

## Year 3 Summer Term A

### Computing Purple Mash:

We will be learning about spreadsheets and touch typing.



### RE:

Christianity: Believing - What can different churches tell us about the variety of Christian beliefs? / Do all Christians believe exactly the same?

**PE: Dodgeball:** The children will improve on key skills such as throwing, dodging and catching.  
**Yoga:** The children will develop their balance, strength, coordination and flexibility.

### French:

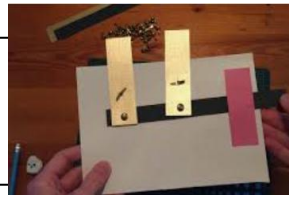
Learning vocabulary related to ice-creams!



### D&T: Lever and linkage mechanism:

The children will investigate, design, build and evaluate a moving object with a lever and linkage mechanism.

Lever and Linkages  
Children will spend the half term learning about the mechanics behind levers and linkages and their connection to the Ancient Greek mathematician Archimedes. The children will be using their design and technology skills to investigate, design and build a moving item with a lever and linkage



### PSHE:

**Relationships and our bodies:** The children will develop their knowledge about their bodies, naming the external body parts. They will also learn about personal hygiene and prevention of illness and disease.

### Music:

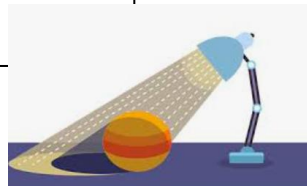
Children will learn to play the recorder.



### Science:

#### Light and Shadows

Children will find out about sources of light and those objects which reflect light. They will investigate shadows created by the sun and the way in which these change depending on the time of day.



### English:

In English, the children will be writing their own poem based on the poem 'The Sound Collector.' They will learn about the structure and rhyme.

**Spelling:** continuing to explore and practise common spelling patterns

**Handwriting:** continuing to develop a neat, fluent joined style

### Maths:

The children will learn their times tables and related division facts for the 3 and 6 times tables. **Column Subtraction** - using the written algorithm to solve subtraction expressions.

**Multiplication** - They will also write and calculate mathematical statements for multiplication and division using the multiplication tables that they know, including for two-digit numbers.