

**English:** We will be learning about instructional texts and will create our own using the example of 'How to wash a woolly mammoth'. We will also be learning to use dictionaries effectively to identify the meaning of new words to help widen our vocabulary.



<u>Maths</u>: This half term we will focus heavily on place value and the children will be exploring three-digit numbers using a wide variety of resources and exciting activities. We will also try drawing life size pictures relating to our topic (using scales) and ordering numbers, such as dates in chronological order.

<u>Science</u>: Mrs Creasey will be teaching Year 3 about the properties of materials, solids, liquids and gases, reversible and irreversible changes and comparing rocks/soils/fossils.

<u>History</u>: We will find out about the changes in Britain from the Stone Age to the Iron Age and how these changes have influenced the way we live today.

<u>Geography</u>: We will investigate human geography, including: types of settlement and land use, economic activities (trade links), and the distribution of natural resources (energy, food, minerals, water).



**<u>DT</u>**: The children will be designing, making and evaluating houses or tools from the Stone Age period.

<u>Art:</u> The children will create their own cave paintings, drawings and sculptures using different materials and techniques.

<u>PSHE:</u> "Me and My Feelings" will be our PSHE topic for Autumn 1 and will involve discussions around managing feelings surrounding new people, seeing things from someone else's perspective and the qualities of a good friendship.

<u>**R.E:**</u> The children will be thinking about what it means to belong to a group and will relate this to their learning about the Christian faith, with a focus on baptism.

<u>ICT</u>: Children will be using a range of different presentational software programmes and ICT to research the Stone Age ready for our museum.

PE: Outdoor sports will focus on team games.

<u>Music / Dance:</u> We will be rehearsing for our Lower School Production.

Spanish: A basic introduction to Spain and the language.