



The Wonderful World of Ugg!

This term we will be finding out about:

- the life of a Stone Age child
- changes in Britain from the Stone Age to the Iron Age
- Stone Age art
- Investigate and analyse kites, investigating the different parts and their functions.
- Name and explain the function of the different parts of a kite
- Develop design criteria for a kite.
- Select and use a range of tools and equipment to perform practical tasks
- Measure and cut the shape of the body of the kite and join it to the frame structure
- Evaluate their ideas and products against their own design criteria
- compare and group together different kinds of rocks on the basis of their appearance and simple physical properties
- describe in simple terms how fossils are formed when things that have lived are trapped within rock
- recognise that soils are made from rocks and organic matter
- human geography, including types of settlement and land use during the Stone Age
- how to use the eight points of a compass, four and six-figure grid references, symbols and key to build knowledge of the United Kingdom and the wider world

School Visits

- Stone Age Day - date to be confirmed
- Parents evenings - Monday, 27th February and Wednesday, 1st March
- Sing On Concert - Thursday, 22nd June
- Science week - 13th to 17th March.

You can support your child's learning at home by:

Reading - We would like to stress that it still remains very important to hear your child read at home, whatever level he or she is on. When your child reads, please enjoy the story together and discuss the storyline, looking for understanding and exploring definitions and application of new vocabulary. You could discuss the characters, make predictions and justify these by reference to the text.

Homework - the children will continue to have weekly spellings and times tables, together with Maths and English homework on alternate weeks.

Key information:

PE days: - Tuesdays and Thursdays

Please ensure that your child is wearing the correct PE kit to school. May we please remind all parents that earrings and other jewellery **MUST NOT** be worn for PE.

Staff in year 3:

Teaching staff

- Mrs Lewis
- Mrs Tipping
- Mrs Vassell

Learning support staff

- Mrs Eagles
- Mrs Logue
- Mrs Edgeworth