

Literacy Children will read with an adult once a week, verbally answering questions about the events and characters in their texts. The children will also complete short comprehension tasks to support development of their reading skills. We will also read texts as a class to promote reading for enjoyment. This half term our writing pieces will be inspired by the picture book 'Grandad's Island'. Text types we will cover include a setting description and a non-chronological report. We will be focusing on embedding core writing skills such as paragraphs, grammatically correct sentences and conscious vocabulary choices. 	Maths In Maths this half term we will be covering: • Place Value of 3 digit numbers • Using number lines • Addition and Subtraction of 3 digit numbers • Revising our 2, 3, 5, and 10 times tables. 	Topic - Island Life (Our Local Area) Our topic this term is a study of our local area. In this topic we will answer these questions: • What is a settlement? • How is land used in my area? • How has my local area changed over time? • How is land used in New Delhi? • How does land use in New Delhi compare with my local area? • How can I make a local dish? 
Science In Science we will be learning about skeletons, movement and nutrition. We will be learning to identify bones and explain their functions, compare skeletons of different animals, and understand how joints and muscles help us move. We will also learn how to have a balanced, healthy diet. 	French (Miss Lindy) <u>Getting to know you</u> Year 3 will be learning to engage in greeting conversations, which will include exchanging names and asking how someone is through songs, rhymes and poems. Numbers: count, read, write and pronounce numbers from 1 - 31 in French. We will also be recognised, understand and follow common classroom instructions.	P.E. (Mr Clayton) This half term, Year 3 will develop their skills through gymnastics and handball. In gymnastics, pupils will create and perform sequences using a range of balances and movements. While handball will introduce passing, moving into space and working effectively as a team. Pupils will be encouraged to challenge themselves, work positively with others and enjoy developing their sporting skills. Bring P.E. kit to school on Thursdays for the PE lesson and on Fridays for House Challenge.
Art (Miss Mirfin) Year 3 will be starting to learn about using sketching pencils to create different gradients of colour. We will use this skill to create lots of different images. We will also explore different kinds of line work too! 	Useful Websites whiteroseeducation.com/parent-pupil-resources trockstars.com www.oxfordowl.co.uk ictgames.com topmarks.co.uk	Reminders Spellings will be set on a Monday and tested the following Monday. Homework will be set on a Monday to be returned the following Monday. Please read at least 3x per week at home, recording this in your child's reading diary. This could be with a library book or a text of their choice. Bring P.E. kits Thursday and Friday.

