

Year 3 Spring Term 1 2017 - Theme: Heroes and Villains

PE

Dover - Mondays/
Wednesdays

Arundel - Wednesdays/
Thursdays

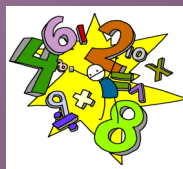


Computing

Designing, writing and debugging programs to accomplish specific goals. Use logical reasoning to detect and correct errors in programs.

Mathematics

- Add and subtract amounts of money to give change, using both £ and p in practical contexts.
- Measure, compare, add and subtract: mass (kg/g); and capacity (l/ml).
- Measure the perimeter of simple 2-D shapes.
- Recall and use multiplication and division facts for the 3, 4 and 8 multiplication tables.
- Recognise, find and write fraction of a discrete set of objects.
- Recognise angles as a property of shape.



Science

- To compare movement on different surfaces.
- Notice that some forces need contact between 2 objects.
- Observe how magnets attract or repel each other and how they act on different materials.



Theme

We are learning about the fictional heroes and villains of Star Wars (Episode IV New Hope). What makes Darth Vader such a good villain? We will debate whether he is the worst villain ever or are the actions of others worse? We will interview him and write a biography of his life so far. We will invent new heroes and villains to change this fictional story far far away.



R.E

Reflecting on the concept of freedom and what it means to us. Looking also at freedom in Judaism and the story of Moses.

PSHE

In PSHE we are thinking about friendship, what makes us happy or sad and how to resolve differences.

English

- Comic Strip - to tell the story of the man being robbed by the Highwayman using punctuated speech and time conjunctions.
- Spooky/ghostly setting descriptions using a variety of sentences.
- Wanted Poster - Character description (Highwayman) using prepositions.
- Newspaper reports - using organizational features and sentence openers to retell events in the Highwayman poem.
- How to be a Highwayman guide - our final piece applying all the skills we have been learning.

Dear Parents and Carers,

This term we will be looking into historical, fictional and present day heroes and villains. This half term we will learn about the fictional heroes and villains of Star Wars (Episode IV New Hope).

**WELCOME
BACK**



How Parents/Carers can help at home...

Daily reading - it is important that the children continue to read regularly at home and that this is recorded in their reading logs.

Time tables - In Year 3 the children need to know their 3, 4 and 8 times tables.

Spellings - Spelling homework will continue to go home every week. Please make sure these are practised.

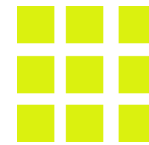
Homework - Maths and English homework alternate every week. Handed out on Wednesdays and collected in on Mondays.

PE - PE Kits needed in school on Wednesdays.

Open Classrooms:

Maths open classroom: Thursday 26th January 9:00-10:00

Project open classroom: Thursday 16th February 3.00pm



Nine Acres Primary School

Spring Term 1

Year 3 Team

Mrs Scott



Miss Abrook



Mrs Wiltshire



Mrs Campbell



Mr Yates



Mr Reynolds



Parent Information Leaflet



Learning to be your best!