



Y3 Newsletter

Spring Term 2023

Spring Term Topic

Violent Earth!

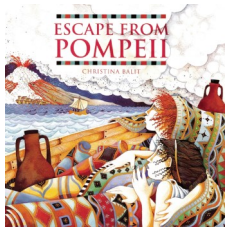
We are learning about...

Volcanoes, earthquakes and other natural disasters! We will look at how volcanoes erupt, as well as learning all about tectonic plates and how different kinds of earthquakes occur.

In art, we will be creating our very own volcanoes to erupt, before creating a volcano collage using hot and cold colours.



English



We will continue our work on volcanoes through our English lessons, where we will look at the book 'Escape from Pompeii'. We will also write an explanation text on 'How to Survive a Volcano' and a persuasive poster to 'Save Pompeii!'

Maths

This term we will be looking at adding and subtracting using the column method. We are learning our 3, 4 and 8 times tables and ask that children practice on TT Rockstars for at least 20 minutes a week to help them learn these.



Reading

It is extremely important for children to read at least **3 times a week** at home. Write in your child's reading record so that they can become a Reading Champion at the end of the half term.

Remember to encourage your child to login to MYON weekly to read some books and complete the quizzes.



Swimming

In Year 3, in line with national curriculum requirements, children are taken to Oldham Leisure Centre to learn to swim once a week in addition to their weekly outdoor P.E. lesson. Garnet Class will go continue after Christmas until half term, after which Coral Class will attend these lessons until Summer.

