

Class 3 – Parent Newsletter

Summer 2 – 2024

Here's some of our best moments and learning from our second summer term topic – Tremors!

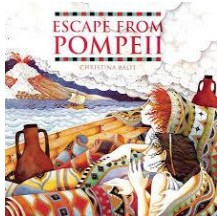
WOW!

We had a fantastic time creating volcanoes from papier-mâché to begin our new topic!
We then created a small chemical reaction to make our volcanoes 'explode'!
A very memorable start to our topic!



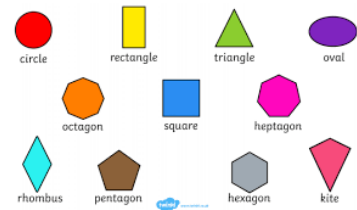
Groovy Guided Reading

We have read the historical fiction book 'Escape from Pompeii'.
We loved learning about the eruption of Mount Vesuvius and we were fascinated to learn how the city was 'frozen in time'.



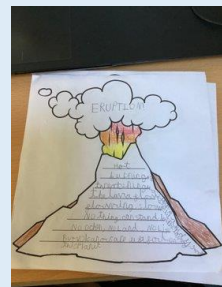
Marvellous Maths

We have been very busy again with Maths this half term! We have covered the topics of time, shape & statistics! I can't wait to hear about all the brilliant Maths work you do next year!



Wonderful Writing

We have utilised our topic to create some amazing written pieces this half term! We have written some beautiful shape poems all about volcanoes. Our big focus for this half term has been on historical narratives. We have written incredible stories about the eruption of Mount Vesuvius and the destruction of Pompeii.



Other exciting things we've been up to this half term

Super Science

We have been learning all about rocks this half term. We have learnt that there are three different types of rock – igneous, sedimentary and metamorphic. We have learnt how rocks have different features and tested their permeability, durability and softness. We then learnt about the fascinating world of fossils!



Extreme Earth!

We have loved learning about volcanoes and earthquakes in Class 3. We have learnt about the layers of the earth, tectonic plate boundaries, how a volcano is formed and how earthquakes occur. We even had our very own pretend earthquake drill!

Hair-Raising History

We have studied Pompeii in depth this half term. We have learnt all about the days leading up to the eruption. We were fascinated to look at pictures of the body casts that were left behind.



Positive PE

We have really enjoyed our swimming lessons this half term. We have all made some fantastic progress!

Delightful DT

We have been looking at building structures this half term. We constructed our volcanoes out of cardboard and newspaper, before applying papier-mâché. We then thought carefully about how to paint them. Well done Year 3!



Super Sports Day!

Class 3 had an incredible sports day! I was so proud of all the children's perseverance and team spirit. Class 3 showed so much kindness to their friends while competing – they should be incredibly proud of themselves.



Summer Celebrations!

We have had such a busy end to Year 3! We enjoyed celebrating wishes, playing board games with our friends and enjoying some rare glimpses of sun!



Worship

This half term our worship theme has been **Humility**.

I hope you all have a fantastic summer! I couldn't have asked for a better class this year – you have all been brilliant and I will miss you all!

Miss Bowler

