

**Mediterranean**  
**YEAR 3 River Class**  
**Summer 2023-2024**

**GEOGRAPHY/HISTORY**

During the Summer term, the children will be learning all about the Mediterranean. We will be looking at where Mediterranean countries are and finding out about what it would be like to live or visit there. We will be locating different countries and oceans, learning about the climate and landmarks and why it is the most visited holiday destination in the world! We will also be focusing on Pompeii and the eruption of Mount Vesuvius, as well as, natural phenomena like volcanic eruptions,

**SCIENCE**

In Science we will be starting the term by looking at plants. Exploring the key parts of a plant and what is required for growth. We will be carrying out a number of investigations throughout the module looking at plant growth.

We will be learning about forces and magnets and comparing how things move on different

**ENGLISH**

In Literacy we will be looking at Escape from Pompeii and then I Am Awesome (which has a focus of learning about and building on self-esteem). After this we will be reading The Great Kapok Tree and discuss animals from the rainforest along with its destruction. We will be writing diaries, poems, letters and adventure story extracts.

We will continue to focus on comprehension

**MATHS**

In Maths this term, we will be covering multiplication and division without and with exchange, unit and non-unit fractions plus length and perimeter. We will then move onto shape, time, mass and capacity, plus money.

We will continue to complete our morning times tables booklets, and ask that you continue to

**HOMEWORK**

There will be weekly homework in spelling and TTRS. There will also be an optional topic grid with a range of activities for you to have a go at. Please

**COMPUTING**

During Computing lessons, we will be using Scratch to program a sequence of music followed by events and actions with an introduction to quizzes.

**PE**

We will be having two sessions of PE a week. With Mr. Westhorpe we will be focusing on striking and fielding plus personal challenges. Then for our second session of PE we

**FRENCH**

We will be recapping our French so far plus looking at common classroom items, hobbies, likes and dislikes, rooms in the house and items in the home.

**PSHE/SMSC**

This term, we will be focusing on Physical health and mental well-being, Growing and changing and keeping safe.

**TRIPS/VISIT**

The County Show  
Education Day - trip  
Local Area Study -  
Freshwater  
Amazon World - trip

**ART**

In Art, we will be studying the work of the famous artist Monet and trying to recreate a piece of his work. Next, we will study Picasso and try recreating his work through collage

**DT**

Within our Design and Technology lessons, we will be designing and making pizzas in line with our study of the Mediterranean.

**MUSIC**

This term we will be learning about ballads and how stories can be told through music, ending with us writing our own ballads. Then, we will look at some music from the

**RE**

Our RE topics for the summer term are Sacred Places evaluating the concept of sacred places to believers of different religions. Our second topic is