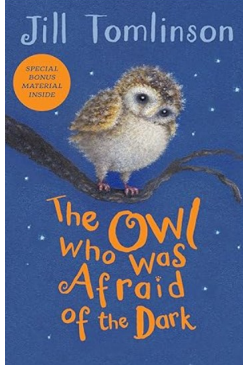




# YEAR 3



## Autumn 1 Term Newsletter



### English



Year 3 will be reading *The Owl Who was afraid of the dark.*

The sequence of lessons will build on the skills and knowledge needed to write a simple sentences. Using facts that we will learn about lives of owls.

Year 3 will be working really hard on their handwriting, spellings and continuing to learn new skills to enhance their writing.



### Maths

We will be following the Power maths programme, which challenges and stretches children's thinking and skills in mathematics. The units we will cover this term include:

#### Place Value

Counting in 10's and 100's

Using numberlines

The value of numbers over 100

We will be using **TTRocks** to practice times tables. Log ins will be sent home in reading diaries.

### Science

Our science unit for the Autumn term will be about 'Rocks'.

This unit will build on work from previous topics and deepens the children's understanding of rocks and how they are formed.

Comparing rocks appearances and properties. Looking at how fossils and soil are formed.



During the afternoon sessions children will be taught:

History - Stone Age

Computing - Organising, Creating and Presenting

Re - Islam - Does praying at regular intervals help Muslims in their every day life?

JIGSAW - Being Me In The World

Music - Ukulele

MFL - Greetings

Our whole school 'Core Value' this term is **TEAMWORK**.

Please bring into school any certificates/trophies achieved in out of school clubs to celebrate in assembly.



### PE is every Tuesday

- Our focus this half-term will be CREATIVE. The children can link ideas and develop sequences of ideas and sequences of movements that express my own ideas.

For all PE sessions please remember to remove earrings and send children with their water bottles.



Weekly homework will be set on **LBQ** on a **Friday**, also

**SPELLINGS** will be set for the children and sent home every week. The children will have a spelling test every Friday.

**Reading books** and diaries should be taken home every night to read with parents. Can children bring their reading books into school every day.