


**How you can help at home:** By reading each week with your child as well as practising weekly spelling lists that will be sent home. Children should learn multiplication and division facts for the 3,4, 6 and 8 times table and so it would be great if you could rehearse these at home too.

**Homework** Weekly spelling test along with Reading books. Children will also be given Maths work such as learning times tables.

<p><b><u>Literacy</u></b>          Fox by Margaret Wild and Rob Brooks          Orion and the Dark - Emma Yarlett          The Sound Collector - Roger McGough          The Owl Who Was Afraid of the Dark</p>	<p><b><u>R.E.</u></b>          Journeys          Listening and Sharing          Giving All</p>	<p><b><u>Science</u></b>          This term we will be looking at and investigating:  <b><u>Light</u></b>  <b><u>Animals Including Humans.</u></b></p>
<p><b><u>Numeracy</u></b>          Multiplication and division          Mass          Problem Solving involving all four operations          Length          Volume          Money</p>	<p><b>Spring Term</b></p>  <p><b>Year 3</b></p>	<p><b><u>Computing</u></b>          Topics to be covered this term are:          Class Democracy          Big Robots</p> <p>Children use iPads and tablets during foundation and core subjects.</p> <p>They will also engage in specialist sessions run by Knowsley CLC staff who come into school to visit throughout the year.</p>
<p><b><u>Art/Design</u></b>          Self Portraits.          Inspired by Frida Kahlo a Mexican artist who used lots of colour.</p>		<p><b><u>Drama</u></b>          Children create and act out their own role-plays during R.E. and Literacy lessons.          They will also have the chance to perform during our poetry units of work.</p>
<p><b><u>P.E.</u></b>          Dance, Tag Rugby, Gymnastics, Netball          PE will be on a Monday and Tuesday this term. Children will need to bring in their full PE kit plus their trainers on a Monday.</p>	<p><b><u>Trips and Visits</u></b>          Visit to Kirby Art Gallery.</p>	<p><b><u>Music</u></b>          Exploring rhythmic patterns          Exploring arrangements          As part of our 'Wider Opportunities', children will be taking part in additional, weekly recorder lessons.</p>
<p><b><u>History</u></b>  <b><u>Bronze Age and Iron Age Britain</u></b>          How did life change in Britain as people discovered how to use new metals.</p>	<p><b><u>FRENCH</u></b>          Children will begin by learning how to introduce themselves in French. We will look at counting up to 20, as well as learning the names of colours, animals and days of the week.</p>	<p><b><u>Geography</u></b>  <b><u>Where in the World?</u></b>          Comparing globes and maps.          Learning about important lines of longitude and latitude.</p>
<p><b>SMSC</b>  <b>Relationship and Sex Education</b> children know and understand the virtues essential to friendship. <b>Healthy Relationships</b> Children to explore and learn how to cope with conflicts. How should we resolve our problems? <b>No Outsiders in our School</b> To understand how difference can affect someone. To understand what discrimination means. To find a solution to a problem. Use strategies to help someone who feels different. To be welcoming. <b>SEAL Good to be me.</b> Understanding feelings. Self-awareness. Making correct choices. Managing my feelings. Assertiveness.</p>		<p><b>DT</b>  <b><u>Great British Bake Off</u></b>          Children will be learning about the history of bread production. They will evaluate types of bread from around the world before designing and baking their own bread product.</p>