



Class: 3 Coles & 3 Mota

Teachers: Mrs McGuire & Mr Wilson

Term: Summer 1

Topic: Freestyle

Literacy

We will be using the 'The Secret of The Black Rock' to write an adventure story, using a range of sentence types. We will then write information about the ocean, using 'The Sea Below My Toes', focusing on subordination.

Maths

Our first focus will be on measuring with length, perimeter, mass and capacity, using addition and subtraction methods as well as equivalences. We will then explore money in different ways.

Geography

Our topic is Extreme Earth and we will be trying to answer the question of 'How do volcanoes affect planet Earth. We will begin by exploring maps and discovering the main volcanoes, their names and where they are found. Then, we will learn about the different types of volcanoes (active, dormant and extinct) and why they are called that. After that, we will explore what exactly happens when a volcano erupts and how it might change the area around for the positive and the negative.

Science

Our science topic this half term is 'Plants'. We will be looking at how plants grow and change. Then we will look at how water and light can affect plants, as well different life cycles of plants, including the way seeds are dispersed in different ways.

DT

We will be designing a healthy sandwich. We will be trying different sandwich fillings and using the eat-well plate to design and test our own sandwich recipes. We will also be improving our food preparation skills such as cutting, grating and spreading.

PE

Friday—Tennis

Please remember to wear the correct PE kit: white t-shirt, black shorts, leggings or joggy-bottoms, a Greenmount hoody.

Books we will look at

The Secret of Black Rock by Joe Todd Stanton
The Sea Below My Toes by Charlotte Guillain
The Ghost in Annie's Room by Philippa Pearce
Mimi and The Mountain Dragon by Michael Morpurgo
A First Book of the Sea by Nicola Davies

Reminders

Please remind children to bring their bookbags everyday.
Bank Holiday Monday 6th May
Year 3 Trip to Herd Farm Friday 17th May