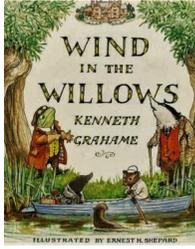
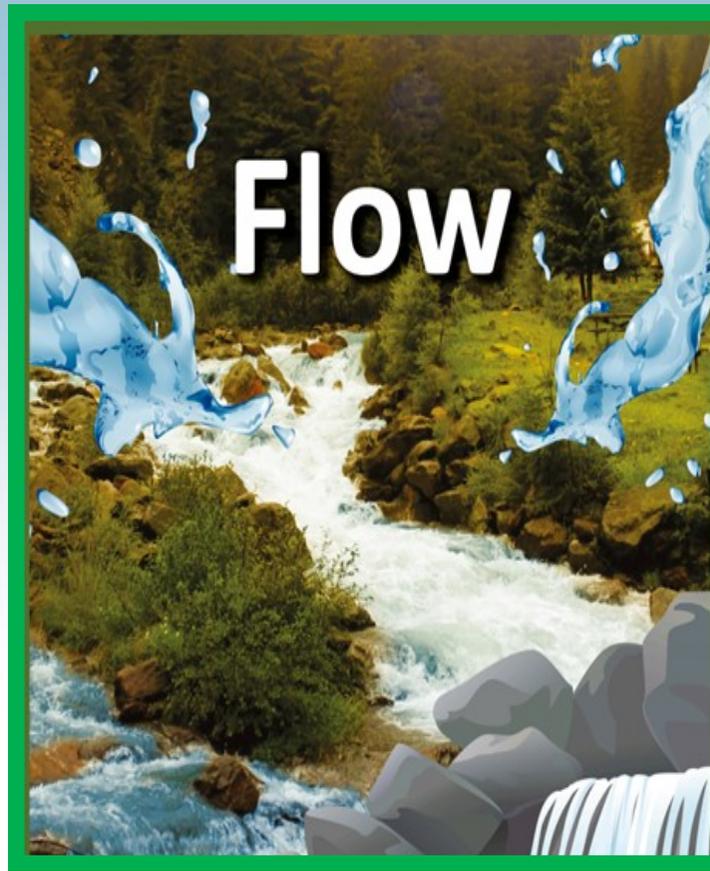


The Wind in the Willows by Kenneth Grahame



We will be reading this famous children's classic, where the three main characters live by the river. This is related to the River topic we are covering this half term.



Maths: In maths children will recall and use multiplication and division facts for the 3, 4 and 8 times tables.

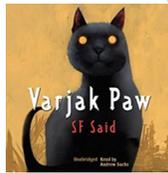
Will count up and down in tenths, and know that tenths are made by dividing an object into 10 equal parts and dividing one-digit numbers or quantities by 10.

Calculate multiplication and division problems, both mentally and in writing, using the times tables, including two digit numbers times one digit numbers. Solve problems, including missing number problems, involving multiplication and division, including factors and ratio.

We will learn to draw 2-D shapes and make 3-D shapes using modelling materials. Will learn to recognise 3-D shapes in different orientations.

Literacy: We will also be reading 'Varjak Paw.' This book is about a Mesopotamian Blue Cat. We will use this book to help us produce and improve our writing skills. We will be writing diary entries from the characters point of view, writing an argument, learning how to structure interesting sentences using persuasive language and logical connectives, to writing letters and notes to the character etc.

And much more!



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Geography: Children will research for and name the world's major rivers on a world map or globe. Complete a table to represent world river data using the headings: Name of River; Hemisphere; Continent; Countries; Outflow. (sea, ocean). They will create a presentation on their chosen river: The Nile, and The Amazon or The River Thames.

Things to remember!

Physical Education: Year 3 will do outdoor activities on Fridays. Please ensure that your child brings their correct P.E kit.

Keeping Healthy: We have fruit everyday during our morning break. Please ensure that you provide your child with a fruit and a bottle of water for break time.

Equipment: We request that children bring their own pencil case to school with a green, blue and a black pen. A pencil, rubber, sharpener, glue stick, a board pen, a ruler and protractor.

Islamic Studies: In Islamic studies children will learn the different events that occurred in the life of Prophet Ibrahim (a.s.). We will talk through the sacrifices Prophet Ibrahim (a.s.) went through and what lessons we learn from it and how we can act upon it in our daily life. They will also complete the Duaa syllabus for this year and do revision of all the Duaas and Soorahs learnt with meaning.

Mirror, mirror: In science children will work scientifically on a variety of quick challenges and longer tasks to learn about the wonders of light, including reflections and shadows.

Some Fun Facts!

Did you know?

Supermarket security teams set up curved mirrors to see around corners.

Telescopes use curved and flat mirrors to collect light from distant objects and reflect it into the eye of the observer.

Daylight turns to darkness because the moon blocks the sun and creates a giant shadow on the Earth.

Sundials use shadows to tell the time but aren't very accurate. They cannot tell the time at night. Find out more about how they work.

When the Biami people of Papua New Guinea were first introduced to the mirror in the 1970s, they were terrified of it. Why do you think this was?

Reading: It is very important that your child reads everyday. We would like your support in helping them to improve their comprehension and their writing skills. Also please take them to your local library and encourage them to borrow books from different genres: Magazines, fiction, non-fiction, newspapers, comics etc. Start with something they enjoy!

Home learning: Year 3 will have homework on Fridays. Please remind and support them in completing their work. They will also need to have the time and space where they can concentrate and do their homework. Encourage them to present their work neatly and bring back the work the following Monday. They will also have a list of spelling words to practise by writing several times and learn.

Time tables: We need your support in helping and encouraging them to learn their time tables up to 12. It is an essential part of their maths curriculum.