

## Literacy

WALT: Apply our growing knowledge of root words, prefixes and suffixes to read and understand new words  
WALT: Understand what we read, in books they can read independently, by:

- checking that the text makes sense to us, discussing our understanding and explaining the meaning of words in context
- asking questions to improve our understanding of a text
- drawing inferences such as inferring characters' feelings, thoughts and motives from our actions, and justifying inferences with evidence
- predicting what might happen from details stated and implied
- identifying main ideas drawn from more than one paragraph and summarising these
- identifying how language, structure, and presentation contribute to meaning
- retrieve and record information from non-fiction

WALT: Develop spelling and handwriting skills in line with curriculum objectives  
We should be taught to:

- plan their writing
- draft and write
- evaluate and edit

WALT: Extend the range of sentences with more than one clause by using a wider range of conjunctions  
WALT: Use the present perfect form of verbs in contrast to the past tense  
WALT: Choose nouns or pronouns appropriately for clarity and cohesion and to avoid repetition  
WALT: Use conjunctions, adverbs and prepositions to express time and cause  
WALT: Use fronted adverbials

## Mathematics

*Please see Success and Challenge cards*

## Physical Development

**Dodgeball:**  
WALT: Play competitive games, modified where appropriate, and apply basic principles suitable for attacking and defending  
WALT: Learn how catch a ball in different situations such as standing still and whilst on the move.  
WALT: Learn how to effectively find and create space for ourselves and others  
WALT: Learn how to move their feet quickly and effectively to dodge any dodgeballs and learn accuracy of shots.  
WALT: Understand the basic rules of Dodgeball

## Personal, Social and Emotional Development

### **PSCHE: What hazards are there in our local environment?**

WALT: Learn how to recognise hazards that may cause harm or injury and know what to do to reduce risk and keep ourselves (or others) safe  
WALT: Know how to help keep our body protected and safe, e.g. wearing a seatbelt, protective clothing  
WALT: Understand that our body belongs to them and should not be hurt or touched without our permission; what to do if they feel uncomfortable  
WALT: Learn how to recognise and respond to pressure to do something that makes us feel unsafe or uncomfortable (including online)  
WALT: Know how everyday health and hygiene rules and routines help people stay safe and healthy (including how to manage the use of medicines, such as for asthma, and other household products, responsibly)  
WALT: Know how to react and respond if there is an accident and how to deal with minor injuries e.g. scratches, grazes, burns  
WALT: Know what to do in an emergency, including calling for help and speaking to the emergency services  
**R.E.: Christianity - What is 'good' about Good Friday?**  
WALT: Recall key events in the Easter story and understand why Jesus' crucifixion symbolises hope for Christians.  
WALT: Suggest how a person may rescue/help others who are in difficult situations.  
WALT: Start to explain why Christians believe Jesus' death is important.  
WALT: Begin to reflect on whether I agree with Christian beliefs about Jesus' death.

## SPRING TERM 2 Activities Stones 'n' Bones Year 3

### Knowledge Outcomes

WALT: Understand that the Stone Age is the name given to the earliest period in human culture, when stone tools were first used in Britain.  
WALT: Understand that The Stone Age was separated into 3 periods Palaeolithic, Mesolithic and Neolithic.  
WALT: Recognise that a Neanderthal is an early person.  
WALT: Recognise that The Stone Age lasted until about 3300bc, when the Bronze Age began.  
*Challenge: Early in the Stone Age, humans lived in small nomadic groups.*

## Understanding of the World

### **History: Changes in Britain from the Stone Age to the Iron Age**

WALT: Sequence the early ages of Britain chronologically  
WALT: Learn about how life was different during each age, and how it progressed through the period  
WALT: Learn about late Neolithic hunter-gatherers and early farmers, for example, Skara Brae  
WALT: Investigate Bronze Age religion, technology and travel, for example, Stonehenge  
WALT: Learn about Iron Age hill forts: tribal kingdoms, farming, art and culture  
**Science: Light**  
WALT: We should be taught to:

- recognise that they need light in order to see things and that dark is the absence of light
- notice that light is reflected from surfaces
- recognise that light from the sun can be dangerous and that there are ways to protect their eyes
- recognise that shadows are formed when the light from a light source is blocked by an opaque object
- find patterns in the way that the size of shadows change.

**Computing: Digital Literacy – iConnect**  
WALT: Use digital content created by others responsibly, adhering to the rules of plagiarism and copyright  
WALT: Use search technologies effectively  
WALT: Be discerning in evaluating digital content  
WALT: Select and use a range of media to create a document  
WALT: Use digital devices to create, edit and share videos.  
WALT: Understand and generate QR codes

## Languages

### **Using colours and numbers**

WALT: Understand the colours: recapping previous colours and introducing orange, purple, brown and grey.  
WALT: Ask what colour something is.  
WALT: Recap numbers 1 -12.  
WALT: Explore and recognise that some nouns use 'un' and some nouns use 'une' and why this is.

## Expressive Art and Design

### **D&T:**

WALT: Select from and use a wider range of materials and components, including construction materials, textiles and ingredients, according to their functional properties and aesthetic qualities  
WALT: Apply understanding of how to strengthen, stiffen and reinforce more complex structures

### **Music:**

WALT: Appreciate and understand a wide range of high-quality live and recorded music drawn from different traditions and from great composers and musicians  
WALT: Develop an understanding of the history of music