# Year 3/4

#### **MATHS**

We are partitioning, ordering, adding and subtracting numbers and learning what each digit represents.

The children will continue to improve their mental mathematics strategies through weekly mental maths activities.

We will also be looking at improving times tables skills by following the TT Rock Stars programme. Please use the children's completed times tables tests to practise.

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## Computing

This half-term we will be learning how to improve our programming skills using Logo via the Purple Mash programme.



#### **PSHE**

In PSHE lessons this half-term, the focus is Me and My School. We will be looking at class rules, new challenges and valuing ourselves and others.



#### **FRENCH**

This term we will be starting to learn simple conversational French.



# English

We are reading the BFG, with a

particular focus on setting and character descriptions. We will continue with this book later in the term as we study persuasive writing. For poetry,



we shall look at the poem 'Mrs Butler'.

Please hear your child read every night and practise weekly spellings

#### History

We will learning about the Stone Age. We will be looking at using primary and secondary sources and looking at the different periods of Stone Age Britain.



#### **Violin**

H34 will start learning how to play the violin on Tuesday afternoons.

J3 and EH4 will be working from our Music Express units.



Our theme this half term is rules and the different rules that people with different religious beliefs follow.

#### ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Every week your child has ten spellings to learn. H34 will be tested on their spellings on Monday, EH4 and J3 will be tested on Tuesdays.

#### Homework

Each week, your child will be set a writing homework task to complete in their homework books. This will be found on their class page on the BGFL in J2Bloggy.

# Science

This term we will learn about a variety of topics in Science including Plants, Rocks and Food Chains.



## Geography

We will looking at world mapping skills, volcanoes and earthquakes.



### Art

The children will recreate Stone Age cave paintings using the equipment the Stone Age



people would have had available to them during their era.

#### PE

Class J3 Thursdays (Swimming Monday) H34 Tuesdays and Fridays EH4 Wednesdays and Fridays

J3 will commence their swimming lessons on Monday 11th September.

This half-term we will be improving our fitness and football skills.

Please ensure your child comes to school in their PE kit on these days.

No earrings are permitted to be worn in lessons. Please ensure that if children cannot remove earrings independently, then they should let an adult take them out before school on PE days.

