

## Maths

We will be exploring place value, addition and subtraction this term. Reading, writing and representing numbers upto 1000, comparing numbers, finding 10 or 100 more or less than a given number. We will look at adding multiples of ten to three digit numbers, estimating answers and using the inverse to check. Every Friday we have a times tables challenge, where children will be able to show off their times table knowledge.

## Music

Violin – Our peripatetic teacher, Mrs Patterson, will be back to teach the children in Asia class. Europe will create compositions inspired by classical music.

## Science

The children will learn about rocks and soils. The world under our feet! How rocks are created; the different types and how they become eroded. They will become familiar with the rock cycle.

## Collective Worship

Our value this term is courage. We will hear stories about courage and reflect on how this value can improve our classrooms, school and society.

## Asia and Europe Classes

### Year 3- Term 1

### Passport to Mexico!



## Spanish

This term we will be learning greetings and numbers.

## ICT

The children will become mini coders and explore the world of Scratch, creating algorithms to control Sprites and getting them to follow simple commands.

## Geography

Mexico-where it is in the world, its wildlife, farming and significant physical features. We will learning about its culture and cities.

## PSHCE

Rules, rights and responsibilities, what are they, and how they help us. Drawing up a class charter, to ensure that we are working harmoniously.

## RE

Hinduism- we will explore the festival of Diwali and look at how celebrating it, helps Hindus to feel part of a group.

## English

Information texts-features of information texts, researching and making notes, writing an information text.

Stories from other cultures-learning a story, changing the details and using the plot to write a tale of their own.

## Spellings

The children will bring home a spelling sheet and have a test on Friday. There are 10 spellings, taken from our new scheme 'Spelling Shed'. Each sheet has an activity on the reverse side.

## P.E

The children will be back in the water, developing their front crawl, trying out synchronised swimming techniques and if time playing water polo.