



# The Stone Age– Celts

## The Iron Age– Bronze Age



Summer Term 1

Tuesday 18th April 2023–  
Friday 26th May 2023

Spring Term 2

Monday 5th June 2023–  
Friday 21st July 2023



**English:** We shall begin our work this term by thinking about the Fantasy genre, using our imaginations to write stories about fantastical creatures and magic. We will then focus in on play scripts and dialogue and bring some drama into our lessons! Persuasive texts and a focus on Haiku and Tanka poetry will follow to take us to the end of the summer term. We will continue to look at improving our writing skills by using exciting sentence openers and expanded noun phrases– making sure the adjectives we use give a clear picture in our heads of what we are writing about. We will continue to work on using a range of punctuation appropriately, and particularly focus on speech marks when writing dialogue.

**Spellings:** We will continue to work on spellings and spelling patterns across the week. The spellings sent home will focus on the common exception words that the children need to learn

**Reading:** Children will continue to take part in Guided reading sessions and will work on fluency, inference and deduction and literal retrieval skills. Please continue to support your child to read at home on a daily basis. This is important to develop fluency and stamina in reading and we encourage each child to read their book several times over. Children should also complete a book review before changing their book.

**Homework:** This term homework will come home on **Wednesday** and returned on **Monday**. Year 2 children will have Maths homework and Year 3 children will have English and Maths homework. Please continue to access **TT Rockstars** to learn and practise multiplication facts.

**PE will continue to be on a Thursday and taught by Miss. Mozejko.**

**German will remain on a Thursday afternoon.**

**Science:** The topic this term is Rocks and Soils. The children will be comparing and grouping different rocks on the basis of their appearance and their properties. They will be describing how fossils are formed and exploring soil and what it is made of!

**PSHE:** PSHE topics for the term are titled ‘Think Positive’ and ‘It’s my Body’. We will be thinking about the feelings we have, ways to manage them and making good choices. We will also be thinking about how our bodies are our own, what we put into our bodies and how to keep healthy.

**RE:** Christianity is the main focus for RE in the summer term. We will be exploring how Christians worship and the symbols that can be found in the church and the Bible.

**Other areas of the curriculum covered in the Spring term will be**

**Geography:** This term's topic is Mountains. The children will be learning about the different parts of the mountain and the climate on a mountain. The children will be encouraged to think about what it is like to live in a mountainous region.

**History:** This term in History, the children will be thinking about the Stone Age, Iron Age and Bronze Age and exploring the evidence they left behind for us to find out about their daily life– their homes, hunting and gathering and family life and livelihood.



**Our Creative curriculum will focus on the following:**

**Art Design and Design Technology:** the children will be studying and replicating cave paintings in Art sessions, looking at how people long ago left marks, and the mediums they used to do so.

DT will focus on designing, making and sewing a small bag.

**Music:** Karl will be teaching music in Woodpeckers this term.