

# Year 3 Spring 1 Overview

In **Writing**, **GPS** and **Reading** we will be focusing on writing a recount about something that we have done in the holidays. We will use drama and our favourite clips to develop our own play script. Finally we will create a persuasive letter about why we should take part in more Forest School sessions!

We will be reading the book *The Hodgeheg*.

In **RE**, our focus this half term will be Christianity and what it means to be a disciple of God. Why is it important to follow good role models? Why do Christians choose to follow Jesus?

In **History**, we will learn about life in Stone Age Britain. We will use our historical investigation skills to use sources to uncover how people used to live and think about how life changed from the Stone age to Iron age.



In **Music**, we will concentrate on composing, by creating repeated patterns and effects based on the song *Three Little Birds*.



In **Maths** we will continue to focus on multiplication and division skills, therefore it is vital that children learn their 2,3,4,5,8,10 times tables. We will also learn about money and giving change so this could be something you can practise in the shops.

Finally we will learn about statistics and data handling.



In **PSHE** we will be learning more about how to be assertive and demonstrate appropriate risk taking. We will be thinking about our emotional health and well being and how to show compassion to others.

In **Science** we will be investigating what animals and humans need to survive. We will learn how to keep ourselves healthy based on what we eat and drink. We will think about the human skeleton, learn about vertebrates and invertebrate animals.



In **PE** we will be taking part in invasion games by playing handball. We will also be working with the Royal Ballet to learn how to perform with good control and musicality.

In **Geography**, we will learn about where the capital cities are in the UK. We will use atlases to find out where different countries are in Europe.

In **French** we will be learning how to name and say 10 animals in French. We will learn how to say and spell the animals including the phrase 'Je suis'.

