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English:

In English, over Term 5, the children will be given the opportunity to develop their creative writing skills. They will explore different ideas and techniques, such as employing expanded noun phrases, to add depth and excitement to their writing. This will be scaffolded around The Stone Age Boy text.

Reading:

Year 3 will be exploring non-fiction texts linked to their Stone Age, Bronze Age and Iron Age Topic. They will also be reading Stone Age Boy and developing their reading comprehension skills.

Maths:

In Maths, Year 3 will be continuing with finding equivalent fractions, then exploring time, angles and properties of shapes, followed by mass and capacity.

Topic:

During our Topic lessons, there will be a history focus. The children will learn about The Stone Age, Bronze Age and Iron Age. They will develop an understanding of how this significant time period has shaped our lives today. They will study places such as Skara Brae and Stone Henge.

Science:

Within Science lessons, the children will be learning about Animals including Humans. They will study skeletons and teeth and the similarities and differences between them. They will develop a deeper understanding of the digestive system and create an experiment to show the process!

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Enrichment:
Over Term 5, Year 3 will be learning about stone age life. The children will explore a range of creative activities such as cave paintings and stonehenge replicas.

Useful websites:
https://ttrockstars.com/
https://www.getepic.com/sign-in
https://www.languageangels.com/homeschool/
https://jasmineactive.com/news/home-learning-resources

PE Days:
Panther: Monday and Thursday
Panda: Monday and Thursday (swimming)
Dolphin: Monday and Thursday

Computing:
During computing lessons, the children will be learning how to program. They will be able to explain what a 'loop' is, suggest additions to an existing program and recognise when something on screen is controlled by code.

French:
In French, the children will be learning about the months of the year. They will learn how o recognise and pronounce the names with accuracy. They will also revisit core vocabulary.

Music:
Over Term 5, Year 3 will be studying the unit 'Bringing us together'. This will include a disco song about Friendship, peace and hope.

Recommended reads:
https://www.theschoolrun.com/best-childrens-books-about-stone-age

Religious Education:
We will be looking at the Christian Easter Story on RE day and finding out about gurdwaras - a place of worship for Sikhs.

PSHE:
Relationships - the children will be learning about how to develop positive relationships and learning how to appreciate each other and themselves.

Physical Education:
During P.E lessons, this term, Year 3 will continue to focus on the creative cog of their learning. They will begin to compare movements and skills with others alongside developing sequences of movements and evaluating their choices.

DT:
in Term 5, we will be using our technical knowledge and creating mechanisms. This will include crafting a range of materials and attaching our mechanisms.