

Year group: 3

Time Allocation: 1/2 term

Date: Spring Term 1

Teachers: Mrs Robertson

English:

We will be using *Nen and the Lonely Fisherman* by Ian Eagleton to inspire our diary writing. We will be exploring perspective before writing independently from the viewpoint of Nen.

Reading:

In 'Whitley Reading' sessions we will be developing our **Vocabulary**, **Inference**, **Prediction**, **Explanation**, **Retrieval**, and **Sequence/Summarising** skills using the text, *Earth's Shattering Events* by Robin Jacobs.

Maths:

In multiplication and division, we will be working on our x-table knowledge in a variety of contexts. We will also be working on written methods of multiplication and division that predominantly use partitioning. We will also learn how to measure in mm, cm and metres.

Science: Animals including humans

We will be investigating different food groups and types of nutrition. We will be finding out about different types of skeletons and naming bones. We will learn about the main functions of the skeleton and how muscles work. We will be working scientifically to set up a simple experiment, make modifications, record results and write an explanation of our findings.

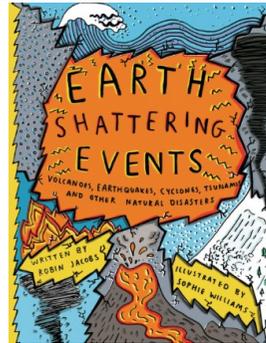
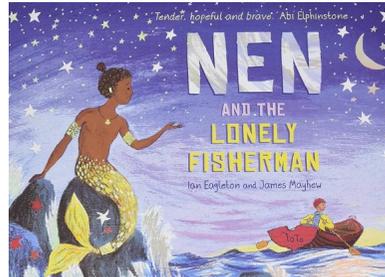
RE:

In RE we will be exploring the question: "What does it mean to be a Hindu in Britain today?" We will learn about what is important to Hindus by exploring their faith, key beliefs, celebrations, and practices. As part of this, we will also be visiting a Hindu temple to deepen our understanding and experience Hindu worship and community life firsthand.



**Let Your Light Shine
Matthew 5:16**

Our Core Books



Core Value:

Love

1 John 4:19
'We love, because God first loved us.'

Geography-Volcanoes and Earthquakes

We will learn about volcanoes and earthquakes, exploring where they are found in the world and why they occur. We will investigate how these natural events affect people and the environment, and compare different locations around the globe.

Art and Design-Drawing: Developing drawing skills

We will be developing shading skills and drawing techniques to create botanical-inspired digital drawings.

PE:

We will be working with an NUFC school coach to work on our attacking and defending skills by playing team games. Our PE days are on a Tuesday and Friday.

MFL:

In French, we will be learning *les animaux* using the Language Angels programme. Children will develop their listening and speaking skills as they learn to recognise, say and use animal names in simple phrases.

Music:

As musicians we will continue to learn how to play the cornet and explore famous musicians.

PSHE/RSE:

Our PSHE focus will be 'Keeping Myself Safe'. We will be learning to manage risks in real life as well as learn how to stay safe online.

Computing- : Coding

We will explore a new programming environment and identify that each sprite is controlled by the commands chosen. We will explain that a program has a start and recognise that a sequence of commands can have an order.