

Heron AUTUMN TERM SECOND HALF CURRICULUM LEARNING OVERVIEW

Dear Parents/Carers,

Please read for further information about your child's learning for this half term. Class Dojo and Twitter will be used to showcase learning along with additional curriculum information. Our PE day is every Tuesday. Forest school will be on Wednesday for all this half term.

Thank you for your support,
Miss Wilkins, Miss Ryan and Mrs Bartlett

English – Key Learning

This half term Year 3 will be focusing on: **writing biographies about Mary Anning, non-chronological reports on pre-historic creatures and looking at the book 'Stone Age Boy', which we shall do some narrative writing about.**

Key Grammar objectives are:

- Adjectives
- Subordination
- Coordination
- Nouns
- Expanded noun phrases
- Statements, questions, exclamations and demands

Reading: We will be reading our class books; 'Pirate Pug', 'Game of Stones' and 'Molly Rogers to the Rescue'.

Useful Websites

- [PhonicsPlay - Resources](#)
- [Phase 3 phonics - KS1 English - BBC Bitesize](#)

Maths – Key Learning

This half term, Herons will be focusing on **addition and subtraction**. We will continue to improve our **mental recall of addition and subtraction**.

Children will need to understand:

- Number bonds to 10 and 20
- Partitioning two-digit numbers
- Adding 1's to a two digit number
- Adding 10's to a two digit number
- Subtracting 1's from a two digit number
- Subtracting 10's from a two digit number

Useful Websites

- <https://www.topmarks.co.uk/Search.aspx?Subject=16>
- <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/zs6j4xs>

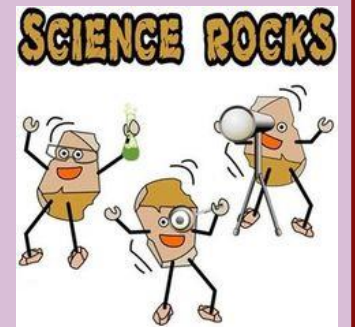
Science – Key Learning

This half term Year 3 will be learning about rocks. We will learn about:

1. **Different types of rocks**
2. **How rocks are formed**
3. **Permeability**
4. **Fossils**
5. **Soil**

Useful Websites

- <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/z9bbkqt>



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How can you help?

- Please ensure your child attends school on time. Gates open from 08:45. Any child who arrives to school after 09:00 will be recorded as late and will miss their teacher input.
- Hear your child read and complete their daily reading journal. Books will be changed regularly.
- The homework expectation is that Maths and Grammar homework is completed every week (for 10 minutes each) and to complete Pixl Timestables and SpellingShed (or Phonics Play) twice a week for 10 minutes.

French – Games and Songs.

[French Numbers 0 to 20
\(frenchspanishonline.com\)](https://www.frenchspanishonline.com)

History – The Stone Age.

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/z82hsbk>

Music – Playing the glockenspiel.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=09hA0kPXuFE>

PSHE – What keeps us safe.

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/znhmwty/articles/z66d47h>

Computing – We will learn how to create our own Stop Motion Animations.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4YcOZ7SpyTA>

RE – Diwali

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/clips/zmwmpv4>

PE – Gymnastics – jumping and landing.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=fjm3TtSScHg>

DT – Creating stone age homes.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=6w22To4jQn0>

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