



Year 2/3 Autumn Term 1

Morgan's Vale Values

- Love
- Respect
- Aspiration

Core Areas of Learning

In **Reading**, year 2 pupils are reading Beegu and Where the Wild Things Are.

Year 3 pupils are reading Greta and the Giants and Pebble in my Pocket.

In **Writing**, we are learning poetry on a theme (emotions), followed by first person narrative descriptions and non-chronological reports.

In **Maths**, we are doing the units place value and addition and subtraction.

In **Science**, our topic is Rocks. We will be answering, how are rocks formed? What types of rocks are there? Can rocks change? How can we test a rock to see if it is limestone or chalk? Is soil just dirt? and What makes soil?

"Love your neighbour as you love yourself" (Luke 10:27)

History

Our focus this term is the Stone Age to the Iron age. We will be exploring the 3 time periods within the Stone Age. As well as exploring the Bronze Age and the Iron Age and looking at their comparisons.

Geography

In geography this half term we are learning map and fieldwork skills using human and physical geography.

RE

In RE, we are answering the question What do Christians believe God is like?

D & T

In DT, we are doing textiles. Where we will be learning how to cut out shapes which have been created by using a template and how to use a range of basic sewing skills.

Music

In Music, the focus for this half term is singing. Introducing texture and singing parts in an ensemble (e.g. rounds).

Art

Our focus for this term is drawing and painting. We will be exploring cave art related to our Stone Age topic in history. As well as learning about the artist Van Gogh.

PE

We are doing gymnastics with a focus on jumping and landing. Our other PE lesson with Jody we are working on our footwork.

PSHE

In PSHE we are focusing on friendships.

French

In French, we are learning how to greet people, how to say colours and some classroom objects.