



Burton Joyce Primary

Summer 2 in Year 3/4

English



We will begin our learning by looking at a short film called 'Invasion'. Using the film, we will be creating a series of informal letters about the journey from an alien planet to Earth. Then, we will move onto writing a diary entry about Roman life. Ending with some poetry and a letter to their new class teacher.

Science

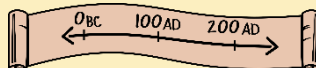


We are continuing with living things and their habitats with a focus on changes to our environment. We will be creating an investigation to see if all plants can survive in any environment. Then understanding there can be positive and negative changes to the environment that can be natural or caused by humans.

History

The Romans

We will be exploring who the Romans were and how and why they invaded Britain. We will also be learning about the impact the Romans had on Britain, looking at roads, aqueducts, Roman baths, language, and number systems.

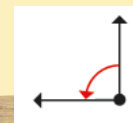


Maths

This half term we will be learning about:

Year 3: Time, Shape and statistics.

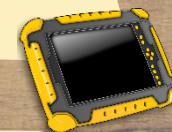
Year 4: Shape, statistics, position and direction.



Computing

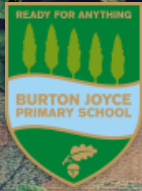
In e-safety children will be learning about copyright, creative credit and quality.

This unit is coding, and we will be using the app Swift Playgrounds. Children will learn how to write simple code to control a character using commands, creating loops and writing their own functions.



DT

We will be making soup in DT. The children will be exploring existing soups then designing and making their own. In the process they will be learning how to use the bridge hold to cut and slice vegetables.



PE

This half term the children will be applying their skills to tennis and rounders as well as some sports day practice.



Spellings

Week 1- Challenge words

Week 2- Words that are plurals with possessive apostrophes

Week 3- Revision words

Week 4- Revision words

Week 5- Revision words

Week 6- Revision words



Music

In music we will be looking at Triads, chords: C, F, G major, A minor, chord structure. Using folk-rock style music.



RE

This half term our unit is 'caring and praying'. We will begin the unit by looking at what prayer is and its importance to a range of religions. We will go on to compare how different religions pray and understand some of the reasons people choose to pray.



PSHE



This half term our unit of work will be 'Changing Me' this forms part of our RSE curriculum and for some lessons children will be split into year groups to allow the appropriate information to be taught for their year group.

Year 3 will learn how babies grow and explore the physical changes that happen to bodies as people grow up including some inside and outside changes linked to puberty.

Year 4 will explore identity and what make them unique while learning about physical and emotional changes linked to puberty

Dates to remember...

- W/b Monday 1st and w/b Monday 8th June Year 4 will sit their Multiplication Times table Check.
- Monday 29th June - Romans Workshop
- Wed 17th June- Sports Day KS2 pm
- Tues 30th June- Class swap
- Saturday 4th July- Summer Fair
- Friday 10th July- Reports home

What a busy half term!

Have a great half term

