

### English

As we explore the adventures of Robin Hood, we will use a wider variety of techniques to develop the sophistication of our writing, ensuring we are using the appropriate devices for the purpose of the writing. As we develop our use of grammar features we will learn more about using prefixes and a wider range of suffixes which will enhance our writing by adding excitement and clarity. By exploring homophones and near homophones, we will be able to develop our spelling and become more consistent in our choice of vocabulary. As we draw upon our Power of Reading and History learning we will continue to explore formal and informal aspects to our writing as we create fiction and non-fiction pieces.

### History

As we delve into the world of medieval Britain, we will develop our understanding of why the Magna Carta was introduced and how this affects our lives today. To explore this fully we will learn about the lives of King Richard the Lionheart and his brother King John. To help explore these different Kings we will learn about the fictional character of Robin Hood. We will spend time delving into this myth but will use this to consider the historical importance of myths and legends and how these can act as sources of information and be an insight into that time period.

### Religion and World views

In our new RaWV topic we will be learning about Islam and why their God, Allah is so important to Muslims. We'll also discover about how Muslims use the Qu'ran and the Mosque to help them pray to Allah and the importance of the Muslim community.

### Music

We will continue learning to play the guitar, focusing on combining notes to make melodies. We will extend the length and complexity of these melodies ready for our Summer Concert.

### Maths

This term, we move into the world of shapes and measure. To develop our knowledge of Angles and Shapes we will:

- Identify angles including right angles and recognise as a quarter of a turn
- Identify and draw parallel and perpendicular lines
- Draw/make, classify and compare 2-D and 3-D shapes

In our Measures Unit we will:

- Read scales with different intervals when measuring mass and volume
- Weigh and compare masses and capacities with mixed units.

### Science

In Science we'll be investigating plants and focusing on identify and describe the functions of different parts of flowering plants: roots, stem/trunk, leaves and flowers. We'll also explore the part that flowers play in the life cycle of flowering plants, including pollination, seed formation and seed dispersal. Lastly, we'll investigate the way in which water is transported within plants through an experiment.

### PSHE

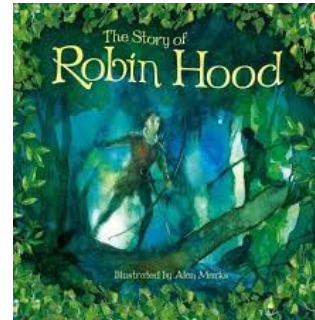
Our PSHE topic is called 'Relationships'. As we begin to explore the different relationships we have with our families, friends and peers we will consider the different roles we all have as well as how our needs and rights are shared by children on a global scale.

### Computing

In Computing this half term we'll be begin to develop understanding of how to write and debug programs that accomplish specific goals, including controlling or simulating physical systems. We'll also detect errors in algorithms and programs through using the program 'Scratch'.

## Year 3 - Summer 1 - Medieval Britain Curriculum Web

Our Reading Roundabout text this term is Robin Hood



### Art

This half term, we will be exploring the medium of print by creating our own Illuminated Manuscripts. These were special medieval documents that were beautifully decorated. We will be adding gold to ours to make them extra special.

### French

As we continue to develop our number knowledge in French and our fruit vocabulary we will delve into the world of the Hungry Caterpillar.

### PE

As we move towards Summer, we will develop a range of movements that will support us in athletics, for example running and jumping. This will help us prepare for Sports Day. We will also look at Netball and other basic skills.

### KEY DATES:

Rainbow Mufti Day 26th April  
3S Class Assembly - 1st May—9am  
May bank holiday - May 6th  
Mon 27th to 31st May- Half term