# Spring one in Year 3

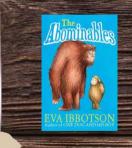


# English

#### <u>Poetry</u>

Pupils will learn how to write their own Limerick poem linked to the model text, 'There was a man.' Throughout the writing journey, pupils will learn how to use a range of skills such as conjunctions to ensure their writing flows. In addition to this, they will learn how to make a poem rhyme and will be exploring different rhyming schemes throughout.

# We are reading...



#### Reading

Pupils will be studying the book, 'The Abominables'.
During this time, children will develop their reading fluency through strategies such as echo reading and choral reading. They will improve their ability to retrieve information from the text and make inferences based on evidence.

# Maths

#### Further Multiplication and Division

Pupils will cover multiplying by a 2-digit number. The first few lessons look at decomposing a number into tens and ones so that the multiplication is easily managed, and pupils can see the concept using Base 10 blocks. Lessons move onto multiplying where regrouping is necessary before pupils start to look at division. Decomposing numbers is critical in making both multiplication and division manageable for pupils and this is practised throughout the Chapter. Once pupils master multiplication and division, they focus on solving problems using the multiplication and division methods dealt with in previous lessons.

#### Length and Mass

Pupils will learn to measure different items using centimetres, metres and kilometres. They will also be able to convert different units of measurement as well as compare different lengths. Then they will move onto looking into mass, pupils look at different units to measure mass, specifically grams and kilograms. They will become well-versed in reading weighing scales that have different values for each marking.

### Art

#### Ammonite

This project teaches children about artistic techniques used in sketching, printmaking and sculpture. This project links to the pupils' Geography project, Rocks, relics and rumbles.'

#### Rocks, Relics and Rumbles

This project teaches children about the features and characteristics of Earth's layers, including a detailed exploration of volcanic, tectonic and seismic activity. Pupils will learn about the features of volcanoes and how volcanoes are formed.

#### Rocks

Pupils will be linking their Science projects with Geography where they will look further into the different types of rocks sedimentary, igneous and metamorphic. They will be comparing, and grouping rocks based on their appearance, properties or uses.

#### Music

This unit is continuing learning and playing the recorder with Mr Flint. The pupils are going to continue to learn different notes on the recorder and to play tunes with Variant degrees of difficulty.

# PSHE

#### Dreams and goals

Pupils will learn aspirations, dreams and goals give a sense of purpose. Setting sensible, achievable but Challenging goals Can help us to learn new skills, step out of our comfort zone and feel proud of our achievements along the way. A positive attitude and a growth mindset are necessary to successfully achieve our goals.

# Computing

#### Creating Media-

Pupils will use a range of techniques to create a stop-frame using tablets. Next, they will apply those skills to create a story-based animation. This unit will conclude with learners adding other types of media to their animation, such as music and text.

# PE

<u>Team building</u>—Pupils will develop their verbal. and non-verbal Communication skills and their ability to work as part of a team under pressure. Children will work together to apply a plan.

<u>Invasion games 4-</u> Children will learn skills such as how to travel with a ball, how to track opponents, how to defend a zone and how to create space when attacking.