes and discuss why they are special. The children will be encouraged to think of their own superhero and complete explanations about their creation.

# Creative Curriculum: Where are we going wrong?

In the second half of the term, we will investigate Traditional Tales in detail. We will link learning about animals, habitats and diets to our work. Our main creative curriculum focus will be on rainforests. The children will also create their own shelters for characters from Traditional Tales.

If you have any questions or concerns please do not hesitate to talk to us or make an appointment at the office.

Thank you.



Welcome to Year 3

Autumn Term 2022/2023

Term Dates 7.9.22 - 23.12.22 Half-term holiday 24.10.22- 28.10.22 Christmas Performance- tbc

### Welcome to Year 3

The members of our teaching team are:

Phase Leader:	Ms West
Class teachers:	Mr Barker Miss Chaudry
Support staff:	Mrs Walker, Mrs Ahmed and Miss Smibert

#### Organisation

- Gates open at 8:35am and close at 8:55am
- Classroom doors open at 8.45am
- Late arrivals must report to the office
- Lunch time is from 12:00pm until 1:00pm
- Home time is at 3:15pm when children are collected from the yard

**Uniform** – All children are expected to wear a white shirt or polo shirt, grey or black trousers or skirt, white socks, (tights should be plain navy, grey or black), a red or blue sweatshirt and black school shoes. Headscarves, if worn, should be shoulder length, in plain black, blue or red. Selected items can be purchased from the school office.

**P.E. and Forest School** is on a **Wednesday.** Children need to wear their red school P.E. t-shirt, black shorts or leggings, school hoodie or plain black hoodie and trainers from home. Tracksuits can be worn in colder weather. New P.E. t-shirts can be bought from the office for £4.50, hoodies are £10.50.Children should **not** wear jewellery.They should bring wellies with names on in a bag. This term, **Miss Chaudry's class** will be **swimming on a Wednesday afternoon**.They will need a swimming costume or swim shorts and a towel.

### **Classroom Rules**

- Keep hands, feet and objects to yourself
- Respect everyone and everything
- Listen to the speaker without interrupting
- Do not stop others from working
- Always follow instructions from members of staff

### Homework

Your child will be given homework every week. It is important for their learning that it is completed every week online. We are still continuing to use Seesaw as our main learning platform.

Homework may include English, Maths or Creative Curriculum based work.

Spellings: On Seesaw weekly

**Reading:** Children will be expected to have their reading folder in school each day, library books will be swapped every Monday

#### Clubs

Club letters will be sent out separately.

Information is also available in the school entrance hall and on the school website.