YEAR 3 Curriculum Information

Autumn First Half Term



Valley Primary School

Growing and Learning together to be the best we can be!
ASPIRE...ENJOY...ACHIEVE...
CHALLENGE!

SCIENCE AND COMPUTING

SCIENCE

- -Compare and group different rocks.
- -Describe how fossils are formed.
- -Recognise that soil is made from rocks and organic matter.

COMPUTING

- Learn to create algorithms and refine a program
- Control a simulation



ENGLISH

Text: Gregory Cool by Caroline Binch and Mouse Bird Snake Wolf by David Almond

Writing genres and Key Focuses:

- -Instruction writing
- -Adventure story writing
- -Correct letter formation and sizing
- -Time connectives
- -Punctuation and capital letters



SMSC

Our Value this half term: Responsibility
Our Life Skill this half term: Mental Health

P.S.H.E

- Setting our own targets for learning
- Rules and how they make us focus

<u>R.E.</u>

- Hinduism - Would celebrating Diwali at home and in the community bring a feeling of belonging to a Hindu child?

MATHS

Key Instant Recall Fact: To know number bonds for all numbers up to 20.

Maths Focus Areas:

- -Read, write, represent and compare numbers to 1000.
- -Add and Subtract numbers mentally including 3 digit numbers with ones, tens and hundreds.
- -Add and Subtract numbers with up to 3 digits, using formal written column methods.

Times Tables Rock Stars Focus:

-Consolidate x2 x5 x10 and introduce x3.

TOPIC

ART

- Design jewellery based inspired by the Stone Age, using clay and paint to create natural looking materials.

<u>HISTORY:</u>

Enquiry Question: How did life change in Britain during the Stone Age?

- Investigate the biggest discoveries that were made during the stone age.

WIDER CURRICULUM

P.E

- Fundamentals
- Ball Skills

MUSIC

– Learn the difference between pulse and rhythm and $\ensuremath{\mathsf{sing}}$ in unison

M.F.L.

- Learn how to introduce ourselves, say our age and count to 12 in French