

# Welcome to Summer 2 in Year 3

Here is a brief summary of what we will be learning this term.

As writers, we will be learning to write discussion texts based on the model *Tv or not TV, that is the question?* We will be focusing creating topic sentences and balanced arguments.

In grammar, we will be extending a range of sentences with more than one clause by using a wider range of conjunctions.

In spelling we are focusing on suffixes and prefixes and the use of the possessive apostrophe.

In handwriting we will continue to learn the letter joins with an increase in flow and fluency.

In reading we will be exploring **THE BOOK OF BEES** by **PIOTR SOCHA**. Our big investigative questions are: What do you know about bees? And what role do bees play in pollination?

As mathematicians we will be focusing on time, shape and measures. We will be measuring accurately using unit measures. We will also be looking at statistics focusing on pictograms, bar charts and two-way tables.

In RE, we will be learning about sacred books. We will be reflecting on what makes books sacred to them and about sacred books in a range of religions.

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As scientists we will be learning about life cycles. We will be exploring the parts of plants, looking at how they reproduce and the process of pollination.

In computing, we will be continuing our programming learning. In this unit we will be learning to control and move a sprite around a maze, adding additional features and debugging problems.

In PSHCE, our theme is changing me. In this unit we will be learning about how we change as we grow older; including both physical and emotional changes.

In French, we are learning the names of 2D shapes- circle, square, triangle, oval and rectangle.

This term our DT is linked to our science learning about plants. We will be designing and making mini greenhouses using a variety of cutting and joining techniques.

As Geographers, we will be learning about the importance of recycling and the effect that we can have on our planet.

In PE, we will be focusing on the health and fitness cog of our REAL PE, which means we will be focusing on the effect exercise has on our bodies and the importance of warming up and cooling down.

As musicians, we will be composing using traditional rhythms and learning traditional songs.

Our new Class Book is:



Our PE days are: Thursday & Friday  
**No earrings.**

