



# Holy Family Catholic Primary School

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Autumn Term 2022 curriculum information for parents

Classes: Year 3

Teacher: Miss Czarnecka

This term we will be learning about: Through the Ages

<p><b>Mathematics</b></p> <p>This term the children will be looking at place value, addition, subtraction, multiplication and division. The children will be looking at numbers up to 1000 and being able to find 1, 10 or 100 more and less. They will also be learning how to add and subtract 3 digit numbers by 3 digit numbers. As well as being able to multiply and divide by 3's, 4's and 8's</p>	<p><b>Geography</b></p> <p>This essential skills and knowledge project teaches children to locate countries and cities, and use grid references, compass points and latitude and longitude. They learn about the layers of the Earth and plate tectonics and discover the five major climate zones. They learn about significant places in the United Kingdom and carry out fieldwork to discover how land is used in the locality.</p>	<p><b>RE</b></p> <p>This term we will be learning about the Christian Family. The children will be able to explain that they all belong to a family and will think about how they can help our family. The children will reflect on how the family of the Church helps us and think about what the Sacrament of Baptism does for us. Later this term, the children will learn about Mary, Mother of God. The children will learn about the Mystery of Incarnation and understand that Advent is a time to prepare to celebrate the birth of Jesus.</p>
<p><b>English</b></p> <p>This half-term the children will be reading 'Stig of the Dump' by Clive King. At the beginning of September, the children will be learning how to plan and write a powerful narrative using new vocabulary. We will also be investigating what makes a good sentence and what its essential parts are. We will revisit grammatical vocabulary, including a subject, a verb, a conjunction and a clause. We will be learning to extend our sentences using a range of coordinating as well as subordinating conjunctions.</p>	<p><b>History</b></p> <p>This project teaches children about British prehistory from the Stone Age to the Iron Age, including changes to people and lifestyle caused by ingenuity, invention and technological advancement.</p>	<p><b>Spanish</b></p> <p>This year, the language that we are learning as a school is changing from French to Spanish. In addition to the change in language, we are having our MFL lessons taught by trained Spanish teachers, who will be teaching the children weekly. This will be taught every Wednesday.</p>
	<p><b>PSHE</b></p> <p>Created and Loved by God explores the individual. Rooted in the teaching that we are made in the image and likeness of God, it helps children to develop an understanding of the importance of valuing themselves as the basis for personal relationships</p>	<p><b>DT</b></p> <p>This project teaches children about food groups and the Eatwell guide. They learn about methods of cooking and explore these by cooking potatoes and ratatouille. The children choose and make a taco filling according to specific design criteria.</p>
	<p><b>Science</b></p> <p>This project teaches children about the importance of nutrition for humans and other animals. They learn about the role of a skeleton and muscles and identify animals with different types of skeleton.</p>	<p><b>Art</b></p> <p>This project teaches children about colour theory by studying the colour wheel and colour mixing. It includes an exploration of tertiary colours, warm and cool colours, complementary colours and analogous colours, and how artists use colour in their artwork.</p>
<p><b>PE</b></p> <p>This year PE will be taught by a team of PE specialists who will be planning, teaching and assessing the children. Our specialists have changed from last academic year and will be Sportacus.</p>		<p><b>Online learning:</b></p> <p><a href="https://student.readingplus.com/seereader/api/sec/login">https://student.readingplus.com/seereader/api/sec/login</a>  <a href="https://readingeggs.co.uk">https://readingeggs.co.uk</a> <a href="https://ttrockstars.com">https://ttrockstars.com</a>  <a href="https://www.sumdog.com/en/">https://www.sumdog.com/en/</a></p>
<p><b>Ways to help you child:</b></p> <p>Read with your child every night  Test them on their spellings daily to ensure that they learn them  Allow them time to use Reading Plus as often as possible</p> <p>Allow them time to use Timetable Rockstars as often as possible  Allow them time to use Sumdog as often as possible</p>		