

# Term 2 Curriculum Information

## Primary 3A

### Literacy

- Continue to learn new spelling patterns and common words using a variety of strategies.
- Develop our understanding of nouns, verbs and adjectives.
- Revise upper case letter and number formation.
- Develop expression when reading aloud.
- Reinforce our understanding of basic punctuation when reading and writing.
- Develop imaginative writing using pictures as a stimulus.
- Listen carefully to others and ask relevant questions.

### Physical Education

- Develop core stability and strength when practising floor gymnastics.
- Develop confidence and self-esteem in addition to balance and control when using equipment in gymnastics.

### Art

- Fruit bowl collage based on the still life painting by Matisse.
- Collages with a winter theme.
- Nativity scene using watercolours.

### Other Curricular Areas

- Learn about the major organs of the human body.
- Investigate how fitness contributes to our health.
- Learn about personal hygiene and the safe use of medicines.
- Learn what to do in an emergency situation.
- Learn about the people who help us to stay safe and healthy.
- Learn about respect for my body and what behaviour is right and wrong. Identify people who I should talk to if I am worried about this.
- Focus on this term's school value of safety.
- Use a browser and search engine to complete a simple search.
- Learn about the importance of online safety.
- Learn about the Christmas Story and retell the main events.

### Music

- Use various tuned and un-tuned percussion instruments and body percussion to develop our rhythm and performing skills.
- Learn some simple musical symbols and their rhythmic terms.

### Numeracy and Mathematics

- Develop our understanding of numbers to 1000.
- Develop our understanding of place value.
- Count forwards and backwards in 1's, 10's and 100's.
- Order and compare numbers.
- Revise multiplication and introduce division.
- Learn the 5 and 10 times tables.
- Learn about 2D shapes and their properties.
- Use analogue and digital clocks to revise o'clock and half past and introduce quarter past and quarter to.

### French

- Reinforce numbers to 20.
- Learn days of the week and months of the year.
- Learn common colours.

### Homework

- Access home learning using Microsoft Teams and complete assignments.
- Ask an adult to check my spelling words every week.
- Practise reading aloud to an adult.
- Use Number Notion packs.
- Present a prepared talk about a favourite book.