



St Anne's Catholic Primary School

Loving & Learning together in Harmony with Christ

'Love one another, just as I have loved you.'

(John 13:34-35)



English:

Year 3 we will continue to look at the 'Iron Man'. Exploring different characters within the book and if our opinions of characters change over time. We will be exploring the use of direct speech in our writing, including the use of adverbs to describe how things are being said. Following this, we will be delving into a new book and will practise applying the skills we learn in our grammar lessons to our writing.

Year 4 we be exploring 'Alice in Wonderland'. We will be focusing on a certain scene from the book and comparing it to the Disney film. Children will then look at a model play script, draft and edit their own before completing the final piece. Towards the end of the term, we will be exploring Dr Seuss 'Fox in Socks'. Creating our own tongue twister poetry.

MFL - French:

Year 3 will be learning about colours, playground games and instructions and how Easter is celebrated in France.

Year 4 will be exploring 'the carnival of animals' and learning about parts of the body. Children will also identify and produce singular and plural nouns.

Music:

In Year 3 pupils will be starting to play the Ukulele and learning the names of the chords and how to read them in sheet music.

In Year 4, pupils will be continuing with the glockenspiels and learning to read music.

Physical Education:

Years 3 and 4 will both focus on dance this half term: sequencing movements, listening to various music from around the globe and creating their own dances.

Maths:

Y3 – Year 3 are learning all about length and perimeter this half term, they will be comparing, adding and subtracting lengths and then measuring the perimeter of 2D shapes. We will then be moving on to look at fractions of shapes and numbers.

Y4 - We will be continuing with fractions for the first 3 weeks. Moving on to look at adding and subtracting fractions and finding fractions of amounts. Then we will begin to explore decimals within place value, what is a decimal and sequencing decimals.

Science:

Y3- 'Light and Shadows'. Children will explore the differences between light sources and light reflectors, and will sort these into two groups. They will be able to describe how shadows are formed and will explore the relationship between light, objects and the formation of shadows.

Y4 – 'Electricity'. Children will identify common appliances that run on battery and mains electricity, and name some appliances that do the same job but are operated manually. They will learn the names and functions of simple electrical components including batteries, bulbs, buzzers, wires and switches.

LKS2 How long does the ferry take to cross the Mersey?



Computing:

Y3- This half term we will be focusing on Algorithms. Exploring the best route for a postman to take.

Y4 – This half term we will be focusing on effective searches, whilst developing our Coding knowledge.

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Impact Activity (Art/DT): Year 3 and 4 will be designing and building a boat out of different materials to test, which is the best to use to in water.

History/ Geography:

We will use world maps, google earth and atlases to discover where Liverpool is in the world. We will compare the River Mersey to another UK river, then a European river and finally a worldwide river. We will also be exploring the history of Liverpool, particular looking at the Docks and their impact on the city, but also the UK as a whole. Finally, we will be exploring key buildings in Liverpool and why they were created.

The Way the Truth the Life:

Y3- Celebrating the Mass is our topic this term. We will be learning about The Last Supper and how the things Jesus did at The Last Supper, reflect on what we do today in mass.

Y4- Jesus, the Saviour will be our topic this half term. We will look at Jesus as truly human and truly God. Then we will explore Holy week and reflecting on the actions of Jesus and the disciples.