

THORNWOOD



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CURRICULAR INFORMATION

Term 1: October to December 2025

Class: Primary 3/2

Class Teachers: Miss Higlett & Mrs Granger

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LITERACY

Throughout the week with Miss Higlett, P3/2 will have a focus on report writing, this will be done utilising the Talk for Writing strategy used previously and will be linked to our topic of winter. Pupils will continue to develop their reading strategies by reading a wide range of texts and build upon their spelling skills from last year.

Pupils are continuing to develop sentence sense with Mrs Granger on a Thursday. They are learning to develop their use of adjectives, connecting words and pronouns this term.

P3/2 have already made a great start with this!



NUMERACY AND MATHS

This term P3/2 will continue to learn about addition and subtraction, progressing towards using two- and three-digit numbers. Pupils are also building up a bank of alternative strategies to solve addition and subtraction sums, P3/2 will then move on to learning about multiplication and division.

With Mrs Granger P3/2 are learning about Money and creating change from given amounts. They will also be learning about time, learning the months of the year and telling the time using a clock.



SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY AND SOCIAL STUDIES

This term our Interdisciplinary learning topic is winter, this topic will incorporate many curricular areas and will take into account pupil interest. Pupils have begun with some winter scene artwork and have begun developing their language and literacy around the topic. Moving forwards there will be opportunities to incorporate elements of science, sustainability and social studies into the topic.



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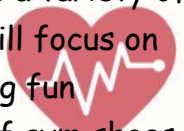
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HEALTH AND WELLBEING

The class are enjoying and benefitting from circle times focussing on feelings and emotions. Our SHANARRI lessons this term will focus on Food and Health, in particular making good choices.

As part of PAtHs, we will have a pupil of the day each day, who will receive compliments from classmates, teachers and themselves.

In PE, with Miss Higlett, the children will focus on ball skills, that will incorporate a variety of sports and help to improve fine motor skills and coordination. On Thursday's we will focus on gymnastics to develop balance, coordination, strength and confidence whilst having fun learning new movements. Please remember not to wear jewellery and bring a set of gym shoes.



RELIGIOUS AND MORAL EDUCATION

The class will be exploring "Christmas around the World" and looking into how this holiday is celebrated in different countries. We will also be learning about Diwali, the Hindu festival of light.



EXPRESSIVE ARTS

The focus within expressive arts this term is art. With pupils moving onto more complex types of media within their artwork including paints and oil pastels to create pieces of work linked to their topic of winter.



Further Information

Key Dates

Nativity - 9th and 10th
December (time tbc)

Keep an eye on Seesaw for
Christmas party dates.

School closes at 2:30pm on
Friday 19th December

School returns on Monday 5th
January 2026

Outdoor Days

- Monday

Please ensure children have a
waterproof jacket and spare
socks in their school bag.

Gym Days

Monday and Thursday

Please remember not
to wear jewellery on
gym days.

Home Learning

Home Learning in Primary 3/2 will be
shared on Seesaw and consists of:

- A weekly reading book.
- Spelling practice.
- SumDog Challenges.

IDL Key Vocabulary

Here are some words that will be used in our topic this
term. Please share these at home, discuss their meaning
and translate into your own language.

- Temperature
- Cold
- Climate
- Sustainability
- Winter
- Seasons
- Seasonal
- Weather



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