

## English

### Writing

#### Newspaper Report

*Writing to inform:* we will become journalists and write a newspaper report about an earthquake.

#### Narrative Writing

*Writing to entertain:* **Stone Girl, Bone Girl** – a tale about Mary Anning's discovery of a fossil sea monster will help guide our story writing this term.

#### Persuasive Poster

We will be discovering persuasive techniques!

#### Spelling, Grammar and Punctuation

We will be looking at spelling patterns and the use of expanded noun phrases, pronouns, conjunctions, adverbs, prepositions & paragraphs.

### Reading

These books will be the focus for our reading skills.



## Science

### Forces & Magnets

We will continue to investigate forces, looking in more detail at magnetic fields, sorting magnetic and non-magnetic materials and the uses of magnets today.



Spring 2 - 2025  
Chestnuts  
Year 3 and 4

### *Rocks, Relics & Rumbles*

## Mathematics

### Length

We will be calculating the perimeter of rectilinear shapes and polygons.

### Fractions

We will be identifying denominators and numerators, as well as comparing and ordering unit and non-unit fractions, counting fractions on a number line, understanding the whole and calculating equivalent fractions.

### Times tables

The children will practice daily x tables & online TT Rockstars. Please practice at home too!

Computing  
Branching Databases  
Wednesday pm with Mr Drewry

## Forest School

Child-centred learning through play and exploration to develop resilience & confidence.  
Thurs 1-3pm. Please collect from Earth Science.

## Music

### The Doot Doot Song

Singing & instrument arrangement

## Physical Education

### Gymnastics & Yoga

Coordination, manipulation, strength & balance.  
Tuesdays & Fridays with Ms. Grainger

## DT, Art & Design

### Making it Move

In DT, we will be investigating the use of cams to make our own mechanical toys.

### Ammonite

In art this term, we will discover Fibonacci patterns in nature, explore how to represent natural forms and develop artistic techniques through sketching, printmaking and sculpture.

## Religious Education

### Christianity

What is good about Good Friday? We will be learning to recall key events in the Easter story and understand why Jesus' crucifixion symbolises hope for Christians.

## PSRHE

### Healthy Me

Being fit & healthy, being safe and caring for our amazing bodies

## History/Geography

### Rocks, Relics & Rumbles

We will continue to develop our knowledge of rocks and seismic activity by further investigation of earthquakes, rock types, rock formation and fossilisation.