



# Aamina Apa's Classroom News!

## This term in Year 3...

Dear Year 3,

Welcoming you back to the new term, Year 3!

I hope you all had an amazing restful break with your families and friends, InShaAllah!

This term, Year 3 will be having an amazing 'growing' experience.

I am so excited to see what new things we have in store during our learning journey,

Let's begin, InShaAllah.

Aamina Apa and Khadijah Apa



## THEME

Our theme this term is..

### **Roots and Shoots**



## DATES TO REMEMBER

- PE - every Wednesday
- Spelling Test - every Tuesday
- Fun Lunches - every Friday.  
Keep an eye on Class Dojo for the menu.
- Learn Duas - every Monday and Thursday
- Learn Surahs - every Tuesday & Wednesday
- Spend 15 minutes learning Qaidah/Quraan everyday - Sign Quraan records daily

## SPECIAL EVENTS

Primary Parents Meeting - 24/01/23  
Children's Mental Health Week - WB 06/02/23  
Internet Safety Day - 07/02/23  
Parent Session Year 3- 09/02/23  
Last Day of Term - 17/02/23

# WHAT WILL WE LEARN THIS TERM?

## MATHS

### MULTIPLICATION AND DIVISIONS

- Write and calculate mathematical statements
- Using mental and formal written methods
- Recall and use multiplication and division facts for the 2,3,4,5,8 and 10.

### LENGTH AND PERIMETER

- Measure, compare, add and subtract: lengths (m/cm/mm); mass (kg/g); volume/capacity (l/ml)
- Measure the perimeter of simple 2-D shapes

### FRACTIONS

- Recognise, find and write fractions of a discrete set of objects: unit fractions and non-unit fractions with small denominators
- Compare and order unit fractions, and fractions with the same denominators
- Recognise and show, using diagrams, equivalent fractions with small denominators

## ENGLISH

### FICTION - FANTASTIC MR FOX

Through Roald Dahl's Fantastic Mr Fox, children explore plot, character and tension. They learn about direct speech and tense, and write their own exciting stories.

### NON-FICTION- THE INK GARDEN OF BROTHER THEOPHANE

Inspire writing in this hands-on block with the beautiful Ink Garden of Brother Theophane, learn about illuminated manuscripts and making dyes. Study conjunctions and prepositions.

## PLANTS

- Explore the requirements of plants for life and growth (air, light, water, nutrients from soil, and room to grow) and how they vary from plant to plant.
- Identify and describe the functions of different parts of flowering plants: roots, stem/trunk, leaves and flowers.
- Investigate the way in which water is transported within plants.
- Record findings using simple scientific language, drawings, labelled diagrams, keys, bar charts, and tables.
- Make systematic and careful observations and, where appropriate, take accurate measurements using standard units.

## SCIENCE

## GEOGRAPHY

Within this topic, we will learn and understand the different key aspects of physical geography in the context of volcanoes. We will identify how volcanoes are formed and how these physical features have an affect on people's lives.

### VOLCANOES

## ART FRUIT AND VEGETABLES

This 'Fruit and Vegetables' art topic will teach us about how to use pencil, colour, paint, clay fruit or vegetables and textiles to create quality art work that shows progression in their skills. The children will also have the opportunity to explore the work of the designer, Carl Warner, textile artist, Michael Brennan-Wood and Italian painter, Caravaggio

## PE

In PE, this term we will have a specialist tutor coming in to deliver exciting P.E lessons. We will be covering a wide range of sports including outdoor activities such as tennis, hockey and more. This will provide us with a wide range of different techniques and skills.

## COMPUTING BRANCHING DATABASES/ PHOTO EDITING

In this term, we will continue learning about branching databases. We will then develop an understanding on how digital images can be changed and edited, and how it can then be resaved and reused. We will consider the impact that editing images can have, and evaluate the effectiveness of our choices.

## FRIENDSHIPS

In this unit, we will widen our knowledge on friendships and how our friendship contributes to our lives.

- Learn about friendships
- Identify what contributes to who we are (including friendships)
- Identifying different types of relationships
- The importance of friendships; strategies for building positive friendships; how positive friendships support wellbeing.

## PSHE

## ARABIC

- Learn colours
- The difference between masculine and feminine nouns
- Demonstrative pronouns

## FIQH

- Distinguish between Faraidh and Sunah of ghusl
- Masah alal kuffayn and it's conditions