



Queen Eleanor Primary School  
YEAR 3 CURRICULUM NEWSLETTER  
Summer Term 2009

LITERACY

In Literacy, Year 3 are learning about myths and legends. We are reading a range of stories to find common features and we will be writing our own stories in the coming weeks.

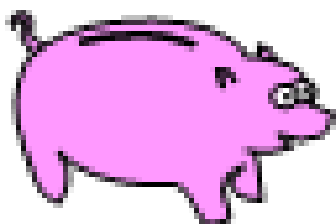
We will be looking at different play scripts and poetry.

We will also be continuing to do weekly guided reading sessions.

Numeracy

In Numeracy we will be learning about money, time and measures.

We will also be recapping written methods of calculations and extending our learning across all areas of numeracy.



MUSIC

We will be making our own instruments and using them to produce our own island music.



PSHE

Year 3 will be working on team building and setting personal targets for the rest of year 3 and into year 4.

We will also be working on the SEAL (Social, emotional aspects of learning) units

P.E & GAMES

Year 3 will be taking part in a range of outdoor and adventurous activities. We will be using maps and working together to solve physical problems.

We will also be learning about athletic events. Please could the children have their PE kit with them on Monday and keep it in school through the week.

TOPIC

Throughout this term year 3 will be doing work on Discovery. The topic will mainly focus on science and art.

We will be learning about the bones in a human body, forces and how to survive on a desert island.



We will also be learning about famous explorers and finding out about the routes that they followed and the countries that they discovered. We will also be learning about environmental issues throughout the world.

We will be looking at religions around the world throughout the term.

HOMEWORK

This will be set on a Wednesday for handing in the following Monday. Weekly spellings will be given out on a Monday and tested the following Friday. Your child will be given a sheet to practice their spellings each day.

Children are also encouraged to read at home on a daily basis for at least 10 minutes. Your support in sharing a book with your child is greatly appreciated. Please can you ensure that their reading book is brought into school each day?



ICT

We will be using digital recording equipment to make our own films about the topic work that we will be doing.

