



Year 3
Meet the teacher
2022-23

Classrooms and adults

Ash

Teacher: Mrs Dubey

LSA: Miss Rees and Miss Cavendish

Aspen

Teacher: Mrs Shelton

LSA: Mrs Gordon and Mrs Ede

English:

Fact files, poetry,
Historical narratives,
newspaper reports

Reading: The Firework-
Maker's Daughter by
Philip Pullman

Science
Rocks

Humanities:

Structure of the earth; Volcanoes
and earthquakes; map work

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Tremors
(volcanoes)

Computing:
Coding; Networks

Art/DT

Sketching; painting
designing, cutting and
joining; using tools

R.E.
Christianity

PSHE: Being me in my
world (Jigsaw)

Upcoming topics

Autumn 2	Gods and Mortals (Ancient Greeks)
Spring 1	Tribal Tales (Stone Age to Iron Age)
Spring 2	Scrumdiddlyumptious (Healthy eating)
Summer 1	Flow! (Rivers)
Summer 2	Urban Pioneers (Urban landscapes)

Class texts

Autumn 2	Helping Hercules Francesca Simon
Spring 1	Stig of the dump Clive King
Spring 2	Charlie and the chocolate factory Roald Dahl
Summer 1	This morning I met a whale Michael Morpurgo
Summer 2	Emil and the detectives Erich Kastner

Maths

Autumn	Place value Addition and subtraction Multiplication and division
Spring	Multiplication and division Money Statistics Length and perimeter Fractions
Summer	Fractions Time Properties of shape Mass and capacity

Homework

- Homework is put on the blogs on a Friday.
- Homework must be uploaded to Seesaw by Friday morning.
- Homework does not need to be printed, but can be displayed on a device and completed on paper. If you wish to print, you can.

English

- Spellings are to be practised 5 times using the look, cover, write, check technique.
- 5 of the spelling words are to be put into sentences.
- Spelling Shed
- Read every night and record in reading diary

Maths

- Times tables questions
- Times tables Rockstars

Reading

Reading Book Levels:

Children will have been given a Banded Book which they will be reading in school. They will bring home a book of the same band.

Opposite is a table of how the gems link to the book band colours and each phonics level.

For example if your child is Amazing Amber then they are on orange book band level, phase 6 phonics level.

Book Band Levels

Pink (Phonics Phase 2)	Radical Rose
Red (Phonics Phase 3)	Radiant Red
Yellow (Phonics Phase 3-4)	Tantalising Topaz
Blue (Phonics Phase 4-5)	Spectacular Sapphire
Green (Phonics Phase 5)	Exquisite Emerald
Orange (Phonics Phase 5-6)	Amazing Amber
Turquoise (Phonics Phase 5-6)	Triumphant Turquoise
Purple (Phonics Phase 6)	Awesome Amethyst
Gold (Phonics Phase 6)	Glorious Gold
White	Dazzling Diamond
Lime	Jubilant Jade

P.E.

- Kits need to be in school at all times in case we have to change days due to weather or hall space.
- Ash - Monday morning
- Aspen - Monday morning

Things you can do to help your child...

- Read every night and record in their Reading Record
- Times tables practice <https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/hit-the-button> OR Times Table Rockstars
- Spelling Shed <https://play.spellingshed.com/>
- Year 3/4 Spelling list <http://ludgvan.cornwall.sch.uk/wp-content/uploads/2017/01/year-3-4-spellings.pdf>
- <http://lawfordmead.essex.sch.uk/parents/homework>
- <https://lawfordmead.essex.sch.uk/year-groups/year-3>