

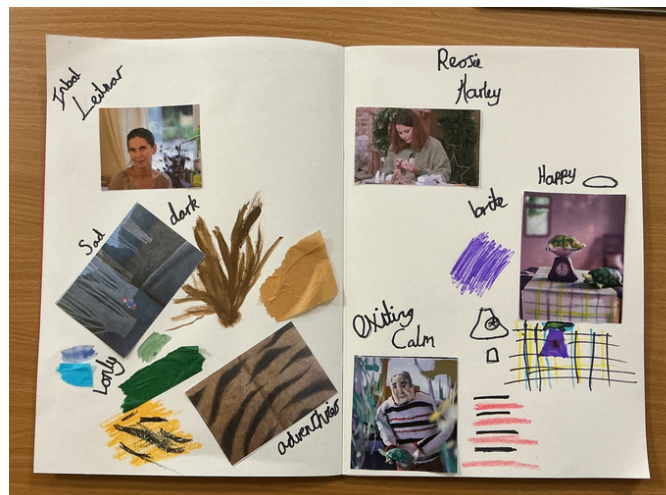
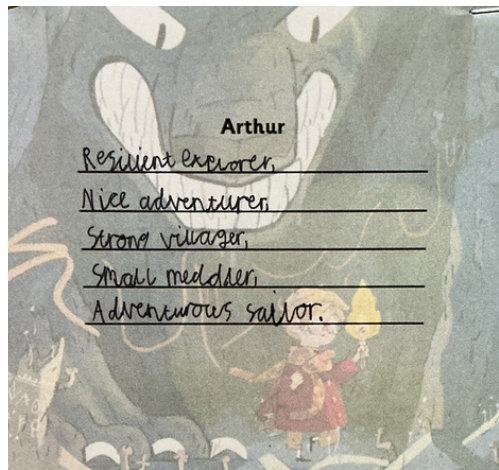
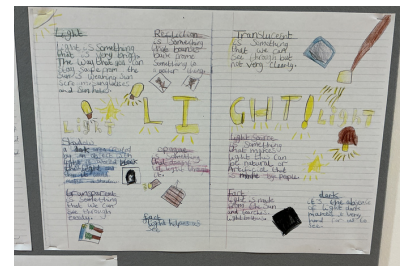
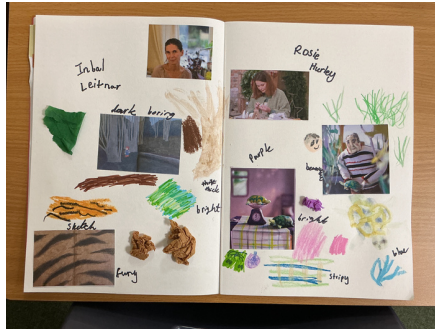
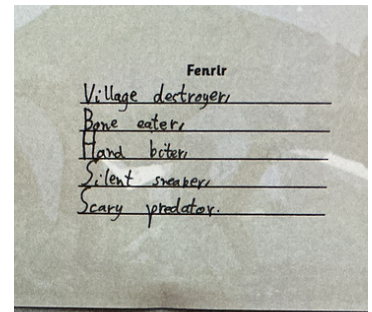
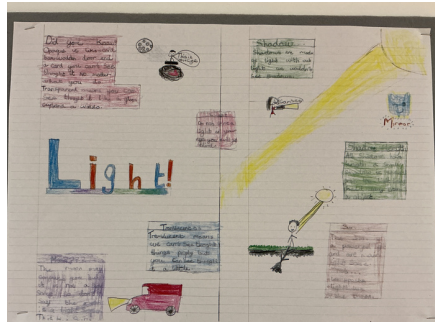
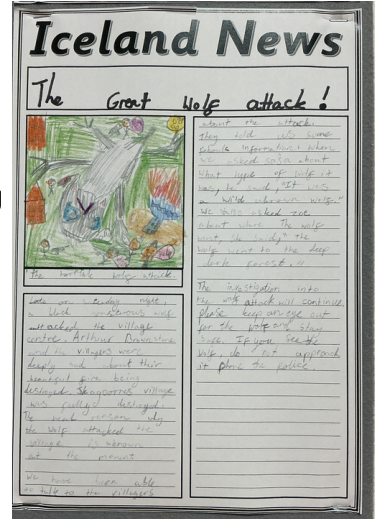
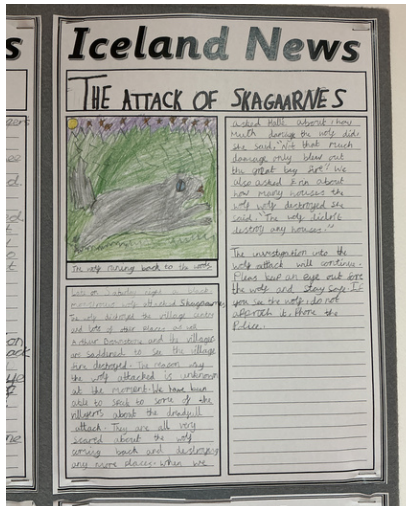
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Last half-term highlights

Year 3 had a great half-term. It can be difficult coming back to school after the Christmas break but everyone settled into the school routine quickly and produced some fantastic work. Take a look at some of it below:

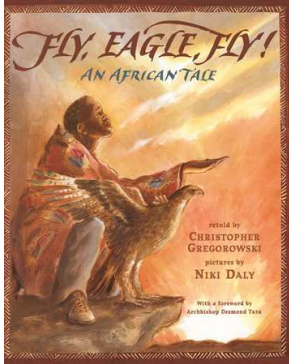


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Overview of learning for Spring 2



English

This half term, the children will be exploring a book called 'Fly, Eagle, Fly!', an African tale retold by Christopher Gregorowski and illustrated by Niki Daly. Throughout this unit of work, children will:

- Discuss the meaning of the story
- Understand the themes of different texts
- Broaden their understanding of writers' use of language and build a varied vocabulary
- Write narratives from a character's perspective

Practicing at Home



Please continue to read with your child as much as you can. Reading is proven to greatly support children's progression in all areas of the curriculum.



TTRS - all children should now be secure in their 2, 5, 10 and 4 times tables. We will soon be practicing the 8 times table facts. Please ensure that your child practices as much as they can on TTRS when at home as this will support their fluency and recall.

Maths

The children will be further developing their skills and will be looking at:

- Multiplication strategies
- Statistics - pictograms and bar charts
- Problem solving
- Fractions

Other Curriculum Areas

Science - Forces and Magnets

Geography - The South West of England

History - The Anglo Saxons, the Scots and the Vikings

Art - Cloth, Thread, Paint

RE - Christianity - Special Times

PSHE - What makes a community?

Computing - Branching Databases

PE - Egyptian Dance and Netball

French - Using Adjectives and Giving Opinions

Internet Safety



We have been talking about internet safety recently within school and the different things that children should/should not do when they are online.

Please support us with this by speaking to your children about the games they are playing and apps they are using to make sure that they know what to do if something goes wrong.

Things to Remember

- The school days starts with morning work at 8:20am and the gate closes at 8:30am.
- Monday morning reading will continue - all parents/carers are welcome to attend.
- Reading books - please ensure all children have their reading books in school every day.
- Library session is on a Friday. We will also change the children's second reading book on this day.
- PE days: Tuesday and Friday - children attend school wearing PE kit.
- Warwick Castle trip - this is taking place at the end of this half-term. Please make payment through Arbor as soon as possible. Arrangement details will be sent out soon.

